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My Payment Network Awarded Coveted Payment Card Industry Certification Few Providers Serving K12 with Such Distinction

Pittsburgh, PA October 1, 2008 - My Payment Network, the leader in K12 electronic payments, has announced that has successfully been awarded compliance status with the Payment Card Industry-Data Security Standard (PCI DSS). The certification was achieved after an extensive independent audit of My Payment Network's operations and processes conducted by Trustwave, a leading internet security and audit firm from the PCI Security Standards Council.

The PCI DSS standard represents the best practices defined by VISA, Amex, MasterCard covering 12 industry-wide requirements for Security Management, policies, procedures, network architecture, software design and other critical protective measures, that service providers must adhere to in order to safeguard sensitive data. All level 1 providers must undergo an annual on-site PCI Data Security Assessment by an independent Qualified Security Assessor to retain compliance.

David Dunaway, President, My Payment Network, said, "Security is the first priority at My Payment Network. Being among the first electronic payment companies serving K12 to achieve the PCI DSS is a continued measure of our commitment to high data security and safety of the card holder data we access and process. The certification recognizes that My Payment Network's systems maintain the best practices and guidelines to protect sensitive cardholder data and minimize risk of financial losses."

About My Payment Network

My Payment Network, Inc. is the creator of The School Payment Network, K12's leading network of eCommerce solutions built specifically for schools, districts, and vendors that provide solutions via schools. The School Payment Network offers stand alone eCommerce solutions for public and independent schools, as well as solutions integrated into the administrative solutions today's leading schools already use. My Payment Network is based in Sausalito, CA. For more information, please visit either www.mypaynet.com or www.schoolpaymentnetwork.com