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GSI Group Announces Partnership With ArmyPaYS

Assumption, IL — November 3, 2008 — The GSI Group signed an agreement with the United States Army Partnership for Youth Success (PaYs) to allow GSI and its dealers to recruit disciplined, well trained soldiers for their workforce and to provide an excellent opportunity for soldiers to utilize the skills acquired in the Army after serving their country.

After approval from the Commanding General of the United States Army Recruiting Command, GSI Group and its dealers became the 282nd Army PaYs Partner, joining companies such as Caterpillar, John Deere, Pepsi, Sears, Union Pacific, and many others in recognizing the caliber of individuals serving their country in the United States Army and Army Reserves. Potential candidates from Army PaYs have been held to the high standards of the U.S. Army and possess an excellent work ethic making them valuable assets to any organization.

The Army utilizes the Army PaYs program as a recruitment tool, showing potential service men and women opportunities available to them after their military service. The caliber of companies giving priority consideration to Army PaYs soldiers help many solidify their decision to enlist. After recruits are screened by Army PaYs, based on their background, health, and test scores, they are provided a database containing opportunities forecasted by Partner companies and matching Army Military Occupational Specialties.

With over 36 years in the industry, GSI Group is a world-wide leader in the agricultural equipment manufacturing business. Specializing in grain storage, conditioning and material handling equipment, GSI also manufactures a full line of poultry and swine production equipment including feeding and watering systems, feed delivery and storage equipment, ventilation systems, heaters, and controllers. Founded on a commitment to excellence, GSI continues to build on its legacy with product innovation and dedication to providing complete system solutions that add value to each and every customer's business.

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