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FORTRESS TECHNOLOGY SHORTLISTED FOR COMPANY OF THE YEAR

Record 28 per cent increase in global sales prompts Food Processing Awards nomination

Further reinforcing its position as one of Europe's leading designers and manufacturers of high performance Phantom metal detection systems for the food industry, Fortress Technology (tel: 01295 256266; www.fortresstechnology.co.uk) is delighted to announce that it has been shortlisted for 'Company of the Year' in the 2010 Food Processing Awards. This latest accolade follows a record 28 per cent increase in global sales during the past 12 months.

"We are delighted to be nominated for this award," comments Sarah Ketchin, Managing Director at Fortress Technology. "The significant increase in sales has meant we've been able to grow our sales force, develop new products and expand our distributor network to include Eastern Europe, all of which provides a stable platform for future ambitious growth. This on-going success can be attributed to a flexible approach, unrivalled market knowledge and an in-depth understanding of our customers' businesses and inspection requirements.

Sarah continues: "It also lies in the quality of our products! Fortress metal detectors are future proof and easily upgradeable plus offer superior sensitivity and long term reliability. This allows our food processing and manufacturing customers to maximise throughput by reducing stoppages due to false or nuisance rejects and achieve an excellent return on investment."

Winners will be announced at a prestigious awards ceremony being held on 29 April 2010 at the Hinckley Island Hotel in Leicestershire - www.fponthenet.com.

Exceptionally reliable yet easy to operate and maintain, Fortress Phantom metal detectors utilise the latest Digital Signal Processing (DSP) technology to ensure complete product integrity, the systems offer superior accuracy and speed.

Available in a wide range of aperture sizes, the machines come in a selection of construction options including painted aluminium, stainless steel and BSH (IP69K certified).

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Established in the UK since 1999, Fortress offers an extensive range of metal detectors to a variety of industries including food, pharmaceutical, lumber, plastics and textiles. As well as supplying a series of standard machines, the company is capable of developing systems to suit non-standard applications.

Fortress is backed by skilled in-house design, technical and consultancy teams, a growing distributor network and pan European customer service and support. The company offers high quality spare parts, flexible warranty packages, training, product testing and rental units.

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