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#2 in the Aerospace & Defense Sector

"We are very proud of Alex P. Hamilton and the recognition by the street that he is in fact one of the best on the street. We expect his insight into the Aerospace & Defense sector to continue to benefit our clients for years to come," commented Alexander Montano, President of C. K. Cooper & Company. "This award recognizes the insightful research advice our team of analysts bring to our clients day in and day out and we look forward to further recognition in the future."

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