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RASIRC NAMED WINNER OF TECHAMERICA HIGH TECH AWARD

SAN DIEGO, Calif., October 28, 2010 – [RASIRC](#), the steam purification company, announced today that it has been selected as a winner in the category of Semiconductors, Industrial and Analytical Instrumentation for the [2010 TechAmerica High Tech Awards](#). In its seventeenth year, the annual awards program celebrates excellence in the region's technology industry and honors outstanding companies for their technological or business innovation; exceptional products or service; product marketplace validation; perseverance in the face of adversity; and community involvement. RASIRC's ultra high purity steam generation and delivery technology was recognized for its innovation and market potential.

"We are pleased to be recognized by TechAmerica for both innovation and market credibility," said Jeffrey Spiegelman, RASIRC President. "We have developed the first commercially accepted steam purification technology, which is used to improve solar cell efficiency, semiconductor line width shrinks, and carbon nanotube structures. Our steamers, humidifiers and humidification systems incorporate patented processes for water vapor control, delivery and purification. With triple digit CAGR over the last 5 years, we believe the market has spoken positively about our products."

RASIRC technology delivers ultra high purity water vapor to manufacturing processes at a wide range of flow rates from micrograms to kilograms per minute. Steam is created from de-ionized water. This eliminates explosive and expensive hydrogen and oxygen, delivering high purity water vapor at a lower cost than all other technologies presently in use. RASIRC customers are leaders in semiconductor, photovoltaics and other manufacturing industries.

"The strength of applications TechAmerica received this year made for a solid competition, and selecting winners was no small feat," said Kevin Carroll, executive director for TechAmerica San Diego.

“RASIRC is being honored in the Semiconductors, Industrial and Analytical Instrumentation category not only for its innovative contributions, but because we believe its steam purification technology exemplifies key development in the technology industry.”

The 2010 TechAmerica High Tech Awards were sponsored by [Barney & Barney](#), [CBRE](#), [Deloitte](#), [Formula](#), [Procopio](#), [Silicon Valley Bank](#), [SMS Technologies](#), [TLC Staffing](#), and [United Healthcare](#).

About RASIRC

[RASIRC](#) products purify and deliver ultra-pure liquids and gases. RASIRC technology is the first to generate ultra-high-purity (UHP) steam from de-ionized water. It reduces cost, increases yield, and improves safety. RASIRC dryers, [humidifiers](#), and [steam generators](#) are of critical importance for many applications in the semiconductor, pharmaceutical, medical, biological, fuel cell, and power industries. Custom systems are available upon request. Call +1-858-259-1220, e-mail info@rasirc.com, or visit www.rasirc.com.

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