PRODUCT CHANGE NOTICE

PART NUMBER(S):	PCN No.: 06-0130-18
Please see attachment.	DATE: January 30, 2006
PART DESCRIPTION:	
Power Management and Interface Products – Change in Wafer Fabrication Site	
LEVEL OF CHANGE:	
[X] Level I, Customer Approval.	[] Level II, Customer Information.
PRODUCT ATTRIBUTE AFFECTED:	
 [] Material Change [] Design Change [X] Process Change [X] Other, Explain: Wafer Fabrication S 	 [] Data Sheet Change [] Package Change [] Packing / Shipping ite Transfer
DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE:	
Announcing transfer of certain Power Management and Interface Products from Hillview wafer fabrication facility to wafer foundry Silan. See attached Product List no. 18.	
REASON FOR CHANGE:	
Power Management and Interface products as listed are being transferred to external wafer foundry, due to cessation of operations of the Sipex Hillview Wafer Fabrication manufacturing site.	
	CODUCT CHARACTERIZATION COMPLETED AND MPLES* AVAILABLE (DATE): August 8, 2006

* Samples representative of product from the Product Family being transferred.

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EARLIEST DATE OF PRODUCTION SHIPMENTS: November 30, 2006

EFFECTIVITY CHANGE DATE OR DATE CODE: Work week associated with earliest production shipment.

[] STANDARD DISTRIBUTION

[X] CUSTOM DISTRIBUTION

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List 18

SP486CN SP486CN-L SP486CP SP486CP-L SP486EP SP486EP-L **SP487CN** SP487CN-L SP487CP SP487CP-L SP487EP SP487EP-L **SP486CS** SP486CS-L **SP486CT** SP486CT-L **SP486ES** SP486ES-L **SP486ET** SP486ET-L **SP487CS** SP487CS-L **SP487CT** SP487CT-L **SP487ES** SP487ES-L **SP487ET** SP487ET-L

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