PART NUMBER(S): DX184511

PCN No.: 11-0427-01A

DATE: May 16, 2011

PART DESCRIPTION:
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LEVEL OF CHANGE:

[X] Level I, Customer Approval. [ ] Level II, Customer Information.

PRODUCT ATTRIBUTE AFFECTED:

[ ] Material Change [ ] Data Sheet Change
[ ] Design Change [ ] Package Change
[X] Process Change [ ] Packing / Shipping

[X] Other, Explain: Addition of two new PCB vendors.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPOSED CHANGE:

In addition to the current PCB vendor, two new suppliers will be qualified for the DX1800 series of cards, Hitachi Chemical and Viasystems.

In parallel, 820x series chip wafer fabrication process, Global Foundries 65nm, has gone through minor changes including NMOS Pocket Implant dose and also to add carbon.

Traceability will be maintained through a unique card revision scheme contained in the on-board EEPROM.

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The change has no cost impact.

REASON FOR CHANGE:

To improve process controls for the 820x series chip, and capacity enhancement for the cards.

DATE OF SAMPLES AVAILABLE: June 2011

DATE OF QUALIFICATION COMPLETED: June 2011
PRODUCT CHANGE NOTICE

ESTIMATED CHANGE DATE OR DATE CODE: September 2011

SUPPORTING DATA: Reliability qualification

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