

## **STI Acquires The Lemberger Company to Provide More Schools With its Suite of Web-based Products**

*STI expands its customer base in Missouri through acquisition of school software provider*

MOBILE, ALA. (Aug. 9, 2006) – Software Technology, Inc. (STI), the nation’s leading provider of education data management solutions for the K-12 market, today announced the acquisition of The Lemberger Company (LEMCO), a premier provider of school administrative software exclusively serving schools in Missouri.

Through its acquisition of The Lemberger Company, STI has increased its market share in the K-12 education industry, and it now serves more than 6,000 schools in 28 states.

Founded in 1979 by Robert Lemberger in Vienna, Mo., The Lemberger Company has developed school administration software that is used in more than 60 percent of the schools in Missouri. The company has offered a student information system, fund accounting and payroll software, a complete food service software system that is used for administering district-wide breakfast and lunch service, and a state standards-based assessment program as well as a number of other related software products. The Lemberger Company customer base consists of 230 student information system customers, 391 financial management software customers, and 196 food service software customers.

Following today’s announcement, customers of The Lemberger Company have access to the STI education data management suite. STI offers an integrated suite of web-based products that address virtually all education data processes, including student information, assessment, special education, professional development, and financial management.

“LEMCO has shown a history of high-quality software development, and they are among the best companies in the industry when it comes to customer satisfaction,” said Rob Fiance, CEO of STI. “This is a great opportunity for LEMCO customers to migrate to our next-generation data management products to enhance their ability to track and measure education quality and proficiency across the district.”

STI will continue to operate the office in Vienna, Mo. along with its regional offices in Illinois, Kentucky and California. Financial terms of the acquisition were not disclosed.

For more information, visit [www.sti-k12.com](http://www.sti-k12.com) or phone 800-844-0884.

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**About STI**

STI is a leading provider of *Education Data Management* solutions to the K-12 market. STI's fully integrated suite of products addresses attendance, scheduling, special education, assessment, discipline, grade reporting, professional development, fund accounting, health, and parent/teacher communications. More than 6,000 schools in 28 states use STI solutions. The company was founded in 1982 and is headquartered in Mobile, Ala. For more information, phone 800-844-0884 or visit [www.sti-k12.com](http://www.sti-k12.com).

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