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New FutureVideo MC-20PRO II **Professional Multi-Purpose Jog/Shuttle Controller**

1st June 2009, Laguna Niguel, CA—Device control pioneer FutureVideo Products, Inc. announces the latest addition to its Media Commander® jog/shuttle controller range, the new MC-20PRO II.

Drawing upon two and a half decades of professional device control technology, FutureVideo developed its new MC-20PRO II to be the most technologically advanced and versatile controller in the company's history. A logical evolution of FutureVideo's well-respected Media Commander range, the new MC-20PRO II combines RS-422A device control and the functions of a media control surface in a *single*, cost-effective, tactile controller.

FutureVideo includes its innovative KeyAssigner™ software with the MC-20PRO II. KeyAssigner enables user key mapping for the 23 assignable keys and Jog/Shuttle dials. Up to 180 commands or functions can be assigned to the unit's 16 key sets, which are accessible in 4 distinct operating modes. Key assignments are retained in the controller's flash memory, and hence can be pre-programmed for the user's application. KeyAssigner runs under Windows 2000/XP on either a PC or a Mac with a compatible virtual machine environment. As with all MC-20 series models, jog and shuttle dynamics can be configured to the user's preference.

Pre-printed label templates are provided for leading NLE systems including Apple's Final Cut Studio/Final Cut Express, Adobe Premiere, Canopus Edius, Sony Vegas, and others. For those that want to create their own key set labels, FutureVideo provides blank labels and MS Word document template files for several types of applications, which can be customized with fonts and colors of the user's choosing.

According to FutureVideo's Stephen Godfrey, *"We've always sought to provide optimal functionality, performance and affordability. With a USA suggested list price of only \$699.00, today's work-a-day pros have never had more control power and flexibility at such a modest cost. And, the MC-20PRO II is virtually obsolescence-proof. Whether the user chooses it to provide RS-422A serial remote control of DVRs/VTRs/ATRs or efficient tactile control of NLE or Digital Asset Management systems, this one model quite literally does it all. Moreover, it provides system integrators a virtual 'one-size-fits-all' solution."*

Members of the press interested in obtaining a loaner unit for editorial review are invited to contact FutureVideo.

FutureVideo has been awarded several US patents and its products have earned the respect of end-users and OEM customers alike for innovation, superior performance, and affordability. The company has been based in Orange County, California since its founding in 1986.

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