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**INTERPHASE TECHNOLOGIES WINS SPECIAL EXPORT AWARD
FROM UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT**

SOQUEL, CALIF. -- Interphase Technologies, Inc., a Silicon Valley-based manufacturer of forward scanning sonar and navigation electronics for the marine market, recently received a special Export **Achievement** Award from the **United States** Department of Commerce.

The award was presented by California Congressman Sam Farr and Mark Weaver of the Department of Commerce, in honor of Interphase Technologies' expanding global business. Interphase Technologies has introduced innovative marine products, such as the Probe, Side Scan and Twin Scope LCD sonar systems that allow navigators to see fish, the sea bottom or underwater hazards well ahead of the vessel. In addition, the company's line of Chart Master GPS/chart plotters have been engineered to provide professional quality navigation and electronic charting capabilities in a product that is priced right and sized right for a range of boats.

Over the past several years, demand for these products has grown exponentially in many corners of the globe. Interphase Technologies has steadily increased its market share and built an expanding business in key markets such as China, **Japan, Australia,** Germany, France, **Finland, Norway** and Russia.

Charles Hicks, president and founder of the 17-year-old company, accepted this honor at a special luncheon in Monterey, California. "The worldwide boating market has been an important focus of our company for years," said Hicks. "We will continue to engineer and manufacture products that meet the needs of both the U.S. and global boating industry, and aggressively market these products around the world," added Hicks.

For more information about Interphase Technologies full line of marine electronics available worldwide, contact: Interphase Technologies, Inc., 2880 Research Park #140, Soquel, CA 95073 USA. Telephone (831) 477-4944. Or visit the company's website at www.interphase-tech.com.