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## **News Release**

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### **SCI Announces *interLink* License Agreement**

**LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, May 18, 2004**--- Software Corporation International (SCI) announced today that CONIX Systems, Inc. has entered into a definitive agreement to license SCI's *interLink* software. This product is a robust middleware application that is designed to facilitate the integration of host and server applications by providing a facility to distribute and consolidate information, including text, data, reports, and images.

CONIX plans to closely integrate *interLink* into current and future CONIX applications. Frank Stokes, President, CONIX Technology Group, said "*interLink* will provide a critical communications path between mainframe computers and servers. With *interLink*, applications on the mainframe and the server can communicate seamlessly. The line between mainframes and servers is blurring, and we believe our customers don't want to be concerned with where an application is installed. Integration with *interLink* allows each customer to choose the platform that best fits its needs." Mr. Stokes added, "This agreement further solidifies our strategic partnership with SCI."

"In today's changing environment, timing is more critical than ever," said D. Keith Sides, Group Vice President, SCI. "Organizations of all sizes are discovering that they can maximize their effectiveness and respond to marketplace requirements like Check 21 by incorporating applications like *interLink* into their solution offerings." Mr. Sides continued, "The focus of SCI's software group is to develop applications and solutions that provide real value and deliver immediate results to our clients."

SCI will demonstrate *interLink* along with their other solutions in Las Vegas May 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> at this year's BAI TransPay 2004 Conference. For additional information on *interLink* or other SCI solutions and services, please contact SCI's Software Development Group at (800) 772-7044.

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## **About CONIX**

**CONIX Systems, Inc.** provides item processing solutions to financial institutions by combining high-performance software and related consulting, training, and implementation services. CONIX mainframe and server software offerings provide major banks with enhanced operational capabilities in sort pattern management, balancing, transit item processing, workflow control and evaluation, systems maintenance and testing, and electronic check processing for both paper and image environments. CONIX Systems, Inc. is headquartered in Manchester Center, Vermont, with sales, support, and development offices throughout the United States. CONIX can be reached at 800-332-1899 and at their website at [www.conix.com](http://www.conix.com).

## **About SCI**

**Software Corporation International (SCI)**, headquartered in Toledo, Ohio, and with offices in Buffalo, New York, Charlotte, North Carolina, and West Palm Beach, Florida, was incorporated in 1990. SCI's **Financial Services and Item Processing Group** is one of the world's largest and most experienced providers of CPCS and *image*CPCS expertise and solutions to the financial industry. The **eBusiness Solutions Group** provides professional services and solutions, cross-industry and cross-platform, for *forms processing; image, document, and content management; and business process automation (workflow)*. The **eGovernment Group** provides niche-based applications for municipalities and local government. SCI can be reached at 800-772-7044 or on the web at [www.sci-solutions.com](http://www.sci-solutions.com).