

## **Executive Biography**

## ERIC WEBSTER VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER, ENVIRONMENTAL SOLUTIONS, SPACE AND INTELLIGENCE SYSTEMS



Eric Webster is vice president and general manager, Environmental Solutions, of Harris Corporation's Space and Intelligence Systems segment. Space and Intelligence Systems offers complete earth observation, weather, geospatial, space protection and intelligence solutions from advanced sensors and payloads, ground processing, and information analytics.

Webster is responsible for the business unit strategy, financial performance and overall program execution. The Environmental Solutions portfolio includes the full range of ground, air and space remote sensing instruments and enterprise ground processing systems for U.S. Government and international customers, including a line of commercial offerings.

Previously, Webster was vice president and director of weather systems at Exelis Geospatial Systems. He oversaw the company's weather and climate satellite instrument business, which included instruments for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), and international customers. Earlier, at ITT Exelis, he worked in government relations and business development.

In addition to his private sector background, Webster has more than 20 years of budget, policy, legislative, and executive experience.

He was appointed director, Office of Legislative Affairs for NOAA by President George W. Bush in September 2005. He was NOAA's chief political strategist and negotiator with Congress, the White House and other departments on all legislative matters, as well as a senior policy adviser to the NOAA administrator on satellite programs.

Before joining the administration, Webster spent 12 years on Capitol Hill, including serving as the subcommittee staff director

for the House Science Subcommittee on Environment, Technology, and Standards.

He is a graduate of the Senior Managers in Government Program at Harvard University's John F. Kennedy School of Government. He received his masters of arts in European studies from Washington University in St. Louis, Missouri, and a bachelor of arts in European history from Hobart and William Smith Colleges in Geneva, New York.

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