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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—American Society of Health-System Pharmacists

Notice is hereby given that, on September 9, 2004, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), American Society of Health-System Pharmacists ("ASHP") has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing (1) the name and principal place of business of the standards development organization and (2) the nature and scope of its standards development activities. The notifications were filed for the purpose of invoking Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances.

Pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act, the name and principal place of business of the standards development organization is: American Society of Health-System Pharmacists, Bethesda, MD. The nature and scope of ASHP's standards development activities are: The publication of guidance documents of varying scope that provide ongoing advice to pharmacy practitioners and health-systems to improve the medication use process, patient care and safety, and patient outcomes and quality of life.

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—United States Adopted Names Council

Notice is hereby given that, on September 17, 2004, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), United States Adopted Names Council ("USAN") on behalf of itself and its sponsors has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing (1) the name and principal place of business of the standards development organization and (2) the nature and scope of its standards development activities. The notifications were filed for the purpose of invoking the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances.

Pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act, the name and principal place of business of the standards development organization is: United States Adopted Names Council, Chicago, IL. The nature and scope of USAN's standards development activities are: The development of standards for simple and unique nonproprietary names for drugs by establishing logical nomenclature classifications based on pharmacological and/or chemical relationships. The USAN is sponsored by the American Medical Association, the American Pharmacists Association, and United States Pharmacopeia. USAN works closely with the World Health Organization International Nonproprietary Name Committee (INN) and various national nomenclature groups to develop global standardization and unification of drug nomenclature and related rules to ensure that drug information is communicated accurately and unambiguously.

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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 January 19, 2005, 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 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, Agere Systems, Inc., Allentown, PA; ARC International PLC, Nashua, NH; CNRS-Centre National De Recherche Scientifique, Paris, France; ControlNet, Inc., Campbell, CA; Design and Reuse, Grenoble, France; eSilicon Corp., Sunnyvale, CA; Fraunhofer IPMS, Dresden, Germany; HCL Technologies Indian Pvt., Ltd., Chennai, India; ITRI-Industrial Technology Research Institute, Hsinchu, Taiwan; Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, CA; Macronix International Company, Ltd., Hsinchu, Taiwan; M-Techno Structure IT-Solution GMBH, Vienna, Austria; Morpho Technologies, Irvine, CA; NewLogic Technologies AG, Lustenau, Austria; Renesas Technology Corporation, Tokyo, Japan; Sanyo LSI Technology, India Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore, India; SilTerra Malaysia Sdu. Bhd., Sunnyvale, CA; Synchronicity, Inc., Marlboro, MA; TaraCom Integrated Products, Sunnyvale, CA; Tower Semiconductor, Ltd., Migdal Haemek, Israel; VCX, Limited, Livingston, Scotland, United Kingdom; WIS Technologies, San Jose, CA; and Signal Technologies, AG Unterhaching, Germany 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 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).