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## Software Testing Group to Specialize in Retail Lease / Loan Systems

( Irwin, PA ) XeC, an insourcing company created by original team members of LeaseTek, a developer of lease administration and accounting software from 1983 to 1998, announce the formation of the **Advanced Software Testing Group**. The group's focus is to test the complex systems created for finance companies and banks.

"The testing of **complex financial, tax and accounting** systems requires much more than typical error testing,' stated Michael Pochan, CEO of XeC. " To truly test the **usability** and **auditability** of such as system, you need a strategy, a plan, and people who understand the financial output of the system and daily operations."

XeC offers a '**Contextual Testing Strategy**', where the testing is done in the context of the people operating and managing the business. It also includes testing for the improvement or impedance of Workflow in the Business Processes. XeC's contextual approach includes the following techniques:

- Static and Dynamic Data Scripting
- **Workflow Hindrance** Index
- Usability Index by Class of User
- Application Life Cycle

In addition, the plan addresses fundamental test actions such as:

- 1) data regression of Operating Functions / Accounting / Taxation / Reporting / Extraction / Interfaces
- 2) attempts to foil Security and Crash Recovery
- 3) Functional / Unit / Integrated / System / Stress / Beta / pre-Live Pilot sequencing

"We worked closely with our customers to test, and we learned that **an independent view** is most unbiased. " offered John Voytko, President of XeC.

XeC's goal is to test systems that have passed basic error testing and specification matching, but were deemed unusable by the users, and offer the developers additional useful data on usability. XeC will test with an understanding of the industry and the daily business processes.

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XeC means 15 years of eXpErienCe in the vehicle and equipment finance industry serving 22 countries.

Insourcing is the placing of experienced people and / or teams into an organization for short or extended periods of time, to work side-by-side with internal people to complete specific projects.

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