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Benchmark Technology Group Adds Veteran Software Specialists, Bolsters Sales Staff

–Leading branch software, technology solutions provider positions for future growth, product development–

Alpharetta, Ga., Sept. 22, 2010 – [Benchmark Technology Group](#), a leading provider of [branch automation solutions](#) and [technology management services](#), announced the addition of veteran software specialists: Aaron Caffey, Michael Walker and Tom Roth; and seasoned account executives: Thomas Hook, Deborah Mogan and Lisa Thomas.

“While our customer base grows, we continue our commitment to maintain the highest levels of service, shorten response times and find new ways to increase efficiencies for financial institutions,” said Terry Shiver, president of Benchmark Technology Group. “These staff additions bring proven industry experience and expertise that enables Benchmark Technology Group to quickly respond to customer and market demands, characteristics that have distinguished our company as an industry leader for the past 25 years.”

Roth and Caffey are responsible for implementing and supporting Benchmark Technology Group’s branch software offerings that include: [Proof21™](#), a fully integrated teller capture application; [STeller®](#), a teller transaction processing application; [Compass™](#), a new account automation software; [BSA Navigator™](#), a compliance automation software; and [Corporate Capture21](#), a web-based merchant capture application. Walker is responsible for implementing and supporting Benchmark Technology Group’s cash dispenser and recycler middleware product, Cashware®.

Hook, Mogan and Thomas are responsible for building and maintaining Benchmark Technology Group’s existing relationships with more than 1500 financial institutions that utilize its software and hardware offerings and support services to automate branches, increase efficiency and ensure compliance. The newly added account executives comprise more than 45 years of combined sales experience across numerous market verticals.

Prior to joining Benchmark Technology Group, Roth was vice president of Sales for New York-based Navagate, a sales platform provider to the financial industry and was a financial services director for Alpharetta, Ga.-based Optio Software, a document technology solutions

provider. He joined Optio following his four-year tenure with Jersey City, N.J.-based Fundtech, a global transaction banking software provider, and Pottstown, Pa.-based Express Data Systems, a payroll processing company.

Previously, Walker was a business development manager for Alpharetta, Ga.-based Safe Systems, a financial IT and compliance services provider, and was appointed to the position after spending two years as a software engineer for the company. Prior to Safe Systems, Walker held account management roles with other financial technology vendors including Dayton, Ohio-based Teradata and Duluth, Ga.-based NCR Corp.

Caffey gained experience as a business development manager for Jacksonville, Fla.-based FIS before being promoted to strategic account executive for the global financial services and technology provider. Prior to FIS, Caffey held various sales management roles with McLean, Va.-based Network 1 Financial, a payment technology provider.

This announcement follows Benchmark Technology Group's recent nomination for [BankNews 2010 Innovative Solutions Award](#) as a result of its BSA Navigator compliance module.

About Benchmark Technology Group

Since 1985, Benchmark Technology Group has been a leading provider of branch technology and software solutions for financial institutions of all sizes. The company offers a complete line of branch automation products and services including teller printers, scanners, ATMs and cash handlers. In addition, Benchmark Technology Group provides web-based fulfillment services, device evaluation and consulting, equipment service and maintenance programs, along with Check 21 solutions. Benchmark Technology Group's systems design, integration, implementation and support services include customized and expanded offerings that are customer-centric and scalable.

Benchmark Technology Group is headquartered in Alpharetta, Georgia and has three additional offices throughout the United States. For more information, visit www.Benchmark-US.com or call 1-800-554-4582.

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