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Digirad Named One of Top 50 Fastest Growing Technology Companies in San Diego

SAN DIEGO, CA, August 5, 2003—Digirad Corporation, the innovation leader in solid-state gamma camera technology and the premier nuclear imaging services provider, announced today its selection for the 2003 San Diego Technology Fast 50, hosted by Deloitte & Touche. In conjunction with this recognition, Digirad announced the shipment of its 250th solid-state, nuclear gamma camera system. The award and shipment milestones coincide with the release of Digirad's Solidium™ detector, the Company's latest technology employing third generation solid-state detectors.

"I am very pleased with the Digirad's growth as well as the technology innovation achievements we have accomplished," said David Sheehan, President and CEO, Digirad. "While other companies continue to offer outdated Anger technology, Digirad is offering imaging systems with its third generation solid-state detector technology. Our new Solidium detectors open the door to other exciting innovation opportunities for Digirad and the nuclear cardiology market."

The company's achievement and overall ranking in the San Diego Technology Fast 50 will be recognized in September at this year's awards ceremony held at the Hyatt Regency in La Jolla on September 17, 2003. In addition to this recognition, Digirad has been nominated for consideration in the Technology Fast 500 that honors the fastest growing U.S. technology companies.

About Digirad

Digirad Corporation, a privately held company, develops, manufactures and markets solid-state, digital gamma cameras to hospitals, imaging centers and physician offices. Digirad offers a comprehensive line of solid-state nuclear gamma cameras that can be used for the detection of many medical conditions including cardiovascular disease. These high performance cameras produce outstanding image quality, and due to their light weight and compact design, fit easily into small office spaces.

Digirad Imaging Solutions, a wholly owned subsidiary of Digirad Corporation, provides mobile turnkey, in-office services for physicians who want to perform nuclear cardiology procedures, but do not have the patient volume, capital, expertise or personnel to justify purchasing a system. Both Digirad Corporation and Digirad Imaging Solutions are headquartered in San Diego. For more information, please visit www.digirad.com.

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