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**DIASONICS SIGNS MAGNETIC RESONANCE
LICENSING PACT WITH TOSHIBA**

Milpitas, Calif. (July 10, 1985) — Dasonics announced today a licensing and technology exchange agreement on its superconducting magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) technology with Toshiba for the production and sale of systems in Japan and Western Europe. Under the terms of the five-year agreement, Dasonics will help the enhancement and commercialization of Toshiba's superconducting MRI systems which will combine Dasonics and Toshiba MRI technology. Dasonics also will provide Toshiba with MRI systems on an original-equipment basis for sale in the United States and Canada. Albert S. Waxman, Dasonics' Chairman said, "We are pleased that Toshiba has concluded that Dasonics' MRI technology represents the leading edge in MRI."

Although financial terms were not disclosed, Dasonics' President and CEO, Stewart Carrell, stated, "We believe the agreement with Toshiba has the potential to enhance the profitability of Dasonics' MRI business over the next several years."

The agreement is subject to approval by both Japanese and United States authorities.

Diasonics is a worldwide leader in the manufacture and sale of MRI, ultrasound and mobile X-ray systems. Toshiba is one of the world's largest manufacturers of electric and electronic products, and a worldwide leader in the medical imaging area. Toshiba manufactures and sells diagnostic X-ray systems, CT scanners, MRI systems, nuclear medicine systems and ultrasound systems.

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