



## Development Partnership with LEAP Software:

DENVER, CO, February 26, 2007 – StructureWorks, LLC, an innovator in 3D modeling software for the precast concrete industry, announced that it has finalized a partnership agreement for design-software integration with LEAP Software, Inc. of Tampa, Florida. LEAP Software, Inc. is a pioneer in the development of innovative and powerful software solutions for the structural engineering community.

Terms of the agreement include the integration of LEAP Software's PRESTO® and AXSYS® applications with StructureWorks™ Precast. PRESTO, a program for the analysis and design of prestressed or mildly reinforced concrete beams, and AXSYS, a program for the analysis and design of reinforced, precast/prestressed multistory columns and wall panels, are two of the most mature and trusted solutions developed in accordance with ACI and CSA building codes.

Interoperability between the PRESTO and AXSYS programs and StructureWorks' 3D automated, parametric, modeling and design software application will be introduced to the engineering and design communities with the release of StructureWorks Precast 2008, scheduled for release in October / November 2007. This add-on functionality represents an enhancement to an already powerful application that helps users decrease design costs, reduce risk, increase productivity, and improve their competitive position. The integration of these dynamic software tools further meets the initial objectives outlined by the Precast Concrete Software Consortium (PCSC).

"We are proud to offer this value-added resource to the design and engineering communities," said Jason Lien, president of StructureWorks. "Our software packages work in concert to make design more efficient; it was only natural to pursue this relationship as our companies strive to enhance design and engineering within the precast concrete community."

Built on the proven SolidWorks® 3D mechanical design platform, StructureWorks Precast facilitates the development of building projects by synchronizing and automating all drawing types, bills of material, and engineering content. StructureWorks Precast is designed to be used by engineered-product manufacturers for a wide variety of applications: structural, architectural, utility, site-cast, precast, or prestressed.

LEAP Software is the leading provider of analysis and design applications for the precast/prestressed concrete industry. LEAP applications are frequently acknowledged for their intuitive, user-friendly interfaces, but their true strength is actually their rapid and accurate design functionality. Extensive design options provide users with flexibility that is unrivaled. LEAP's product development team takes a proactive role in maintaining codes in the applications ensuring that designs are compliant with the latest specifications.

"LEAP Software is founded on the development of technologically advanced solutions for the structural engineering community. Given our intimate knowledge of the Precast industry, we instinctively saw the possibilities that BIM solutions offered the North American Precast Industry several years ago and became actively involved in the creation and implementation of BIM for Precast during its infancy," explains Lee Tanase, President & CEO of LEAP Software. "StructureWorks' BIM solution **IS** Precast in



the same way that LEAP **IS** Design & Analysis. The union of StructureWorks and LEAP as an integrated complete solution is a natural progression in the evolution of technology tools for precast. It has always been our objective to provide our users, both present and future, with unparalleled solutions designed to increase their efficiency. By integrating with StructureWorks, a fellow pioneer in technology development, we are preparing an efficient and accurate system, ready to meet the needs of all precast users."

### ***About LEAP Software, Inc.***

LEAP Software, Inc. has pioneered the development of innovative and powerful software solutions for the structural engineering community since 1984. LEAP has achieved success by providing dynamic products through rapid adaptation, a customer-first attitude and unprecedented technical support for over 20 years. LEAP Software, Inc. is based in Tampa, FL.

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### ***About StructureWorks, LLC***

StructureWorks, LLC has been an innovator in three-dimensional, automated, parametric engineering/modeling software for the precast/prestressed concrete industry. Founded and managed by precast industry experts, StructureWorks has become the industry name associated with 3D modeling in the manufactured-concrete marketplace. StructureWorks, LLC is based in Denver, Colorado. For more information, visit [www.structureworks.net](http://www.structureworks.net). StructureWorks is a trademark of StructureWorks, LLC

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