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## **Fujirebio Diagnostics, Inc. Promotes Michael Koch to Vice President of Operations**

**Malvern, Pennsylvania**—Fujirebio Diagnostics Inc. (FDI), a world leader in *in vitro* diagnostics, has promoted Michael Koch to vice president of operations. Koch, an industry veteran with more than 30 years of experience, previously held the position of director of materials and manufacturing at FDI.

In his new role, Koch, will oversee FDI's manufacturing operations, facilities management and information technology infrastructure. He is directly responsible for meeting profit and loss goals for the division, Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regulations and good manufacturing practices.

FDI president and COO Paul Touhey says, "Mike is the ideal choice for this position. His extensive industry experience and proven track record in manufacturing and operations management will help us to maintain the quality and reliability of our products, which are considered the 'gold standard' in the industry."

Koch, who has been with FDI since 1986, has held a number of leadership positions with the company including manufacturing manager and materials manager, where he was responsible for multi-million dollar budgets, and leading several key initiatives to increase FDI's efficiency and profitability.

Prior to FDI, Koch worked with Delmed, Inc. of Freehold, New Jersey, overseeing the production of devices for the management of end stage renal disease dialysis patients. He also worked for nearly a decade in various manufacturing management positions for Johnson & Johnson.

Koch is certified in production and inventory management by the American



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Production and Inventory Control Society (APICS). He resides in Downingtown, Pennsylvania.

### **About FDI**

Fujirebio Diagnostics, Inc. (FDI) is a premier diagnostics company and the industry leader in tumor marker assays specializing in the clinical development, manufacturing and commercialization of *in vitro* diagnostic products for the management of human disease states with an emphasis in oncology. The company, formerly known as Centocor Diagnostics, was acquired by Fujirebio, Inc. of Tokyo, Japan in November 1998. FDI utilizes its worldwide distribution network to enable access by physicians and patients to its diagnostic products. For more information on FDI, please call 610-240-3800 or visit [www.fdi.com](http://www.fdi.com).

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