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## **Fujifilm Highlights Saber Series of Violet Laser CTP Devices** *Demand Growing for Violet Technology*

**VALHALLA, N.Y. (Oct. 15, 2006)** – FUJIFILM Graphic Systems USA, Inc. will highlight the the full line of the company’s Saber violet laser computer-to-plate systems during this year’s Graph Expo, being held at McCormick Place Convention Center in Chicago on Oct. 15-18.

The Saber series of platesetters, which includes the Vx-9600, the V-6, the V-6e and the new V-8, takes advantage of Fujifilm’s patented, GATF award-winning multi-laser imaging technology and offers unprecedented speed and productivity. At 37 four-page plates per hour at 2,400 dpi, the Saber Vx-9600 device is the world’s fastest platesetter in its class. In addition, the multi-laser system is upgradeable on-site and features built-in redundancy in an effort to minimize downtime and maximize throughput. The Saber V-6 is an affordable, yet high-quality option for customer implementing CTP capabilities for the first time and is capable of outputting 35 four-page plates per hour at 1,200 dpi.

“Because the Saber is so fast, we can complete jobs a lot faster than some of our competitors,” boasts George Emmanuel, president of Chromatech Printing in St. Petersburg, Fla. “I’m running 37 plates per hour and my closest competitor is only running 20. So, if our customers want to make a change, we can accommodate that and can output a new plate in five minutes. It’s so fast; my pressmen are *never* waiting for plates.”

The media used with the Saber series requires only yellow safelight handling and supports web, half-web and sheetfed presses with their portrait and landscape plate loading options. The Saber series devices utilize a 60 mw, 405 nm violet laser diode in a one- or two-laser configuration and image on Fujifilm's high-speed Brillia LP-NV photopolymer plate, which will hold halftone dots ranging from 2% to 98% at 200 lpi, and is rated to last up to 200,000 impressions.

These Saber devices are also capable of imaging up to eight resolutions – from 1,200 to 3,657 dpi – and is compatible with Fujifilm's Co-Res screening technology, giving users enhanced quality and productivity, depending on their needs from job to job. Flexible and upgradeable, the Saber series can keep up with increasing production requirements.

“One of the advantages of the Saber is that the device can grow to accommodate the growth of our business,” adds Emmanuel. If we buy an additional press, we won't have to buy a new CTP device. At 37 plates per hour, the Saber's going to be able to supply both presses with no problem.”

For more information on the full line of Fujifilm Saber violet laser platesetters, please visit FUJIFILM Graphic Systems USA, Inc. at Booth #4205 throughout Graph Expo 2006 or visit them online at [www.fujifilmgs.com](http://www.fujifilmgs.com).

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