



Ocean Power Technologies Provides Operational Update on Global Deployments and Infrastructure Development

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MONROE TOWNSHIP, N.J., Feb. 23, 2026 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- **Ocean Power Technologies, Inc. ("OPT" or "the Company") (NYSE American: OPTT)** today provided an operational update highlighting continued global deployments and progress on its offshore autonomy infrastructure roadmap.

The Company has shipped a WAM-V[®], autonomous surface vehicle to Greece to support ongoing customer operations and field activity in the region. This deployment expands OPT's international operational footprint and reflects continued engagement across defense and commercial maritime markets.

In parallel, OPT has transitioned its integrated docking and charging program from prototype to a full-scale build, including autonomous docking and redeployment.

The Company has placed orders for components to support system integration and open-water validation as it advances toward its first early access commercial solution targeted for launch in 2026. This capability is designed to enable autonomous systems to dock, recharge, and redeploy in support of persistent offshore operations and as part of a future maritime recharging network.

OPT has also continued to advance its autonomous navigation and control capabilities through its collaboration with Mythos AI. Recent progress has strengthened perception, decision-making, and autonomous functionality required for reliable, repeatable maritime operations in dynamic environments.

"Our focus remains on disciplined execution across deployments, government programs, and infrastructure development," said Philipp Stratmann, Chief Executive Officer of Ocean Power Technologies. "We are advancing the core capabilities required to support scalable, persistent maritime autonomy for defense and commercial customers."

For more information about Ocean Power Technologies, please visit www.OceanPowerTechnologies.com.

ABOUT OCEAN POWER TECHNOLOGIES

OPT provides intelligent maritime solutions and services that enable safer, cleaner, and more productive ocean operations for the defense and security, oil and gas, science and research, and offshore wind markets, including Merrows™, which provides AI-capable seamless integration of Maritime Domain Awareness Systems across platforms. Our PowerBuoy[®] platforms provide clean and reliable electric power and real-time data communications for remote maritime and subsea applications. We also provide WAM-V[®] unmanned surface vehicles (USV's) and marine robotics services. The Company's headquarters is located in Monroe Township, New Jersey and has an additional office in Richmond, California. To learn more, visit www.OceanPowerTechnologies.com.

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