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BASi Receives a Patent for Empis Automated Drug Infusion System

(April 8, 2009; WEST LAFAYETTE, IN) – BASi is proud to announce the awarding of a new patent for their Empis™ device and method for hands-off low-stress drug delivery to animals. Part of the Culex® family of modular, software-linked products, **Empis Automated Drug Infusion System** is an automated dosing device that can be used alone or in conjunction with the Culex Automated *In Vivo* Sampling System.

Empis can be used in several capacities including drug delivery, perfusion device, and automated bile collection. Empis utilizes a fluid subsystem with a switching device to deliver multiple drugs to an animal without causing contamination. The fluid subsystem includes disposable syringes, fluid reservoirs, disposable tubing and a catheter. Using multiple disposable syringes, the device allows a user to deliver multiple drugs to an animal through a catheter without contaminating the switching devices that control the flow of fluid.

BASi leads the industry as an innovator in specialized instrumentation and accessories for electrochemical analysis and *in vivo* sampling. Trusted in both industry and academia, BASi's intelligent design, thoughtful engineering and meticulous manufacturing result in products of the highest possible quality.

About BASi

BASi provides contract research services (**preclinical, bioanalytical, method development, pharmaceutical analysis**) and specialized instrumentation and accessories for **electrochemistry** and ***in vivo* sampling products** to the world's leading drug development companies. The company focuses on developing innovative services and products that increase efficiency and reduce the cost of taking new drugs to market. Visit www.BASInc.com for more information about BASi.

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