## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE CATI Training Systems Completes FSXXI CH-47F OFT X-IG® 4.1 Upgrades

Ozark, AL., June 24, 2019 - CATI Training Systems (CATI), a leader in innovative Image Generator and Simulation Solutions, was contracted by L3 Link Training and Simulation to supply X-IG® Image Generator for a fourth CH-47F OFT Chinook Operational Flight Trainer (OFT) and upgrade of all three existing U.S. Army's Flight School XXI (FSXXI) CH-47F OFT devices from X-IG® 3.3 to X-IG® 4.1. The CH-47F OFT4, was accepted and ready for training (RFT) by the U.S. Army in December of 2018. CATI's latest X-IG® Image Generator includes up-to-date industry technologies, significant performance improvements and the addition of an expanded library of content to include: more realistic blowing dust, weather effects, models, and vegetation options. The existing CH-47F OFT devices entered service this spring at the Warrior Hall facility in Daleville, AL. FSXXI was started in 2004 and trains as many as 1600 new student pilots per year.

## **About CATI Training Systems**

CATI Training Systems, headquartered in Ozark, AL, was initially incorporated in 1992 as Carmel Applied Technologies, Inc. CATI entered the competitive visual system providers market in 1997 with an OpenGL® Silicon Graphics Incorporated (SGI) based image generator, X-IG®. CATI Training Systems continues to provide engineering services and products for government, commercial, and civilian organizations around the world.

Today, CATI's image generator solutions and UAS Training devices are all PC-based. CATI's image generators are specifically designed around industry-standard OpenGL®, a high-performance graphics Application Programming Interface (API), and OpenFlight®, the 3D standard format for the visual simulation industry. The open design of X-IG® and X-Gen®, run on 100% Commercial-Off-the-Shelf (COTS) PC-based hardware and software. This allows us to offer high-performance, versatile capabilities for various types of training, testing, and experimentation. X-IG® and its suite of associated tools and programs offer superior image fidelity, realism, and ease of integration with most simulation systems.

Every system **CATI** delivers provides unmatched ease of use, open architecture, COTS tools, and flexible interface options as well as low acquisition, overhead, and life cycle support costs.

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