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## Press Release

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### **Subsea 7 Chooses BlueView for new AIV Acoustic Imaging Systems**

Seattle, Washington, July 16, 2010 – Subsea 7, one of the world's leading subsea engineering and construction companies has chosen BlueView Technologies to provide an acoustic imaging system for its new line of Autonomous Inspection Vehicles (AIVs). Under this agreement, BlueView will deliver both forward looking navigation and tracking sonar as well as ultra-high resolution MicroBathymetry sonar for three dimensional tracking and mapping of pipelines.

Jim Jamieson, Subsea 7 AIV project team leader commented, "BlueView's extensive experience with ROV and AUV acoustic imaging systems and their demonstrated ability to quickly deliver exactly the solution we need were important factors in our decision."

"The deployment of autonomous systems is growing within the offshore oil and gas industry and BlueView is uniquely poised to meet the new challenges. We are very excited to be selected by Subsea 7, and their AIV project dovetails nicely with our current ultra deepwater systems development. BlueView is focused on delivering next-generation acoustic inspection capabilities for pipelines and subsea structures centered around our laser-like acoustic MicroBathymetry systems" said Lee Thompson, BlueView Technologies CEO/CTO.

BlueView is the leader in 2D imaging and 3D scanning sonar technology with more than 450 installed systems worldwide. BlueView Technologies' advanced sonar systems are currently deployed on AUVs, ROVs, surface vessels, fixed positions, and portable platforms, and have been adopted by leading manufacturers and service providers to support mission critical operations. BlueView customers enjoy a low cost of ownership with reliable operation, exceptional service, in-person training, extensive online information, and worldwide after-sale support.

#### ABOUT BLUEVIEW TECHNOLOGIES

BlueView Technologies, Inc. provides state-of-the-art compact imaging sonar solutions for navy, offshore oil & gas, offshore and inshore engineering, department of transportation and port security applications worldwide. Visit [www.blueview.com](http://www.blueview.com).

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#### ABOUT SUBSEA 7

Subsea 7 is one of the world's leading subsea engineering and construction companies. With a focus on the deepwater subsea umbilical, riser and flowline markets in Africa, Asia Pacific, Brazil, and the Gulf of Mexico, we also retain a leading role in the North Sea. Subsea 7 is respected globally for project management and engineering capability and excellent project execution, while retaining a strong focus on safety.