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The Right Honourable Liam Byrne MP
Chair, Business and Trade Committee
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Dear Chair

The Business and Trade Committee requested that Lockheed Martin, and BAE Systems as a sub-contractor to Lockheed Martin, provide evidence about the F-35 Programme to its non-inquiry session on *UK arms exports to Israel*.

The F-35 Programme, in which the UK Government is an international partner, is managed by the F-35 Lightning II Joint Program Office (JPO) in the U.S. Department of Defense. Contractors are not authorised to release information about the Programme without the approval of the JPO, and the U.S. Department of Defense has advised that any questions the Committee has about the Programme should be directed to the U.S. Government.

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