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**DILAS Industrial Laser Systems
Announces Sales Staff Appointment**

Mainz, Germany, October 1, 2009 – DILAS Industrial Laser Systems, a manufacturer of high-performance industrial laser systems, announces today that Steffen Reinl has joined the DILAS Industrial Laser Systems sales team. He will be responsible for the sales support of all sales channels for DILAS Industrial Laser Systems.

Mr. Reinl brings with him a proven laser materials processing track record of 12 years and industry insights that will prove beneficial to the company. He obtained a Master's Degree in mechanical engineering in 1997 from the University of Applied Studies in Darmstadt, Germany, specializing in materials processing with diode lasers. Mr. Reinl started his career at DILAS Diodenlaser GmbH where he was in charge of the applications laboratory.

In 2001, Mr. Reinl co-founded Optotools GmbH, a manufacturer of semiconductor industrial lasers, and was responsible for product management as well as sales and marketing for a wide range of industrial applications. Since 2003 he focused on laser materials processing, primarily in welding of plastics.

“Steffen Reinl brings extensive expertise in the field of materials processing with diode lasers,” says Dr. Marcel Marchiano, president and CEO of DILAS Diodenlaser GmbH. “With a solid reputation and technical experience; he is a great asset not only to us, but to our customers as well.”

About DILAS Industrial Laser Systems

DILAS Industrial Laser Systems, a division of DILAS Diodenlaser GmbH, delivers reliable solutions for high-performance industrial laser systems in a wide range of output powers and wavelengths, including fiber-coupled, direct beam or line source solutions for an increasing number of industrial applications. Visit www.dilas-ils.com to learn more.

About DILAS

DILAS, the diode laser company, is focused on delivering the most innovative technologies and advanced product solutions in the industry. Founded in 1994 in Mainz, Germany, with operations in North America and Asia, DILAS designs, develops and manufactures quality high-power, high-brightness semiconductor laser components, modules and systems, including fiber-coupled products for worldwide distribution. For more information about DILAS, including product updates, visit the company's website at www.dilas.com.

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