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ST. JOHNS COUNTY SELECTS BENCHMARK AS THEIR NEW COURT CASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Pioneer Technology Group (PTG) today announced that after an extensive review process by St. Johns County court and information technology personnel that Benchmark was chosen over all other systems reviewed by the St. Johns selection team. The process was both lengthy and complete as case management systems available in the market today were analyzed.

*"We have seen a tremendous amount of interest in **Benchmark** since we began showing it to Florida's Clerks last year,"* said Steve Rumsey President of **PTG**. *"It is gratifying for us to know that we have developed a tool that will enable County Clerks to streamline processes and realize efficiencies, as caseloads continue to increase,"* Mr. Rumsey continued.

Benchmark is unique blend of Web tools and Client Server processes developed using Microsoft's .Net platform and Microsoft SQL 2005. The system incorporates document imaging, improved workflows, and in-court processing techniques that Harold Bazzel, Clerk of the Court in Bay County Florida, expects will allow his county to absorb 20% to 25% more volume without additional staffing.

Benchmark is surprisingly simple to use with a consistent look and feel to all aspects of the system. *"This system was designed to be easy to implement and easy to use. It doesn't matter with which module you are working, they look and operate in a similar fashion, facilitating ease of training."* stated Chris Stewart, Executive Vice President, Pioneer Technology Group.

Pioneer Technology Group is a software developer and supplier of goods and services to county governments and the private sector. The company is headquartered in Sanford, Florida, and offers a variety of software solutions and services, including court systems, tax systems, Value Adjustment Board systems, content management systems and a back file conversion services bureau for customers transitioning from paper to image storage.



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