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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

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FROM: AFRL/RVEP, David Voss, PhD, DR-II

SUBJECT: Air Force Funding Support for the Georgia Tech RECONSO Satellite Program

To whom it may concern,:

The University Nanosat Program Office is pleased to write a letter of support for the RECONSO Satellite program led by Principle Investigator Professor Marcus Holzinger. The NS-8 program office (a collaboration between the Air Force Research Laboratory's Space Vehicle Directorate and the Air Force Office of Scientific Research) have committed to funding the RECONSO program through the NS-8 competition.

As a greater number of objects are launched the ability of the US Government to maintain accurate orbital information of these objects becomes strained. Safety of government satellites, but also of the growing commercial and possibly human flight industries, is critical for the growing space community. RECONSO offers a low cost, yet persistent capability for tracking objects in orbit. We strongly support the launch of this mission.

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