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## **Sensors Unlimited Nominated for DARPA Tech Award 2005**

**July 19, 2005 – Princeton, NJ – Sensors Unlimited, Inc. (SUI)**, leading manufacturer of shortwave infrared (SWIR) sensors, near-infrared (NIR) imaging systems and indium gallium arsenide (InGaAs) detector technology, has been nominated as part of a team for the **2005 Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA) “Significant Technical Achievement” Award**. The Significant Technical Achievement award nomination is one of five categories that will be honored during DARPA Tech 2005 (<http://www.darpa.mil/darpatech2005/>) in Anaheim, California in August, 2005. DARPA recognizes individuals and organizations that have made outstanding contributions in helping DARPA succeed at its mission to “Bridge the Gap” between fundamental discoveries and their military uses.

The nominated team at Sensors Unlimited is headed by Dr. Martin H. Ettenberg, director of imaging products, and includes Timothy Bakker, Michael Blessinger, Dr. Robert M. Brubaker, Vincent Burzi, Michael Bush, Eric Dziekonski, Joseph Groppe, Kenneth Loesser and Tom Sudol.

Dr. Ettenberg notes, “It is my pleasure to work with this extraordinary team of creative and talented engineers and scientists. Their combined efforts are responsible for improving camera performance and extending the sensitivity of our high resolution InGaAs imaging devices. Sensors Unlimited’s growing expertise in shortwave infrared imaging (SWIR) is driving the technology into new markets with exciting and diverse applications. We are delighted to be recognized for our contribution in SWIR imaging and are proud to be nominated for this prestigious award by the Information Exploitation Office of DARPA.”

The five DARPA Tech 2005 nomination categories are Sustained Excellence by a Government Agent, Sustained Excellence by a Performer, Significant Technical Achievement, Small Business Innovation Research Award and Director’s Award for Outstanding Personal Accomplishment. All nominees will be honored at the Awards Banquet at the Marriott Anaheim Hotel in Anaheim, California on August 10, 2005.

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**Sensors Unlimited, Inc. (SUI)**, founded in 1991 to pioneer design and production of near-infrared detectors, is the world leader in indium gallium arsenide (InGaAs) imaging technology. With in-house capabilities, Sensors Unlimited manufactures advanced infrared cameras, short-wave infrared and near-IR focal plane arrays and revolutionary high speed PIN and avalanche photodiodes. Their proprietary foundry and expertise delivers reliable, high performance products for a variety of critical military, security, industrial, commercial and telecommunications industries. Applications include covert surveillance, machine vision, night vision, health and safety protocols, historical art inspection and more. Please visit [www.sensorsinc.com](http://www.sensorsinc.com) for more information.