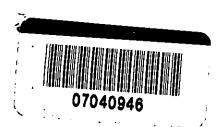
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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM D

NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES
PURSUANT TO REGULATION D,
SECTION 4(6), AND/OR
UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION

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Name of Offering	(check if thi	s is an amendment and name has changed,	, and indicate change.)	
	Convertible Senior No	otes due 2011 and Convertible Senior	Notes due 2013	MAIL
Filing Under (Check	box(es) that apply):	☐ Rule 504 ☐ Rule 505 🗵	Rule 506 Section 4(6)	E ULON
Type of Filing:	New Filing	☐ Amendment	11.4	CENED S
		A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION	ON DATA 🔁 📆	188
1. Enter the informati	ion requested about the	issuer		8 200 18
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	Cadence Design Sys	tems, Inc.	1,75%	3
Address of Executive	Offices	(Number and Street, City, State, Zip C	ode) Telephone Number (I	icleding Area Code)
2655 Seely Avenue	e, Building 5, San Jo	se, CA 95134	1 (40	08) 943-1234
Address of Principal	Business Operations	(Number and Street, City, State, Zip C	Code) Telephone Number (I	ncluding/Area Code)
(if different from Exe	ecutive Offices)			•/
Brief Description of I	Business		'	
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Type of Business Org	vanization			JAN 2 2 2007
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	_	_	other (please speci	fv): THOMSON
business trus	it L	limited partnership, to be formed		FINANCIAL
		Month	Year	
Actual or Estimated I	Date of Incorporation of	or Organization:	7 X Actual	Estimated
Jurisdiction of Incorp	ooration or Organizatio	n: (Enter two-letter U.S. Postal Service Al CN for Canada; FN for other foreign ju		DE

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Federal:

Who Must File: All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D or Section 4(6), 17 CFR 230.501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C. 77d(6).

When To File: A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering. A notice is deemed filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given below or, if received at that address after the date on which it is due, on the date it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.

Where to File: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549.

Copies Required: Five (5) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

Information Required: A new filing must contain all information requested. Amendments need only report the name of the issuer and offering, any changes thereto, the information requested in Part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied in Parts A and B. Part E and the Appendix need not be filed with the SEC.

Filing Fee: There is no federal filing fee.

State

This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sales of securities in those states that have adopted ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on ULOE must file a separate notice with the Securities Administrator in each state where sales are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall accompany this form. This notice shall be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state law. The Appendix to the notice constitutes a part of this notice and must be completed.

ATTENTION

Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal exemption. Conversely, failure to file the appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unless such exemption is predicated on the filing of a federal notice.

A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA

2. Enter the information requested for the following: Each promoter of the issuer, if the issuer has been organized within the past five years; Each beneficial owner having the power to vote or dispose, or direct the vote or disposition of, 10% or more of a class of equity securities of the issuer: Each executive officer and director of corporate issuers and of corporate general and managing partners of partnership issuers; and Each general and managing partner of partnership issuers. Executive Officer □ Director Check box(es) that apply: Beneficial Owner General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Fister, Michael J. (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) Business or Residence Address 2655 Seely Avenue, Building 5, San Jose, California 95134 **☒** Director Check box(es) that apply: ☐ Promoter ☐ Beneficial Owner ☐ Executive Officer General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Lucas, Donald L. **Business or Residence Address** (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 2655 Seely Avenue, Building 5, San Jose, California 95134 Director Check box(es) that apply: ☐ Promoter ☐ Executive Officer Beneficial Owner General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Sangiovanni-Vincentelli, Dr. Alberto **Business or Residence Address** (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 2655 Seely Avenue, Building 5, San Jose, California 95134 Director Check box(es) that apply: ☐ Promoter ☐ Beneficial Owner ☐ Executive Officer General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Scalise, George M. **Business or Residence Address** (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 2655 Seely Avenue, Building 5, San Jose, California 95134 Check box(es) that apply: ☐ Executive Officer □ Director Promoter Beneficial Owner General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Shoven, Dr. John B. **Business or Residence Address** (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 2655 Seely Avenue, Building 5, San Jose, California 95134 ☐ Beneficial Owner X Director Check box(es) that apply: ☐ Promoter ☐ Executive Officer General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Siboni, Roger S. (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) Business or Residence Address 2655 Seely Avenue, Building 5, San Jose, California 95134 Check box(es) that apply: ☐ Promoter Director ☐ Beneficial Owner ☐ Executive Officer General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Swainson, John A.C. **Business or Residence Address** (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)

2655 Seely Avenue, Building 5, San Jose, California 95134

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1.	Has the i	ssuer sold	l, or does	the issuer	intend to	sell, to no	n-accredi	ted investo	ors in this	offering?	••••••	••••••	
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3. Does the offering permit joint ownership of a single unit?													
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C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

1.	Enter the aggregate offering price of securities included in this offering and the total amount already sold. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero." If the transaction is an exchange offering, check this box and indicate in the columns below the amounts of the securities offered for exchange and already exchanged.				
	Type of Security		egate g Price	А	mount Already Sold
	Debt	\$ 		\$ -	
	Equity	\$		\$ -	
	☐ Common				
	Convertible Securities (including warrants)	\$ 500,00	00,000	\$ -	500,000,000
	Partnership Interests	\$ 		\$ -	
	Other (Specify Common stock issuable upon conversion of the Senior Notes)			\$ -	0
	Total	\$ 500,00	00,000	\$_	500,000,000
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 3, if filing under ULOE.				
2.	Enter the number of accredited and non-accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total lines. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero." Accredited Investors		lumber vestors		Aggregate Pollar Amount of Purchases 500,000,000
	Non-accredited Investors			Ψ-	
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	Total (for filings under Rule 504 only)			3 -	
3.	Answer also in Appendix, Column 4, if filing under ULOE. If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C - Ouestion 1.	7	· · · · · · · · ·	-)-II 4
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	Rule 504			\$_	
	Total			\$_	,
4.	a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the issuer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate.			•	-
	Transfer Agent's Fees	 		\$	
	Printing and Engraving Costs	 		\$	
	Legal Fees	 		\$	
	Accounting Fees	 		\$	
	Engineering Fees			\$ \$.
	Sales Commissions (specify finders' fees separately)			 	-
	Other Expenses (identify) Expenses and commissions incurred with respect to the offering			* - \$	13,000,000
	m.)			Ψ_	12.000,000

C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

	b. Enter the difference between the aggregate offering price given in response to Part C - Question 1 and total expenses furnished in response to Part C - Question 4.a. This difference is the "adjusted gross' proceeds to the issuer."					\$ 487,000,000
5.	Indicate below the amount of the adjusted gross proceeds to the issuer used or proposed to be used for each of the purposes shown. If the amount for any purpose is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate. The total of the payments listed must equal the adjusted gross proceeds to the issuer set forth in response to Part C - Question 4.b above.					
				Payments to Officers, Directors, & Affiliates		Payments To Others
	Salaries and fees		\$_		. 🗆	\$
	Purchase of real estate		\$_			\$
	Purchase, rental or leasing and installation of machinery and equipment		\$_			\$
	Construction or leasing of plant buildings and facilities		\$_			\$
	Acquisition of other businesses (including the value of securities involved in this offering that may be used in exchange for the assets or securities of another issuer pursuant to a merger)		\$_			\$
	Repayment of indebtedness		\$_			\$ <u>228,500,000</u>
	Working capital		\$ _			\$
	Other (specify): Repurchase of Issuer's common stock; convertible bond hedge transaction		\$_			\$ <u>258,500,000</u>
			\$_			\$
	Column Totals		\$_			\$ <u>487,000,000</u>
	Total Payments Listed (column totals added)			□ \$_	487,0	000,000
	D. FEDERAL SIGNATURE					
fol	e issuer has duly caused this notice to be signed by the undersigned duly authorized person. If this no lowing signature constitutes an undertaking by the issuer to furnish to the U.S. Securities and Exchanges of its staff, the information furnished by the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to para	nge Cor	nmi	ssion, upon	writter	
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Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations. (See 18 U.S.C. 1001.)

E. STATE SIGNATURE

1.	Is any party described in 17 CFR 230.262 presently subject to any of the disqualification provisions of such rule?	Yes	N
	See Appendix, Column 5, for state response	_	. [
2.	The undersigned issuer hereby undertakes to furnish to any state administrator of any state in which this notice is filed, a notice form D (17 CFR 239.500) at such times as required by state law.	on	
3.	The undersigned issuer hereby undertakes to furnish to the state administrators, upon written request, information furnished by issuer to offerees.	the	
4.	The undersigned issuer represents that the issuer if familiar with the conditions that must be satisfied to be entitled to the Uniformitted Offering Exemption (ULOE) of the state in which this notice is filed and understands that the issuer claiming the available of this exemption has the burden of establishing that these conditions have been satisfied.		
	issuer has read this notification and knows the contents to be true and has duly caused this notice to be signed on its behalf by tersigned duly authorized person.	he	٠
	dence Design Systems, Inc. Signature January 4, 2007		
	e (Print or Type) Title (Print or Type) nes Cowie Authorized Person		

Instruction:

Print the name and title of the signing representative under his signature for the state portion of this form. One copy of every notice on Form D must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

APPENDIX

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		to non-	d to sell accredited rs in State B-Item 1)	Type of security and aggregate offering price offered in state (Part C-Item 1)		Type of amount pur (Part	investor and chased in State C-Item 2)		(if yes explar waiver	lification ate ULOE s, attach nation of granted) E-Item 1)
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APPENDIX

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