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Piconics, Incorporated receives supplier excellence award

Tyngsboro, Massachusetts, March 3, 2010 – Piconics, Incorporated was recognized for its quality and performance by Raytheon Integrated Defense Systems. Piconics, Inc. received a 4 star Supplier Excellence Award at a ceremony held on March 2, 2010.

Raytheon recognizes its suppliers based on three key factors: on-time delivery, sustained performance on quality and commitment to continuous process and quality improvement.

“Our products will provide an unprecedented level of technological capability for the programs we support within Raytheon Integrated Defense Systems,” said Piconics, Inc. General Manager Dan Merrill. “Ultimately, our products will help protect the brave men and women of the United States Military. It is imperative that our products perform as expected time and time again to assure the security and confidence of our countries war fighter. This is our most important task and our employees bring this concept to their job every day.”

Piconics, Inc. has been a supplier to Raytheon IDS since the early 1990’s where they have supported programs such as Firefighter and the Patriot Missile (both ground and missile platforms) with microelectronic inductor products.

Piconics, Inc. with 2009 sales of \$2.5 million is dedicated to serving its customers with high-tech components with the highest quality and fastest delivery at a fair price. Since its inception in 1963 Piconics, Inc. has provided their inductor products to Raytheon Company, L3 Communications, L3 Narda, BAE, Boeing and others, supporting the military, medical, and commercial markets.

The company employs 25 people at their facility located at 26 Cummings Road in Tyngsboro, Ma. U.S.A.