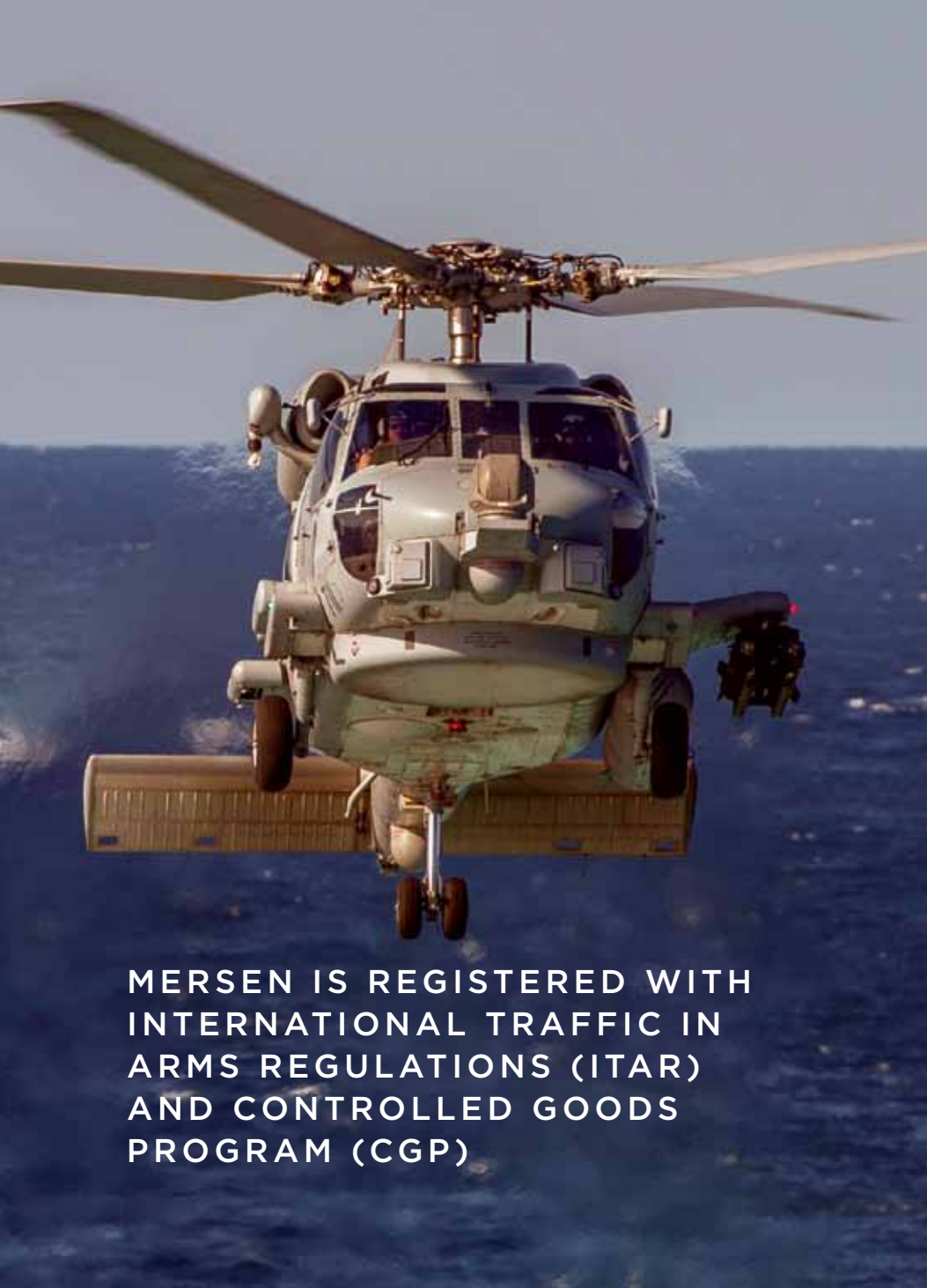




ITAR AND CGP



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Mersen's Rochester, NY plant is registered under the ITAR with the U.S. State Department's Directorate of Defense Trade Controls (DDTC) and our Mississauga, Ontario plant is registered with Canada's Controlled Goods Program.

The US Government requires all companies that manufacture or export defense articles, including technical data, and defense services from the United States to register with DDTC and to comply with the ITAR. Eligible Canadian companies may receive ITAR-controlled defense articles and services under the "Canadian Exemption" set forth in Section 126.5 of the ITAR if they are registered under the Controlled Good Program and the transaction meets the other requirements of Section 126.5. Registration in Canada's Controlled Goods Program (CGP) is required for all companies who possess or transfer controlled goods in Canada.

Controlled Goods Program

The Controlled Goods Program is the Government of Canada's domestic industrial security program that regulates the examination, possession, and transfer of controlled goods within Canada. Controlled goods are primarily defense articles that are considered to be of strategic significance or have national security implications to Canada (regardless of country of origin), including goods and technologies contained in the United States Munitions List (Part 121 of the U.S. International Traffic in Arms Regulations [ITAR]).



Registration with the CGP supports the U.S. provision of the Canadian Exemption (Part 126.5, page 540) under the US ITAR for the license-free transfer of some ITAR defense articles between Canada and the United States and among registrants of the Controlled Goods Program. Additionally, registration with the CGP meets the requirements of a 2011 US ITAR rule with respect

to the intra-company transfers of defense articles and services, as well as technical data, to dual- and third-country nationals.

Mersen's Rochester, NY plant manufactures laminated bus bar, a key component in many military systems:

- Mersen's laminated bus bars offer a variety of advantages for military use
- Superior electrical characteristics help military systems achieve maximum electrical performance and efficiency
- Mersen's laminated bus bars simplify field service which makes it easier to keep mission critical equipment up and running

Certain laminated bus bars manufactured for military systems may be subject to the ITAR.

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Mersen's Mississauga plant manufactures products for the cooling of power electronics:

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- Reduce design time while increasing the reliability of the final product

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