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BRICK HOUSE VIDEO'S COMPACT CALLISTO A PERFECT FIT FOR SAT-COMM'S LATEST SNG VAN

Owslebury, Hampshire UK (April 24, 2006) – Designed for maximum functionality in tight quarters, Brick House Video's Callisto - a full broadcast specification SDI/composite switcher - has been selected by Sat-Comm to furnish its latest compact Cygnus van with powerful switching features. Sat-Comm, an innovative satellite and broadcast systems integrator located in Mildenhall, UK, specialises in flight-cased and vehicle borne SNG systems.

Despite its diminutive size, Cygnus operates at the level of much larger vehicle. A member of the Company's Galaxy range of Digital Satellite News Gathering (DSNG) fleet, Cygnus is the ideal immediate response van for breaking news. With car-like handling Cygnus easily navigates city streets and can be transmitting live pictures within minutes of its arrival. It features an incredibly compact SNG solution including a fully redundant uplink system. Sat-Comm will benefit from Callisto's small footprint as the perfect sized vision mixer for Cygnus's comprehensive baseband system.

A full featured yet low cost 8-input SDI switcher with analogue composite and DSK options all in 1RU, Callisto is a broadcast specification (SMPTE-259M), 8-input, 270Mbit video switcher and DSK designed for studio, edit suite and transmission applications. Callisto can handle fully asynchronous (unlocked) in a mixed signal format (SDI and analogue) environment.

The programme and preview outputs are simultaneously available as both SDI and analogue composite with 10-bit processing throughout. The SDI and analogue sources are also available as monitoring outputs along with “clean feed” (pre-DSK). The incoming sources can be fully unlocked as Callisto features dual channel framestore synchronizers. Callisto will operate in stand-alone mode, or may be genlocked to an external reference.

About Brick House Video Ltd.

Brick House Video Ltd. is a broadcast video design and manufacturing company based in the South of England. The Company specializes in the manufacture of compact and cost-effective equipment for production and post-production including analogue and digital switchers, standards conversion, time code logging equipment and VTR controllers.

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