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Press release –2009 sales

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Bezons, France, January 13th, 2010 – 5.45 pm – RIBER, the global leader for molecular beam epitaxy (MBE), announces annual sales of € 17.3 million, of which € 7.8 million in respect of the 4th quarter. Riber confirms its guidance for a full-year net profit over 2009.

| € millions | 2009 | 2008 | % change |
|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| Research systems | 10.1 | 8.1 | +26% |
| Production systems | 0 | 5.2 | |
| Services and accessories | 4.8 | 3.7 | +30% |
| Cells and sources | 2.4 | 2.3 | +6% |
| TOTAL | 17.3 | 19.2 | (10%) |

Research machine sales reached a historic level of € 10.1 million, compared to € 8.1 million in 2008. The delivery of 14 MBE machines dedicated to research centers (against 13 machines sold in 2008) partly offset the lack of production system sales in the context of economic crisis.

The components and services division continued to expand and reported record sales of € 4.8 million, an increase of 30% compared to 2008. This development was driven in particular by the integration of VG Semicon's business, acquired at the end of 2008.

Cell and evaporation sources sales (up 6% compared to 2008) proved resilient to the crisis due to new markets, including OLED cells which achieved sales of € 1 million in 2009.

RIBER's 2009 sales were broken down between Europe (45%), Asia (41%), and North America (14%).

Confirmed return to profitability in 2009

Riber confirms its guidance for a net profit over the full financial year, combined with an improved cash position. Due to the significant progress made over the last financial year (products diversification, development of after-sales activities, higher productivity and product quality, and better cost control), Riber has sound bases that should enable it to continue growing in 2010.

The 2009 annual results will be released on March 25th 2010 (after close of trading).

About RIBER:

Riber designs and produces molecular beam epitaxy (MBE) systems as well as evaporation sources and cells for the semi-conductor industry. This high-technology equipment is essential for the manufacture of compound semi-conductor materials and new materials that are used in numerous consumer applications such as new Information Technologies, OLED flat screens and the new generation of solar cells.

Riber SA's shares are listed in Compartment "C" of the Euronext Paris Stock Exchange and are a component of the CAC IT index.

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Riber has been awarded the OSEO innovation certification, enabling it to qualify for FCPIs (French high-tech mutual funds).

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