

APKWS-II guidance section developed by BAE Systems, legacy 2.75-inch MK66 Mod 4 rocket motor, and legacy MK152 and MK435/436 warhead/fuse. The APKWS-II is a tactical rocket system that can be launched from several platforms, offering multi-mission, multi-target capability and precision-strike lethality. These guided rockets are steered to the target by following reflected laser beam energy directed onto the target either by the launching aircraft, a second aircraft, or ground-based troops operating a laser designator.

2. The highest level of classification of defense articles, components, and services included in this potential sale is SECRET.

3. If a technologically advanced adversary were to obtain knowledge of the specific hardware and software elements, the information could be used to develop countermeasures that might reduce system effectiveness or be used in the development of a system with similar or advanced capabilities.

4. A determination has been made that Qatar can provide substantially the same degree of protection for the sensitive technology being released as the U.S. Government. This proposed sale is necessary in furtherance of the U.S. foreign policy and national security objectives outlined in the Policy Justification.

5. All defense articles and services listed in this transmittal have been authorized for release and export to the Government of Qatar.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Transmittal No. 26-1A]

Arms Sales Notification

AGENCY: Defense Security Cooperation Agency (DSCA), Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Arms sales notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of War (DoW) is publishing the unclassified text of an arms sales notification.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This 36(b) arms sales notification is published to fulfill the requirements of section 155 of Public Law 104-164 dated July 21,

1996. The following is a copy of the attached Transmittal 26-1A.

Dated: May 28, 2026.

Stephanie J. Bost,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

Transmittal No. 26-1A

REPORT OF ENHANCEMENT OR UPGRADE OF SENSITIVITY OF TECHNOLOGY OR CAPABILITY (SEC. 36(B)(5)(C), AECA)

(i) *Prospective Purchaser:* Government of Kuwait

(ii) *Sec. 36(b)(1), AECA Transmittal No.:* 20-16

Date: May 28, 2020

Implementing Agency: Army

Funding Source: National Funds

(iii) *Description:* On May 28, 2020,

Congress was notified by congressional certification transmittal number 20-16 of the possible sale, under Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, of eighty-four (84) Patriot Advanced Capability 3 (PAC-3) Missile Segment Enhancements (MSEs) with canisters; two (2) Patriot MSE test missiles 2-pack per unit of issue; thirty-five (35) remanufactured (upgrades): Patriot modification kit, missile launchers A902+ Series to A903 Series; twenty-six (26) PAC-3 Missile Round Trainer; and twenty-six (26) Empty Round Trainer. The following non-major defense equipment (MDE) items were also included: Flight Test Target—Zombie; PAC-3 missile spares held in Continental United States for repair and return; PAC-3 telemetry kits; training devices; simulators; transportation; organizational equipment; spare and repair parts; support equipment; tools and test equipment; technical data and publications; personnel training and training equipment; U.S. Government and contractor engineering, technical, and logistics support services; and other related elements of logistics support. The estimated total value was \$800 million. MDE constituted \$700 million of this total.

This transmittal notifies the inclusion of the following MDE items: five hundred (500) PAC-3 MSEs; and five hundred (500) PAC-2 Guidance Enhanced Tactical Missiles (GEM-T) with canisters. The following non-MDE items will also be included: tools and test equipment; support equipment; publications and technical documentation; personnel training and training equipment; spare and repair parts; facility design; U.S. Government and contractor technical, engineering, and logistics support services; and other related elements of logistics, sustainment, and program support. The

estimated total value of the new items is \$9.3 billion. The estimated MDE value will increase by \$8.2 billion to a revised \$8.9 billion. The estimated non-MDE value will increase by \$1.1 billion to a revised \$1.2 billion. The estimated total case value will increase by \$9.3 billion to a revised \$10.1 billion. MDE constitutes \$8.9 billion of this total.

(iv) *Significance:* This notification accounts for requested additional MDE and non-MDE items not included in the original notification. The inclusion of this MDE represents an increase in capability over what was previously notified. This proposed sale will improve Kuwait's capability to strengthen its homeland air defense by better meeting current and future air threats.

(v) *Justification:* This proposed sale will support the foreign policy and national security objectives of the United States by improving the security of a major non-NATO ally that has been an important force for political stability and economic progress in the Middle East.

(vi) *Sensitivity of Technology:*

The PAC-2 GEM-T missiles with canisters is a specialized variant of the Patriot Missile Defense System designed to intercept high-speed tactical ballistic missiles, cruise missiles, and enemy aircraft. The GEM-T uses a blast-fragmentation warhead. It detonates in the immediate vicinity of a target to destroy it with shrapnel and explosive force. It uses track-via missile guidance, where the missile relays target data back to the ground radar for processing, and the ground station sends steering commands back to the missile.

The highest level of classification of defense articles, components, and services included in this potential sale is SECRET.

(vii) *Date Report Delivered to Congress:* May 1, 2026

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Transmittal No. 26-CG]

Arms Sales Notification

AGENCY: Defense Security Cooperation Agency (DSCA), Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Arms sales notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of War (DoW) is publishing the unclassified text of an arms sales notification.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This 36(b) arms sales notification is published to fulfill the requirements of section 155 of Public Law 104-164 dated July 21, 1996. The following is a copy of the attached Transmittal 26-CG, Policy Justification, and Sensitivity of Technology.

Dated: May 28, 2026.

Stephanie J. Bost,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

Transmittal No. 26-CG

Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended

(i) *Prospective Purchaser:* Government of Qatar

(ii) *Total Estimated Value:*

Major Defense Equipment * ..	\$3.95 billion
Other	\$0.06 billion
TOTAL	\$4.01 billion

Funding Source: National Funds

(iii) *Description and Quantity or Quantities of Articles or Services under Consideration for Purchase:*

Major Defense Equipment (MDE):

Two hundred (200) Phased Array Tracking Radar to Intercept On Target (Patriot) Advanced Capability-2 (PAC-2) Guidance Enhanced Missiles-Tactical
Three hundred (300) Patriot Advanced Capability-3 (PAC-3) Missile Segment Enhancement

Non-MDE:

The following non-MDE items will also be included: PAC-2 and PAC-3 missile and ground support equipment spare parts; classified and unclassified repair and return; PAC-2 and PAC-3 missile canister consumables; PAC-3 field surveillance program; U. S. Government and contractor technical, engineering, and logistics technical assistance; quality assurance; and other related elements of logistics and program support.

(iv) *Military Department:* Army QA-B-UAH

(v) *Prior Related Cases, if any:* QA-B-UAP

(vi) *Sales Commission, Fee, etc., Paid, Offered, or Agreed to be Paid:* None known at this time

(vii) *Sensitivity of Technology Contained in the Defense Article or*

Defense Services Proposed to be Sold: See Attached Annex

(viii) *Date Report Delivered to Congress:* May 1, 2026

* as defined in Section 47(6) of the Arms Export Control Act.

POLICY JUSTIFICATION

Government of Qatar—Patriot Missile Replenishment of National Stockpile

The Government of Qatar has requested to buy two hundred (200) Phased Array Tracking Radar to Intercept On Target (Patriot) Advanced Capability-2 (PAC-2) Guidance Enhanced Missile-Tactical; and three hundred (300) Patriot Advanced Capability-3 (PAC-3) Missile Segment Enhancement. The following non-major defense equipment items will also be included: PAC-2 and PAC-3 missiles and ground support equipment spare parts; classified and unclassified repair and return; PAC-2 and PAC-3 missile canister consumables; PAC-3 field surveillance program; U. S. Government and contractor technical, engineering, and logistics technical assistance; quality assurance; and other related elements of logistics and program support. The estimated total cost is \$4.01 billion.

This proposed sale will support the foreign policy and national security objectives of the United States by improving the security of a friendly country that continues to be an important force for political stability and economic progress in the Middle East.

The proposed sale will improve Qatar's capability to meet current and future threats by enabling Qatar to operate in bilateral and multilateral coalition environments and providing enhanced interoperability with U.S. military units for training and defense. Qatar will use the Patriot missile system to replenish its missile defense capability, defend its territorial integrity, and deter threats for regional stability.

The proposed sale of this equipment and support will not alter the basic military balance in the region.

The principal contractors will be Lockheed Martin, located in Dallas, TX; and RTX Corporation, located in Arlington, VA. At this time, the U.S. Government is not aware of any offset agreement proposed in connection with this potential sale. Any offset agreement will be defined in negotiations between the purchaser and the contractors.

Implementation of this proposed sale will not require the assignment of any additional U.S. Government or contractor representatives to Qatar.

There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this proposed sale.

Transmittal No. 26-CG

Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act

Annex

Item No. vii

(vii) *Sensitivity of Technology:*

1. The Phased Array Tracking Radar to Intercept On Target (Patriot) Advanced Capability (PAC-2) Guidance Enhanced Missiles-Tactical (GEM-T) missile is a specialized variant of the Patriot Missile Defense System designed to intercept high-speed tactical ballistic missiles, cruise missiles, and enemy aircraft. The GEM-T uses a blast-fragmentation warhead. It detonates in the immediate vicinity of a target to destroy it with shrapnel and explosive force. Using track-via-missile guidance, the missile relays target data back to the ground radar for processing and the ground station sends steering commands back to the missile.

2. The Patriot Advanced Capability (PAC-3) Missile Segment Enhanced (MSE) missile is a small, highly agile, kinetic kill interceptor for defense against tactical ballistic missiles, cruise missiles, and air-breathing threats. The MSE variant of the PAC-3 missile represents the next generation in hit-to-kill interceptors and provides expanded battlespace against evolving threats. The PAC-3 MSE improves upon the original PAC-3 capability with a higher performance solid rocket motor, modified lethality enhancer, more responsible control surfaces, upgraded guidance software, and insensitive munitions improvements.

The PAC-3 MSE missile has sensitive and critical technology primarily in the area of design and production know-how and data inherent to certain components.

3. The highest level of classification of defense articles, components, and services included in this potential sale is SECRET.

4. If a technologically advanced adversary were to obtain knowledge of the specific hardware and software elements, the information could be used to develop countermeasures that might reduce system effectiveness or be used in the development of a system with similar or advanced capabilities.

5. A determination has been made that Qatar can provide substantially the same degree of protection for the sensitive technology being released as the U.S. Government. This proposed sale is necessary in furtherance of the

U.S. foreign policy and national security objectives outlined in the Policy Justification.

6. All defense articles and services listed in this transmittal have been authorized for release and export to the Government of Qatar.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Transmittal No. 26-0Q]

Arms Sales Notification

AGENCY: Defense Security Cooperation Agency (DSCA), Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Arms sales notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of War (DoW) is publishing the unclassified text of an arms sales notification.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This 36(b) arms sales notification is published to fulfill the requirements of section 155 of Public Law 104-164 dated July 21, 1996. The following is a copy of the attached Transmittal 26-0Q.

Dated: May 28, 2026.

Stephanie J. Bost,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

Transmittal No. 26-0Q

REPORT OF ENHANCEMENT OR UPGRADE OF SENSITIVITY OF TECHNOLOGY OR CAPABILITY (SEC. 36(B)(5)(C), AECA)

(i) *Prospective Purchaser:* Government of Bulgaria

(ii) *Sec. 36(b)(1), AECA Transmittal No.:* 22-14

Date: April 4, 2022

Implementing Agency: Air Force
Funding Source: National Funds

(iii) *Description:* On April 4, 2022, Congress was notified by Congressional certification transmittal number 22-14 of the possible sale under Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, of four (4) F-16 C Block 70 aircraft; four (4) F-16 D Block 70 aircraft; eleven (11) F100-GE-129D engines (8 installed, 3 spares); eleven (11) Improved Programmable Display Generators (8 installed, 3 spares); eleven (11) AN/APG-83 Active Electronically Scanned Array Scalable Agile Beam Radars (8 installed, 3 spares); eleven (11) Modular

Mission Computers 7000AH (8 installed, 3 spares); eleven (11) LN-260 or equivalent Embedded Global Positioning System Inertial Navigation Systems with Selective Availability Anti-Spoofing Module and Precise Positioning Service (8 installed, 3 spares); nineteen (19) Advanced Medium Range Air-to-Air Missile (AMRAAM) AIM-120C-7/C-8 or equivalent missiles; two (2) AMRAAM guidance sections; forty-eight (48) LAU-129A launchers (40 installed, 8 spares); twenty-eight (28) GBU-39/B Small Diameter Bombs (SDBs); two (2) SDB Guided Test Vehicles; eleven (11) M61A1 Vulcan cannons (8 installed, 3 spares); four (4) AN/AAQ-33 Sniper Advanced Targeting Pods; twelve (12) Multifunctional Information Distribution System with Joint Tactical Radio Systems (aircraft terminals and ground station terminals) (10 installed, 2 spares); twenty (20) AIM-9X Block II missiles; eight (8) AIM-9X Block II Captive Air Training Missiles (CATMs); four (4) AIM-9X Block II tactical guidance units; four (4) AIM-9X Block II CATM guidance units; twenty-four (24) FMU-139 or FMU-152 fuze systems; twelve (12) KMU-572 Joint Direct Attack Munition (JDAM) tail kits for 500LB GBU-38 or laser JDAM GBU-54; twelve (12) MXU-650 Air Foil Groups for Enhanced Paveway II EGBU-49; twelve (12) MAU-210 Enhanced Computer Control Groups for EPII EGBU-49; twenty-four (24) MK-82 or BLU-111 or equivalent bomb bodies; six (6) MK-82 inert bombs; and two (2) GBU-39 SDB I practice bombs. The following non-MDE items were also included: AN/ARC-238 radios; AN/APX-126 or equivalent Advanced Identification Friend or Foe with Combined Interrogator Transponders; Joint Helmet Mounted Cueing System II or Scorpion Hybrid Optical-based Inertial Tacker helmet mounted displays; AN/ALQ-254 Viper Shield or equivalent electronic warfare systems; AN/ALE-47 Countermeasure Dispenser Systems, KY-58M cryptographic devices, KIV-78 cryptographic devices, and Simple Key Loaders; Joint Mission Planning Systems or equivalent; AIM-120 CATM; PGU-28 High Explosive Incendiary (HEI) ammunition; PGU-27 training rounds (non HEI); ARD-446 impulse cartridges; ARD-863 impulse cartridges; BBU-36/B impulse cartridges; BBU-35/B impulse cartridges; MK-124 smoke flares; MJU-7/B flare cartridges L463 or MJU-53 or equivalent; Common Munitions Built-in-Test Reprogramming Equipment (CMBRE); ADU-890 adapter for CMBRE; ADU-891 adapter for CMBRE; Night

Vision Devices (NVD); NVD spare image intensifier tubes; Remote Operated Video Enhanced Receiver (ROVER) 6i units; tactical network ROVER kit; DSU-38 laser sensors for GBU-54; Cartridge Actuated Device/Propellant Actuated Devices; GBU-39 tactical training rounds; BRU-57 bomb racks; BRU-61 bomb racks; MAU-12 bomb racks and TER-9A triple ejection racks; other chaff and flare, ammunition, and pylons; launcher adaptors and weapons interfaces; fuel tanks and attached hardware; travel pods; aircraft and weapons integration, test, and support equipment; electronic warfare database and mission data file development; precision measurement and calibration laboratory equipment; secure communications; cryptographic equipment; precision navigation equipment; aircraft and personnel support and test equipment; spare and repair parts; repair and return services; maps, publications, and technical documentation; studies and surveys; classified/unclassified software and software support; personnel training and training equipment; facilities and facility management, design and/or construction services; U.S. Government and contractor engineering, technical and logistics support services; and other related elements of logistical and program support. The estimated total cost was \$1.673 billion. Major defense equipment (MDE) constituted \$978 billion of this total.

This transmittal notifies the inclusion of the following additional MDE items: one hundred twenty-five (125) AIM-120C-8 AMRAAM; five (5) AIM-120C-8 AMRAAM guidance sections; and four (4) AIM-9X Block II missiles. The following non-major defense equipment items will also be included: missile containers and control section spares; munitions support and support equipment; computer program identification numbers; engine component improvement program support; transportation support; studies and surveys; U.S. Government and contractor engineering, technical and logistic support services; and other related elements of logistics and program support. The estimated total cost of the new items is \$957 million. The estimated MDE value will increase by \$452 million to a revised \$1.43 billion. The estimated non-MDE value will increase by \$505 million to a revised \$1.2 billion. The estimated total case value will increase by \$957 million to a revised \$2.63 billion. MDE constitutes \$1.43 billion of this total.

(iv) *Significance:* This notification accounts for requested additional MDE and non-MDE items not included in the