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PICOSUN'S SUNALE™ ALD REACTORS TO THREE LEADING AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES

BOSTON, USA – June 3, 2008 - At the 2008 NSTI Nanotechnology Conference and Trade Show held in Boston, Massachusetts, Finnish Atomic Layer Deposition (ALD) reactor manufacturer Picosun Oy today announced three new orders for its flagship SUNALE™ R-series Advanced ALD research reactors from three leading U.S. universities.

"Picosun personnel possesses over 200 years of combined ALD experience. Company CTO Sven Lindfors has been designing ALD reactors continuously since 1975, and the actual inventor of the ALD method, Dr. Tuomo Suntola serves as Member of the Board of Directors of Picosun. With its unrivalled experience Picosun has been one of the best kept secrets of nanotechnology in recent years, but customer interest is now raising it to the forefront of the ALD explosion," says Dr. Charles L. Dezelah, General Manager of Picosun's U.S. operations.

"I am extremely happy of the speed with which Picosun's North American business has taken off," Charles Dezelah says. "Picosun's U.S. office was opened less than a year ago. We have already installed ALD equipment at several customer locations in the U.S. Names of our three new customers will be published once their reactors have been installed and approved for use."

About Picosun Oy

Picosun is an international ALD equipment manufacturer with world-wide sales and service. Picosun develops and manufactures ALD reactors for micro- and nanotechnology applications. Picosun represents continuity to over three decades of ALD reactor manufacturing in Finland. Picosun provides its customers with versatile, reliable and user-friendly ALD process tools, which offer unique scalability from research to production. Picosun is based in Espoo, Finland and has its U.S. headquarters in Detroit, Michigan. SUNALE™ ALD process tools are installed in various universities, research institutes and companies across Europe, USA and Asia. Doctor Tuomo Suntola, inventor of ALD technology is Member of the Board of Directors of Picosun. World's most experienced ALD reactor designer Sven Lindfors is Picosun's Chief Technology Officer and one of the founders of the company. Picosun is a part of Stephen Industries Inc Oy.

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