

6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on August 3, 2001 (66 FR 40727).

The last notification was filed with the Department on July 2, 2003. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on August 4, 2003 (68 FR 45854).

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—The National Center for Manufacturing Sciences, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that, on October 15, 2003, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), The National Center for Manufacturing Sciences, Inc. has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership status. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Anaautics, Inc., Oklahoma City, OK; BCT Technology, Inc., Willstaett, GERMANY; Cohesia Corporation, Mason, OH; Collins & Aikman Corporation, Troy, MI; FIATECH, Austin, TX; Fidelis Security Systems, Inc., Bethesda, MD; Henkel Electronic, Conductive Die Attach Division, City of Industry, CA; PPG Industries, Cleveland, OH and Siemens AG, Orlando, FL have been added as parties to this venture.

The following companies have resigned or had their membership in NCMS terminated: Impact Engineering, Jackson, MI; Industrial Technology Centre, Winnipeg, Manitoba, CANADA; and Motorsoft, Lebanon, OH.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and The National Center for Manufacturing Sciences, Inc. intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On February 20, 1987, The National Center for Manufacturing Sciences, Inc.

filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on March 17, 1987 (52 FR 8375).

The last notification was filed with the Department on July 30, 2003. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on August 15, 2003 (68 FR 48941).

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—National Shipbuilding Research Program

Notice is hereby given that, on October 9, 2003, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Advanced Technology Institute has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in the project status of the National Shipbuilding Research Program ("NSRP"). The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, the general area of planned activity of the NSRP is to establish collaborative research efforts of limited duration to manage and focus national shipbuilding research and development funding on technologies that will reduce the cost of warships to the Navy, and establish U.S. international shipbuilding competitiveness. This includes the assessment of product design and material technologies, and provides a collaborative forum to improve business and acquisition processes. In addition to the member shipyards, some research and development work under the collaboration's charter may include the participation of other companies, universities and government personnel.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and Advanced Technology Institute intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On March 13, 1998, Advanced Technology Institute filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act of January 29, 1999 (64 FR 4708).

The last notification was filed with the Department on September 12, 2003. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on October 6, 2003 (68 FR 57709).

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Optical Internetworking Forum

Notice is hereby given that, on October 14, 2003, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Optical Internetworking Forum has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership status. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Analogix Semiconductor, Santa Clara, CA; Circadian Systems, Allentown, PA; Civcom, Petah-Tikva, ISRAEL; Diablo Technologies, Gatineau, Quebec, CANADA; Ibsiden, Gifu, JAPAN; KeyEye Communication, Sacramento, CA; Lambda Optical Systems, Holmdel, NJ; Quellan, Atlanta, GA; Foxconn, Harrisburg, PA; China Academy of Telecommunication Research, Beijing, PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA; Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA; and University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH have been added as parties to this venture.

Also, Interintelligence, Torrance, CA; Movaz Networks, McLean, VA; Network Elements, Beaverton, OR; Philips Semiconductors, Eindhoven, THE NETHERLANDS; Sierra Monolithics, Redono Beach, CA; Spirent, Honolulu, HI; STMicroelectronics, Nepean, Ontario, CANADA; Teradian Networks, San Jose, CA; T-Networks, Allentown, PA; Transpectrum, Los Angeles, CA; Tsunami Photonics, Dun Laoghaire,