

lithography, environmental safety and health, standards, and equipment productivity improvement team projects and manufacturing methods. Also, the nature and objectives of the venture are to perform and sponsor research and development of standards, facilities, software, processes, materials and equipment for advanced semiconductor manufacturing for the benefit of its members and for the industry as a whole. This work is done in conjunction with its members; suppliers of equipment, materials, services and software to the industry; universities; research laboratories and institutes; and government agencies and laboratories. International SEMATECH also sponsors workshops and conferences among industry, academia and government on technical and business challenges facing the semiconductor industry and facilitates the preparation and publication of the International Technology Roadmap for Semiconductors. International SEMATECH further conducts and sponsors efforts to make business processes in the industry more efficient, including creating models of the cost of owning and operating semiconductor equipment and facilities and analysis of larger economic trends in the industry. International SEMATECH provides various services, including wafer processing services, to companies in the industry, including equipment and materials suppliers, to help them research and develop advanced facilities, equipment and materials more quickly and efficiently.

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 International SEMATECH intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On April 22, 1988, SEMATECH, 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 May 19, 1988 (53 FR 17987).

The last notification was filed with the Department on February 9, 1998. A notice has not yet been published in the **Federal Register**.

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Language Systems, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that, on March 23, 2001, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Language Systems, 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, the prior joint venture member, Eloquent Technology Inc., Ithaca, NY has been acquired by Speechworks International, Inc., Boston, MA, and has been replaced by Speechworks International, Inc. as a party to this venture.

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 Language Systems, Inc. intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On March 16, 1999, Language Systems, 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 October 1, 1999 (64 FR 53416).

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Rotorcraft Industry Technology Association, Inc. ("RITA")

Notice is hereby given that, on March 22, 2001, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Rotorcraft Industry Technology Association, Inc. ("RITA") has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership and product status. The

notifications were filed for the purposes of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Kaman Aerospace Corporation, Bloomfield, CT has been added as a Supporting Member of this venture; and The Mississippi State University Research and Technology Corporation, Mississippi State, MS has been added as an Associate Member. Also, RITA's joint research and development projects undertaken in cooperation with NASA, DoD/Army/Navy, and the FAA, are subject to a new Funded Cooperative Agreement, effective January 1, 2001. In addition, RITA's Intellectual Property Rights Provisions have been amended, effective February 1, 2001.

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 RITA intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On September 28, 1995, RITA 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 April 3, 1996 (61 FR 14817).

The last notification was filed with the Department on August 8, 2000. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on September 26, 2000 (65 FR 57843).

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—SEMATECH, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that, on February 9, 1998, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), SEMATECH, Inc. ("SEMATECH") 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, Lucent Technologies,