

**PHILIPS SEMICONDUCTORS**  
**PRODUCT DISCONTINUATION NOTICE NUMBER DN-42**  
**Dated December 31, 1999**

**EXHIBIT C**

**CLARIFICATION ABOUT PREVIOUSLY DISCONTINUED PRODUCTS**

This Exhibit "C" to Philips' Product Discontinuation Notice Number DN-42 contains clarification to, additional information about, or reinstatement (re-activation) of Philips Semiconductors previously discontinued products, included a special listing of Philips CoolRunner CPLD part types that were sold and transferred to Xilinx Inc. in August 1999.

**A. PHILIPS SALE OF CPLD COOLRUNNER PRODUCT LINE TO XILINX**

Effective August 1999, Philips Semiconductors sold its CPLD CoolRunner product line to Xilinx Inc., San Jose, California. As part of this technology agreement, Philips gave notice of this product transfer on August 2, 1999 to its known CoolRunner customers, distributors and the marketplace. This notice contained Philips' limited final CoolRunner sales terms and conditions during the transfer of these CPLD products to Xilinx CoolRunner product line. For your additional information, the below referenced listing contains the CPLD part types that were part of this Philips-Xilinx agreement. Customers who now wish to purchase these former Philips' CoolRunner products should contact Xilinx through its web-site at: "<http://www.xilinx.com>".

For additional copies of Philips' August 2, 1999 CoolRunner product line sales and technology transfer letter should: email "craig.ash@philips.com" or fax him at 408-991-2004 (c/o Philips' Contracts-Legal Department, Sunnyvale, California).

**The CoolRunner parts are on file: "Exh. C – Att:1"**  
see [http://www.semiconductors.com/acrobat/other/eol/dn42exhc\\_cpld.pdf](http://www.semiconductors.com/acrobat/other/eol/dn42exhc_cpld.pdf)

**B. RE-ACTIVATED PART TYPES:**

The following part types were listed on a previous Philips Semiconductors' Discontinued Product Notice. However, Philips' product line management has now elected to continue to manufacture and supply these products instead of discontinuing them ("re-activation").

**The list of re-activated parts are on file: "Exh. C – Att:2"**  
see [http://www.semiconductors.com/acrobat/other/eol/dn42exhc\\_reactivate.pdf](http://www.semiconductors.com/acrobat/other/eol/dn42exhc_reactivate.pdf)

**C. CLARIFICATION OF DISCONTINUED LOGIC BURN-IN PARTS ON  
PRODUCT DISCONTINUATION NOTICE NUMBER DN-41.**

A number of Philips' logic burn-in parts were contained in Philips' Product Discontinuation Notice Number D-41 dated June 30, 1999. While these part types were correctly noted as "burn-in only version discontinued" in the part type description or comments sections of the notice, the part numbers themselves failed to include the "B" part number suffix to the part package type to indicate "burn-in". As a result, there has been confusion as to the actual part number being discontinued where the part data information only is viewed. As an example, DN-41 shows "74HC244N (burned in version only discontinued)". The correct part number should correctly show "74HC244N-**B** (burn-in only version discontinued)".

Philips previously gave notice of this clarification through its public EOL web-site located at (<http://www.philips.semiconductors.com/products/eol>) and other publications. However, we are hereby listing the correct logic burn-in products for additional communication to customers, distributors and the marketplace. Philips did not discontinue the basic version of these logic products, only the burn-in version. For any additional information concerning these products contact: Mr. Cliff Lloyd, Philips IPM Logic Group, Sunnyvale California at "cliff.lloyd@philips.com" or fax him at 408-991-2268.

**The listing of the affected logic burn-in parts are on file: "Exh. C – Att:3"**

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