

Navy Awards Ultra \$23.2M for Mk54 Lightweight Torpedoes



The Arleigh-Burke-class guided-missile destroyer USS Barry (DDG 52) conducts a live-fire exercise with a torpedo launcher while underway in the Philippine Sea. *U.S. NAVY / Mass Communication Specialist Seaman Justin Stack*

BRAINTREE, Mass. – Ultra Electronics Ocean Systems (d.b.a Ultra Naval Systems & Sensors), has been awarded a \$23.2 million fixed-price, cost-plus-fixed-fee and cost only modification to a previously awarded contract to exercise options for the production of Mk54 Mod 0 lightweight torpedo (LWT) array kits, associated production support material, spares and engineering and hardware support services, the company said in a Sept. 27 release.

This contract combines purchases for the U.S. government, and the governments of the Netherlands, Belgium, New Zealand, Spain, and Brazil under the Foreign Military Sales program. This is option year three of the Mk54 Mod 0 LWT array kits program to supply array nose assembly kits.

“As we continue to provide critical components of the MK54 lightweight torpedo, we understand the ongoing need to deliver reliable and effective undersea warfare capabilities to meet the anti-submarine warfare needs of U.S. and allied fleets,” said Martin Lewis, president of Naval Systems and Sensors.