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of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the Month of July 2016

Commission File Number 000-28998

ELBIT SYSTEMS LTD.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Advanced Technology Center, P.O.B. 539, Haifa 31053, Israel

(Address of principal executive office)

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Attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and incorporated herein by reference is the registrant's press release dated July 7, 2016.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

ELBIT SYSTEMS
LTD.

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Ronit Zmiri

Name: Ronit Zmiri

Title: Corporate
Secretary

Date: July 7, 2016

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

1. Press Release dated July 7, 2016

Exhibit 1

Elbit Systems to Establish a New Company
in the Field of Energy for Civilian Transportation

An international investor, from the automotive industry, will invest 16 million euros in exchange for 20% of the new company's shares and will grant the new company rights in several of its energy related technologies

Haifa, Israel, July 7, 2016 – Elbit Systems Ltd. (NASDAQ and TASE: ESLT) ("Elbit Systems") announced today that it is establishing a new company (the "New Company"), based on its in-house developed energy technology for transportation. The New Company will develop energy solutions for civilian transportation applications.

An international strategic investor will invest 16 million euros in exchange for 20% of the New Company's shares and will grant the New Company rights in several of its energy related technologies.

The New Company headquarters will be based in Israel and the employees of Elbit Systems Land & C4I's energy business unit will be employed in the New Company.

Bezhalet (Butzi) Machlis, Elbit Systems President, said: "Elbit Systems' extensive array of technologies enables us from time to time, to develop technologies providing solutions for the commercial market". Machlis added: "I expect this New Company will grow substantially and develop more energy solutions for civilian transportation applications".

About Elbit Systems

Elbit Systems Ltd. is an international high technology company engaged in a wide range of defense, homeland security and commercial programs throughout the world. The Company, which includes Elbit Systems and its subsidiaries, operates in the areas of aerospace, land and naval systems, command, control, communications, computers, intelligence surveillance and reconnaissance ("C4ISR"), unmanned aircraft systems, advanced electro-optics, electro-optic space systems, EW suites, signal intelligence systems, data links and communications systems, radios and cyber-based systems. The Company also focuses on the upgrading of existing platforms, developing new technologies for defense, homeland security and commercial applications and providing a range of support services, including training and simulation systems.

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