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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

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

Notice is hereby given that, on July 26, 2006, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), National Center for Manufacturing Sciences, Inc. ("NCMS") has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. 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, BiODE, Inc., Westbrook, ME; Cor-Met Inc., Brighton, MI; Decagon Devices, Inc., Pullman, WA; The Euclid Chemical Company, Cleveland, OH; Freudenberg-NOK General Partnership, Plymouth, MI; GKN Aerospace, Tallassee, AL; Midwest Thermal Spray, Farmington Hills, MI; and Smiths Detection-Danbury, Danbury, CT have been added as parties to this venture. Also, CGTech, Irvine, CA; Detroit Tool & Engineering Division, Vernon Hills, IL; DIT-MCO International, Kansas City, MO; ESSibuy.com, Inc., St. Louis, MO; and Materials & Manufacturing Ontario, Mississauga, Ontario, Canada have withdrawn as parties to this venture.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 NCMS intends to file additional written

notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On February 20, 1987, NCMS 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 of Justice on May 3, 2006. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on May 31, 2006 (71 FR 30960).

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—VSI Alliance

Notice is hereby given that, on July 20, 2006, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), VSI Alliance has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. 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, HDL Design House, Belgrade, Serbia and Montenegro; Mitre Corp., Bedford, MA; chip Estimate Corp., Cupertino, CA; and IP Servicing Centre, Hong Kong Science Park, Shatin, Hong Kong-China have been added as parties to this venture.

Also, Samsung Electronics Co., LTD., Yongin City, Republic of Korea; Beach Solutions, Reading, United Kingdom; Taiwan SoC Consortium, Chutung Hsinchu, Taiwan; and Artec Design Group, Tallinn, Estonia have withdrawn as parties to this venture.

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

On November 29, 1996, VSI Alliance 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 4, 1997 (62 FR 9812).

The last notification was filed with the Department on February 28, 2006. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on March 23, 2006 (71 FR 14721).

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Office of the Secretary

#### Submission for OMB Review: Comment Request

August 9, 2006.

The Department of Labor (DOL) has submitted the following public information collection request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. chapter 35). A copy of this ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by contacting Darrin King on 202-693-4129 (this is not a toll-free number) or e-mail: [king.darrin@dol.gov](mailto:king.darrin@dol.gov).

Comments should be sent to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for the Employment Standards Administration (ESA), Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503, 202-395-7316 (this is not a toll-free number), within 30 days from the date of this publication in the **Federal Register**.

The OMB is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology,