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The Lidar Company™

Engefoto Purchases an Optech ALTM Gemini

Toronto, Canada – Optech Incorporated, the world's leading manufacturer of advanced lidar survey instruments, is very pleased to announce that Engefoto Engenharia e Aerolevantamentos S.A. of Curitiba, Parana, Brazil, has purchased an ALTM Gemini airborne lidar mapper. One of Brazil's largest and most renowned aerial mapping companies, the firm has been in business for 30 years and currently employs more than 200 people.

Until recently, Engefoto concentrated on providing superior photogrammetric products to their customers, as a leading firm in the industry. With the acquisition of the ALTM Gemini, Engefoto becomes a powerful force in the remote sensing industry in South America.

The ALTM Gemini incorporates the industry's only fully-automated Continuous Multipulse (CMP™) technology system, enabling data collection at twice the altitude of conventional single-pulse systems.

"We are delighted to be working with this prestigious Brazilian surveying firm," said Wayne Szameitat, Optech's International Sales Manager. "Like Optech, they are leaders in their field and we look forward to many years of collaboration not only in helping to keep Engefoto successful, but also in the development of lidar technology."

"At Engefoto, we are pleased to add a Gemini lidar system to our inventory," said Renato Asinelli Filho, Technical Director. "We are confident that it will drastically improve efficiency and the quality of our cartographic and remote sensing products."



**ALTM GEMINI - High-Altitude,
Wide Area Mapping System**



About Optech Incorporated

Optech is the world leader in the development, manufacture and support of advanced laser-based survey instruments. We offer client-driven lidar solutions in airborne terrestrial mapping, airborne laser bathymetry, laser imaging, mine cavity monitoring and industrial process control, as well as space-qualified sensors for orbital operations and planetary exploration.

About Engefoto

Founded in 1980, Engefoto provides services in Geomatics and Transportation Engineering, including Topographic and Geodetic Surveys, Aerial Surveys, Technical Inventory, Cartography, Remote Sensing, Consulting and Road Surveys.

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