



Astra Announces Launch Contract with Spire Global

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Data and analytics company manifested for launch

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Astra Space, Inc. ("Astra") (NASDAQ: ASTR), named Spire Global, Inc., as a holder of a launch contract, with plans to begin launching with Astra next spring.

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"Our platform requires regular and reliable access to space," said Robert Sproles, Senior Director, Constellation Planning and Operations at Spire Global Inc. "Astra's dedicated launch service will provide the flexibility to deliver our satellites to the specific orbits they require, on our schedule."

Spire Global is a leading provider of space-based data and analytics that offers unique datasets and powerful insights about Earth from the ultimate vantage point so organizations can make decisions with confidence, accuracy, and speed. Spire uses one of the world's largest multi-purpose satellite constellations to source hard to acquire, valuable data and enriches it with predictive solutions. Spire then provides this data as a subscription to organizations around the world so they can improve business operations, decrease their environmental footprint, deploy resources for growth and competitive advantage, and mitigate risk.

"Astra was founded with the vision to create a healthier and more connected planet, and we couldn't be more excited to partner with Spire whose mission and values are so closely aligned with our own," said Chris Kemp, Founder, Chairman, and CEO of Astra.

About Astra Space, Inc.

Astra's mission is to improve life on Earth from space by creating a healthier and more connected planet. Astra's first flight to space was within 4 years of its inception, making it the fastest company to reach space. Visit www.astra.com to learn more about Astra.

About Spire Global, Inc.

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