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SCHIEBEL UNVEILS NEXT-GENERATION UAS: THE CAMCOPTER® S-101 AND S-301

Vienna, 9 September 2025: Schiebel announced the launch of two new products: the CAMCOPTER® S-101 and CAMCOPTER® S-301 Unmanned Air Systems (UAS). These next-generation unmanned helicopter systems represent refined new designs, dedicated for weaponisation and engineered to meet the rapidly evolving demands of modern military operations.

Building on the success of the CAMCOPTER® S-100 – a proven solution designed for the military domain (Navies and Armies), it has been extensively sold and deployed operationally around the globe, both on land and at sea. The armed S-101 and S-301 introduce a new era of innovation and precision strike capability for a tactical UAS. The platforms feature advanced performance, military-grade systems integration, embedded AI and robust architecture, purpose-built for the most demanding defence missions across multi-domain environments. Both systems are engineered to ensure resilience in contested electromagnetic environments, guaranteeing operational effectiveness even under the most challenging conditions.

Development and production of the S-101 and S-301 are carried out by Schiebel Defence GmbH, a newly established group subsidiary, based in Wiener Neustadt, Austria, dedicated exclusively to armed UAS. The company ensures the new platforms are specifically designed to meet the unique needs of military forces, with a focus on integrating already in-service missiles and rockets well suited to tactical rotary platforms that will provide a persistent and distributed lethality option against asymmetric threats allowing engagement at stand-off ranges.

With the establishment of Schiebel Defence GmbH, the Group is responding to the changing geopolitical challenges and the rising demand for weaponised autonomous systems tailored to military requirements. This marks a strategically important step in further strengthening Schiebel's position as a leading provider of global defence-grade UAS.

"The worldwide security landscape is shifting rapidly and we are seeing a significant increase in demand for armed unmanned platforms and systems," said Hans Georg Schiebel, Chairman of the Schiebel Group. "With the establishment of Schiebel Defence GmbH, we are positioning ourselves to respond directly to this demand. The launch of the weaponised CAMCOPTER® S-101 and S-301 platforms reflects our commitment to providing armed forces with advanced, reliable and mission-ready armed systems that meet the challenges of modern operations."

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About Schiebel:

Founded in 1951 in Vienna, the globally operating Schiebel Group focuses on the development, design and production of the revolutionary CAMCOPTER® S-100 Unmanned Air System (UAS). Certified to meet AS/EN 9100 standards, Schiebel has built an international reputation for producing high-tech military, commercial and humanitarian products, which are backed by exceptional after-sales service and support. Schiebel has facilities in Vienna and Wiener Neustadt (Austria), Toulon (France), Manassas, VA (USA), Abu Dhabi (UAE), and Shoalhaven (Australia).

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