

# “The Frequency”

## *Quarterly Newsletter / Q1 2026*

### *From TCI and ECS – Part of SPX Communication Technologies*

#### **WELCOME TO 2026!**

Welcome to the first 2026 issue of *The Frequency*, our Q1 Newsletter - bringing you updates on the latest insights, innovations, and highlights from TCI and ECS (part of SPX Communication Technologies). We're excited to share the progress, achievements, and initiatives shaping the future of our mission-critical communication technology around the world.

#### **Spotlight on Company News**

##### **BlackTalon Ecosystem Demo to Luke Pollard, MP – London**



Graeme Forsyth and Paul Faizey attended this UKG hosted event in London to demonstrate to Luke Pollard, MP, Minister of State for Defence Readiness and Industry – the BlackTalon Ecosystem, highlighting its flexibility and modular design in addressing today's rapidly evolving threats. We were one of 13 industry partners invited to demonstrate - held at Wellington Barracks, just moments from Buckingham Palace, the event brought together Ambassadors and Defence Attachés for valuable discussion and engagement.

##### **ASMS Spectrum Management User Group Training – Eswatini**



A successful launch of TCI's Spectrum Management (ASMS) User Group training in Eswatini. Continued collaboration, sharing, and learning during this 5-day event diving deeper into spectrum management.

We commenced this fantastic event with a memorable evening at the beautiful Mandela Center, where everyone gathered to unwind and get to know each other in a relaxed setting.

##### **Julian Floyd – Retirement**

Julian Floyd, our UK Secure Systems and IT Manager, recently decided to take early retirement.

After 37 years with ECS and as the 2<sup>nd</sup> employee of the company, Julian made a real impact and played some significant roles within the business, with his final role being head of the IT Department.

We celebrated Julian's departure with a presentation and a meal to thank him for his valuable contributions and to wish him well for his retirement.

## New Product Development:

**Data Links** - ECS Connect – Soft Launched at DSEI '25 – Hard Launched at European Rotors - Nov '25, showcased at World Defense Show – Feb '26 and Security & Policing – Mar '26.

Will be showcased at upcoming events during the year.

Find out more at: [ECS Connect - SPX Communication Technologies](#)

## Industry Events & Engagement

Our teams continue to represent SPX Communication Technologies at local and key global events:

### February: World Defense Show – Riyadh, Saudi Arabia



Focusing on the evolving challenges and solutions in Counter-UAS technology - we showcased BLACKTALON C-UxS Ecosystem demonstrating how our C-UxS expertise could support defence and civilian domains in the Middle East. Also within Data Links, we showcased ECS Connect with a working demonstration model available to show visitors.

### March: Security & Policing, Farnborough



We showcased Data Links, focusing on ECS Connect, also BlackTalon Ecosystem – we demonstrated how we're helping security, intelligence, and law enforcement agencies maintain clarity and control in increasingly complex operational environments.

### March: AOC Maple Leaf, Canada – Electromagnetic Spectrum Operations (EMSO)



The AOC Maple Leaf Symposium offered an unmatched opportunity for professionals to share global research, exchange ideas, and collaborate on the future solutions of EMSO - Wayne Vella and Peter Savage attended and enjoyed a productive event showcasing our COMINT and C-UAS Solutions.

## Catch up on a Selection of Latest Press Releases/Publications:

- **Aerospace Innovations** – [ECS introduces intelligent data link network manager to the Middle East](#)
- **Border Security Report** – [Enterprise Control Systems Unveils Advanced Data Link Manager to Enhance Border Security in the Middle East](#)
- **Armada International** – [The mounting drone threat: safeguarding the Middle East’s critical infrastructure.](#)
- **Joint Forces** – [ECS to Showcase BLACKTALON at World Defense Show](#)
- **Aviation & Defence Universe** – [ECS introduces intelligent data link network manager to the middle east](#)
- **Aviation & Defence Universe** – [ECS showcases interoperable counter-UxS ecosystem as regional demand accelerates](#)
- **Soldier Modernisation** - [Volume 36 | SPX Communication Technologies | Next-generation COMINT for the modern battlespace](#)
- **Defense Here** - video interview with Graeme at WDS - <https://defensehere.com/en/ecs-develops-black-talon-counter-uxs-multi-domain-system/> - YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q-jqoJZKgsW>
- **RotorHub PodCast with Paul and Colin** - [S2: Ep.9 | Reiser's Advancements in Rotorcraft Training Technology](#)

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## Culture & Community

At TCI and ECS, our Events Committees have been busy creating opportunities for our teams to connect and recharge. From wellness programs to fun team-building activities, their efforts continue to enrich our culture of teamwork, creativity, and care, making SPX Communication Technologies an even better workplace.

Recent events include: **ECS** - Back Fresh Start Brunch, Random Acts of Kindness Week Combined with Happy Chinese New Year, Departmental Quiz and Easter Egg Hunt.

**TCI**: Holiday Celebration Event in January, Chili Cook-off Competition, Celebration of Spring – Egg Scavenger Hunt.



Find out more about our organisation’s current news and culture at: [SPX TCI](#) | [ECS](#) | [Linktree](#)

Thank you for reading the latest edition of *The Frequency*. We look forward to keeping you informed and connected as we continue to push the boundaries in our field of communication technology.

Catch up again soon!

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