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DNP's DS620A[™] Photo Printer Honored with Professional Photographer Magazine's 2016 Hot Ones Award

CONCORD, North Carolina — DNP Imagingcomm America Corporation's flagship DS620A dyesublimation photo printer today was officially selected to *Professional Photographer* magazine's 17th annual Hot Ones Awards. The awards showcase the professional photography industry's top products and services from the past year. The competition is one of the largest and most respected in the industry with hundreds of submissions each year and winners are selected by a panel of professional photographers.

"The Hot Ones Awards are given to the best products and services available for professional photographers to simplify their workflows and become more efficient and creative," said Katsuyuki Oshima, President of DNP Imagingcomm America Corporation. "The DS620A represents our continued commitment to providing the professional photography market with the most reliable and cost-effective printing solutions. We are truly honored the DS620A dye-sublimation printer is the top choice among working pros for their on-site photo printing needs."

DNP's DS620A is the world's most compact professional-grade photo printer. At only 10.8-inches wide by 14.4-inches deep by 6.7-inches high, the small footprint allows for easy transportation and stacking with additional printers for high output functionality making it the ideal companion of photographers searching for mobility, speed, and volume.

The DS620A is capable of producing 2"x6"(2-up) photo strips, 2"x6"(4-up) photo strips, 3.5"x5"(2x), 4"x6", 4"x6"(2x), 5"x7", and 6"x8" prints as well as new 5"x5" and 6"x6" square prints in a newly improved gloss or matte finish. Not only is the printer versatile, but it also boasts a 14 percent increase in image throughput per hour for some of the fastest print speeds available—standard 4"x6" images are produced in less than nine seconds, while 5"x7"s are printed in about 15 seconds.

For more information on *Professional Photographer* magazine's Hot Ones Awards, please visit: <u>http://www.ppmag.com/gallery/hot-one-2016-picks</u>

For additional information on DNP's professional photo printing solutions, please visit: <u>www.dnpphoto.com</u>

About Imagingcomm America Corporation (IAM)

IAM is a 100 percent U.S. subsidiary of Dai Nippon Printing Co., Ltd. (DNP) – the world's largest manufacturer of dye-sublimation media for photo printers and thermal transfer ribbons and barcode printers.

DNP Imagingcomm America Corporation has the broadest selection of solutions for the photo retail market and products designed to address retailer's specific business goals and objectives— backed by the quality and reliability today's customers expect. Manufacturing, sales and development offices of dye-sublimation media for photo printers is located in Concord, N.C., and more information is available at www.dnpimagingcomm.com.

About DNP

Imaging Communications Operations is one of many of DNP's operations. Over 25 years ago, DNP was one of the first organizations to pioneer dye-sublimation media -- and the oldest company to start business development in thermal transfer ribbons. DNP has since grown to be the world's largest manufacturer of dye-sublimation media and thermal transfer ribbons.

DNP group is also the world's largest diversified printing/coating technologies company. At its 71 production plants, both in Japan and overseas, DNP's operations include commercial printing, packaging, decorative materials, electronics, business forms and information media supplies. DNP is a global corporation with \$15.4 billion* in annual revenue. For more information, please visit www.dnp.co.jp/eng

* At the rate of ¥94 = U.S. \$1

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