

## **Fonix Logs Nearly Ten Million e-Dictionary and Cell Phone Units Sold through Asian OEMs**

*Voice Recognition, Text-to-Speech and Voice Compression Technologies Featured in Casio, Canon, Seiko and Inventec Besta Products*

**LINDON, UT (October 13, 2009)** – Fonix Speech, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Fonix Corporation (OTC BB: FNXC) specializing in embedded speech interfaces for mobile devices, handheld electronic products, video game systems and processors, today announced that nearly ten million electronic dictionaries and cell phones equipped with Fonix technology have been sold through Asia’s largest OEMs internationally.

The e-dictionaries—handheld electronic dictionaries that enable users to speak a word in their native language and have the text read back to them in English—span well-known brands like Casio, Canon, Inventec Besta, Seiko, Brilliant Systems, Topgrade and more. Fonix implements either text-to-speech, voice recognition, voice compression or a combination of these technologies in the devices, all of which are available in Asian markets like China, Korea, Taiwan and Japan.

By far the longest running and most successful items, Casio e-dictionary devices have logged more than 4.9 million units sold in Japan, Korea and China. The Casio line of e-dictionaries consist of 140 different models and feature Fonix text-to-speech and voice compression technologies.

Additionally, Casio Information Systems develops software for Casio and Hitachi cell phones, which are equipped with Fonix text-to-speech technology. Phones with Fonix software have sold nearly 4.6 million units in Japan through Japan’s major mobile carrier, au/ KDDI.

“Sales numbers are expanding and market penetration is impressive, but even more exciting for Fonix is the major success in limited markets and the potential for products like these to expand across the world,” said D. Lynn Shepherd, Senior VP Engineering and Product Development for Fonix. “Capturing market success in Asia provides leverage with our OEM partners for additional global expansion. The numbers should serve as a validation for our investors and clients of the effectiveness, quality and numerous applications for Fonix technologies.”

### ***About Fonix:***

*Fonix Corporation (OTC BB: FNXC), based in Lindon, Utah, currently operates through its wholly owned subsidiaries, Fonix Speech, Inc., and Shanghai Gaozhi Software Systems Limited. Fonix Speech is an innovative speech recognition and text-to-speech technology company providing voice solutions for mobile/wireless devices, interactive video games, toys and appliances, computer telephony systems, the assistive market, and*

*automotive telematics. Fonix Speech also provides developers and manufacturers with cost-effective speech solutions to enhance devices and systems.*

*Shanghai Gaozhi Software Systems Limited (“GaozhiSoft”), based in Shanghai, China, is a leading provider of OSS (Operation Support System) and related software solutions to Chinese mobile network service providers. Founded in 2003, GaozhiSoft software is integrated and widely used in 2G and fixed line networks. In 2008, GaozhiSoft expanded its strategy to include operations as a value-added service provider in the 3G mobile network in China and throughout the Asia Pacific region.*

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