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#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

# FORM S-8

REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

INTEL CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization) 2200 Mission College Blvd. Santa Clara, CA (Address of Principal Executive Offices) 94-1672743 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) 95054-1549 (Zip Code)

Silicon Hive B.V. 2007 Employee Option Plan (Full Title of the Plan)

> CARY I. KLAFTER, ESQ. Vice President and Secretary Intel Corporation 2200 Mission College Blvd. Santa Clara, CA 95054-1549 (Name and Address of Agent for Service)

> > (408) 765-8080

(Telephone Number, Including Area Code, of Agent for Service)

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer		Accelerated filer	
Non-accelerated filer	□ (Do not check if a smaller reporting company)	Smaller reporting company	

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE				
Title of Securities	Amount To Be	Proposed Maximum Offering	Proposed Maximum Aggregate	Amount of Registration
To Be Registered	Registered <sup>(1)</sup>	Price Per Share <sup>(2)</sup>	Offering Price <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>Fee</b> <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	139,326	\$2.15	\$299,550.90	\$34.78

(1) Pursuant to Rule 416(a) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, there are also being registered such additional shares of Common Stock that become available under the foregoing plan in connection with changes in the number of shares of outstanding Common Stock because of events such as recapitalizations, stock dividends, stock splits and reverse stock splits effected without receipt of consideration.

(2) Calculated solely for the purpose of determining the registration fee pursuant to Rule 457(h) under the Securities Act, based upon the weighted average exercise price of the options outstanding under the equity plan.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

This Registration Statement on Form S-8 is filed by Intel Corporation, a Delaware corporation (the "Corporation" or the "Registrant"), relating to 139,326 shares of the Corporation's Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "Common Stock"), to be offered pursuant to the Corporation's assumption of the outstanding options granted under the Silicon Hive B.V. 2007 Employee Option Plan (the "Plan").

# PART I

# **INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THE SECTION 10(a) PROSPECTUS**

The information required in Part I of this Registration Statement is included in one or more prospectuses for the Plan that are not filed as part of this Registration Statement in accordance with Rule 428 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), and the Note to Part I of Form S-8.

#### PART II

# INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT

#### Item 3. Incorporation of Documents by Reference.

The following documents, which have previously been filed by the Corporation with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission"), are incorporated by reference herein and shall be deemed to be a part hereof:

(1) The Corporation's latest Annual Report pursuant to Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or latest prospectus filed pursuant to Rule 424(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, that contains audited financial statements for the Registrant's latest fiscal year for which such statements have been filed;

(2) All other reports filed pursuant to Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Exchange Act since the end of the fiscal year covered by the Registrant's latest annual report or prospectus referred to in (1) above; and

(3) The description of the Common Stock set forth under the caption "Description of Capital Stock" in the Registrant's registration statement on Form S-4, filed with the Commission on March 26, 2009, File No. 333-158222, together with any amendment or report filed with the Commission for the purpose of updating such description.

In addition, all documents filed by the Corporation pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act prior to the filing of a post-effective amendment to this Registration Statement which indicates that all securities offered hereby have been sold or which deregisters all such securities then remaining unsold, shall be deemed to be incorporated by reference in this Registration Statement and made part hereof from their respective dates of filing (such documents, and the documents listed above, being hereinafter referred to as "Incorporated Documents"); provided, however, that the documents listed above or subsequently filed by the Corporation pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 and 15(d) of the Exchange Act in each year during which the offering made by this Registration Statement is in effect prior to the filing with the Commission of the Corporation's Annual Report on Form 10-K covering such year shall cease to be Incorporated Documents or be incorporated by reference in this Registration Statement from and after the filing of such Annual Report. The Corporation's Exchange Act file number with the Commission is 000-06217.

Any statement contained in an Incorporated Document shall be deemed to be modified or superseded for purposes of this Registration Statement to the extent that a statement contained herein or in any other subsequently filed Incorporated Document modifies or supersedes such statement. Any statement contained herein shall be deemed to be modified or superseded for purposes of this Registration Statement to the extent that a statement contained in any subsequently filed Incorporated Document modifies or supersedes such statement. Any such statement so modified or superseded shall not be deemed, except as so modified or superseded, to constitute a part of this Registration Statement.

#### Item 4. Description of Securities.

Not applicable.

#### Item 5. Interests of Named Experts and Counsel.

Not applicable.

## Item 6. Indemnification of Directors and Officers.

Section 145 of the Delaware General Corporation Law (the "DGCL") provides that a corporation may indemnify its directors and officers, as well as other employees and individuals, against expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement in connection with specified actions, suits or proceedings, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (other than an action by or in the right of the corporation – a "derivative action"), if they acted in good faith and in a manner they reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the corporation, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe their conduct was unlawful. A similar standard is applicable in the case of derivative actions, except that indemnification only extends to expenses (including attorneys' fees) incurred in connection with the defense or settlement of such actions, and the statute requires court approval before there can be any indemnification in which the person seeking indemnification has been found liable to the corporation. The statute provides that it is not exclusive of other indemnification that may be granted by a corporation's bylaws, disinterested director vote, stockholder vote, agreement or otherwise.

Article IX of the Corporation's Bylaws requires indemnification to the fullest extent permitted under Delaware law as it now exists or may hereafter be amended. Subject to any restrictions imposed by Delaware law, the Bylaws provide an unconditional right to indemnification for all expenses, liability and loss (including attorneys' fees, judgments, fines, ERISA excise taxes or penalties, and amounts paid or to be paid in settlement, and any interest, assessments, or other charges imposed thereon, and any federal, state, local,

or foreign taxes imposed as a result of the actual or deemed receipt of any payments under Article IX) reasonably incurred or suffered by any person in connection with investigating, defending, being a witness in, or participating in, or preparing for any threatened, pending, or completed action, suit, arbitration, alternative dispute mechanism, inquiry, administrative or legislative hearing, investigation or any other actual, threatened or completed proceeding, including any and all appeals, whether civil, criminal, administrative, or investigative (each, a "proceeding") by reason of the fact that he or she, or a person of whom he or she is the legal representative, is or was a director, officer, employee, or agent of the corporation (including service with respect to employee benefit plans) or is or was serving at the request of the corporation as a director, officer, employee, or agent of another corporation or of a partnership, joint venture, trust, or other enterprise, whether the basis of the proceeding is alleged action in an official capacity as a director, officer, employee, or agent or in any other capacity while serving as a director, officer, employee, or agent.

Section 102(b)(7) of the DGCL permits a corporation to provide in its certificate of incorporation that a director of the corporation shall not be personally liable to the corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a director, except for liability for (i) any breach of the director's duty of loyalty to the corporation or its stockholders, (ii) acts or omissions not in good faith or which involve intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law, (iii) payments of unlawful dividends or unlawful stock repurchases or redemptions, or (iv) any transaction from which the director derived an improper personal benefit.

Article 8 of the Corporation's Third Restated Certificate of Incorporation provides that, to the fullest extent permitted under Delaware law as it now exists or may hereafter be amended, no director of the Corporation will be personally liable to the Corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a director. Any repeal or modification of the provisions of Article 8 by the stockholders of the Corporation will not adversely affect any right or protection of any director existing at the time of such repeal or modification.

The Corporation has entered into certain indemnification agreements with its officers and directors. The indemnification agreements provide the Corporation's officers and directors with further indemnification, to the maximum extent permitted by the DGCL.

The foregoing summaries are necessarily subject to the complete text of the statute, the Corporation's Third Restated Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws, and the arrangements referred to above, and are qualified in their entirety by reference thereto.

# Item 7. Exemption from Registration Claimed.

Not applicable.

Item 8. Exhibits.

## Exhibit No. Exhibit Description

- 4.1\* Intel Corporation Third Restated Certificate of Incorporation dated May 17, 2006 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 of the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K as filed on May 22, 2006, File No. 000-06217).
- 4.2\* Intel Corporation Bylaws, as amended on May 19, 2009 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 of the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K as filed on May 22, 2009, File No. 000-06217).
- 5.1 Opinion of Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP.
- 23.1 Consent of Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP (included in Exhibit 5.1).
- 23.2 Consent of Ernst & Young LLP, Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm.
- 24.1 Power of Attorney (contained on signature page hereto).
- 99.1 Silicon Hive B.V. 2007 Employee Option Plan.

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#### Item 9. Undertakings.

- 1. The undersigned Registrant hereby undertakes:
  - (a) To file, during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post-effective amendment to this Registration Statement:
  - (i) To include any prospectus required by Section 10(a)(3) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act");

(ii) To reflect in the prospectus any facts or events arising after the effective date of this Registration Statement (or the most recent post-effective amendment thereof) which, individually or in the aggregate, represent a fundamental change in the information set forth in the registration statement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any increase or decrease in volume of securities offered (if the total dollar value of securities offered would not exceed that which was registered) and any deviation from the low or high end of the estimated maximum offering range may be reflected in the form of prospectus filed with the Commission pursuant to Rule 424(b) if, in the aggregate, the changes in volume and price represent no more than a 20 percent change in the maximum aggregate offering price set forth in the "Calculation of Registration Fee" table in the effective registration statement; and

(iii) To include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in this Registration Statement or any material change to such information in this Registration Statement;

provided, however, that paragraphs (1)(a)(i) and (1)(a)(i) do not apply if the information required to be included in a post-effective amendment by those paragraphs is contained in periodic reports filed by the Registrant pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act that are incorporated by reference in this Registration Statement;

(b) That, for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act, each such post-effective amendment shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof; and

(c) To remove from registration by means of a post-effective amendment any of the securities being registered which remain unsold at the termination of the offering.

(d) That, for the purpose of determining liability of the Registrant under the Securities Act to any purchaser in the initial distribution of the securities: The undersigned Registrant undertakes that in a primary offering of securities of the undersigned Registrant pursuant to this Registration Statement, regardless of the underwriting method used to sell the securities to the purchaser, if the securities are offered or sold to such purchaser by means of any of the following communications, the undersigned registrant will be a seller to the purchaser and will be considered to offer or sell such securities to such purchaser: (i) any preliminary prospectus or prospectus of the undersigned Registrant relating to the offering required to be filed pursuant to Rule 424; (ii) any free writing prospectus relating to the offering prepared by or on behalf of the undersigned Registrant or used or referred to by the undersigned Registrant; (iii) the portion of any other free writing prospectus relating to the offering containing material information about the undersigned Registrant or its securities provided by or on behalf of the undersigned Registrant or used or referred to be the undersigned Registrant; (iii) any other communication that is an offer in the offering made by the undersigned Registrant to the purchaser.

2. The undersigned Registrant hereby undertakes that, for purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act, each filing of the Registrant's annual report pursuant to Section 13(a) or Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act that is incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

3. Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the Corporation pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the Corporation has been advised that in the opinion of the Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the Corporation of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the Corporation in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the Corporation will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

# [SIGNATURES ON THE NEXT PAGE]

# SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all the requirements for filing on Form S-8 and has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Santa Clara, State of California, on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2011.

# INTEL CORPORATION

By:/s/ Stacy J. Smith

Stacy J. Smith Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer, and Principal Accounting Officer

Each person whose signature appears below constitutes and appoints Stacy J. Smith, A. Douglas Melamed and Cary I. Klafter, and each of them, his true and lawful attorneys-infact and agents, each with full power of substitution and resubstitution, severally, for him and in his name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign any and all amendments (including post-effective amendments) to this registration statement, and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as he might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents, or any of them or their or his substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof. Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this registration statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

/s/ PAUL S. OTELLINI	/s/ STACY J. SMITH
Paul S. Otellini	Stacy J. Smith
President, Chief Executive Officer, Director and Principal Executive Officer	Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer, and Principal Accounting Officer
February 25, 2011	February 25, 2011
/s/ Charlene Barshefsky	/s/ DAVID S. POTTRUCK
Charlene Barshefsky	David S. Pottruck
Director	Director
February 25, 2011	February 25, 2011
/s/ SUSAN L. DECKER	/s/ JANE E. SHAW
Susan L. Decker	Jane E. Shaw
Director	Chairman of the Board of Directors
February 25, 2011	February 25, 2011
/s/ JOHN J. DONAHOE	/s/ FRANK D. YEARY
John J. Donahoe	Frank D. Yeary
Director	Director
February 25, 2011	February 25, 2011
/s/ REED E. HUNDT	/s/ DAVID B. YOFFIE
Reed E. Hundt	David B. Yoffie
Director	Director
February 25, 2011	February 25, 2011
/s/ JAMES D. PLUMMER James D. Plummer Director February 25, 2011	

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February 25, 2011

Intel Corporation 2200 Mission College Blvd. Santa Clara, CA 95054-1549

# Re: Registration Statement on Form S-8 concerning the Silicon Hive B.V. 2007 Employee Option Plan

## Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have examined the Registration Statement on Form S-8 (the "Registration Statement") of Intel Corporation, a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), in connection with the offering by the Company of up to 139,326 shares of the Company's Common Stock, par value \$.001 per share (the "Shares"). The Shares subject to the Registration Statement are to be issued pursuant to the Company's assumption of awards granted under the Silicon Hive B.V. 2007 Employee Option Plan (the "Plan").

We have examined the originals, or photostatic or certified copies, of such records of the Company and certificates of officers of the Company and of public officials and such other documents as we have deemed relevant and necessary as the basis for the opinions set forth below. In our examination, we have assumed the genuineness of all signatures, the legal capacity and competency of all natural persons, the authenticity of all documents submitted to us as originals and the conformity to original documents of all documents submitted to us as copies. We have also assumed that there are no agreements or understandings between or among the Company and any participants in the Plan that would expand, modify or otherwise affect the terms of the Plan or the respective rights or obligations of the participants thereunder. Finally, we have assumed the accuracy of all other information provided to us by the Company during the course of our investigations, on which we have relied in issuing the opinion expressed below.

Based upon the foregoing examination and in reliance thereon, and subject to the qualifications, assumptions and limitations stated herein and in reliance on the statements of fact contained in the documents that we have examined, we are of the opinion that the Shares, when issued and sold in accordance with the terms set forth in the Plan and against payment therefor, and when the Registration Statement has become effective under the Securities Act, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable.

We express no opinion regarding the effectiveness of any waiver (whether or not stated as such) contained in the Plan of rights of any party, or duties owing to it, that is broadly or vaguely stated or does not describe the right or duty purportedly waived with reasonable specificity or any provision in the Plan relating to indemnification, exculpation or contribution.

We consent to the filing of this opinion as an exhibit to the Registration Statement, and we further consent to the use of our name under the caption "Legal Matters" in the Registration Statement and the prospectus that forms a part thereof. In giving these consents, we do not thereby admit that we are within the category of persons whose consent is required under Section 7 of the Securities Act or the Rules and Regulations of the Commission.

Very truly yours,

/s/ GIBSON, DUNN & CRUTCHER LLP

Consent of Ernst & Young LLP, Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

We consent to the incorporation by reference in the Registration Statement (Form S-8) pertaining to the Silicon Hive B.V. 2007 Employee Option Plan of our reports dated February 18, 2011, with respect to the consolidated financial statements and schedule of Intel Corporation, and the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting of Intel Corporation included in its Annual Report (Form 10-K) for the year ended December 25, 2010, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

/ s / Ernst & Young LLP

San Jose, California February 23, 2011

# SILICON HIVE B.V.

2007 Employee Option Plan

# 1. Definitions

#### 1.1 In this Plan, the following words shall have the meaning as defined below:

"Articles of Association"	means the articles of association of the Company as in force from time to time.
"Change of Control"	means an acquisition of the Company, a merger or consolidation (other than one in which shareholders of the Company own a majority of the voting power of the outstanding shares of the surviving or acquiring entity) or a sale, lease, transfer or other disposition of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company.
"Company"	Silicon Hive B.V.
"Date of Grant"	means the date as specified in the Grant Form as the date of grant of the relevant Options.
"Depository Receipt"	means a depository receipt related to one Share, issued by the Stichting.
"Effective Date"	means 16 April 2007, the completion date of the spin-out of the Silicon Hive business by Philips to the Company.
"Employee"	means any employee of a Group Company at the relevant Date of Grant.
"Employment Agreement"	means the employment agreement between the Participant and the Company.
"Exercise Form"	means the document in accordance with the draft Exercise Form, attached to this Plan as <u>Annex 2</u> , whereby the Participant exercises an Option.
"Exercise Price"	means the amount that will have to be paid by the Participant for the acquisition of one Depository Receipt upon exercise of an Option, as specified on the Granting Form.
"Fair Market Value"	has the meaning as defined in clause 6.3 of this Plan.
"Granting Form"	means the document in accordance with the draft Granting Form attached this Plan as <u>Annex 1</u> , whereby the Company grants an Option to the Participant.
"Group Company"	means the Company or subsidiaries and group companies within the meaning of article 2:24 (a) and (b) of the Dutch Civil Code.
"Management Board"	means the board of management of the Company.
"Option"	means the right to acquire one Depository Receipt against the Exercise Price during the Option Period.
"Option Period"	means the maximum period during which an Option granted under this Plan may be exercised.
"Participant"	means an Employee to whom an Option has been granted in accordance with the provisions of this Plan.
"Plan"	means this option plan in its present form or as from time to time amended in accordance with the provisions hereof.
"Shares"	means the ordinary shares in the capital of the Company.
"Stichting"	means Stichting Administratiekantoor Silicon Hive.
"Supervisory Board"	means the supervisory board of the Company.
"Trust Conditions"	means the conditions of administration (administratievoorwaarden) regarding the Depository Receipts.
"Vesting Date"	has the meaning as defined in clause 6.1.

2. Adoption, duration and administration of the Plan

- 2.1 This Plan has been adopted by the Supervisory Board to govern the terms and conditions of the grant of Options to Employees. The Plan shall be deemed to be effective as per the Effective Date and shall have a duration of five years calculated from the Effective Date.
- 2.3 The Plan will be administered by the Supervisory Board or its remuneration committee. The Supervisory Board may delegate operational matters the Management Board.
- 2.3 For administrative and legal purposes, the Stichting has been established by the Company to (inter alia) hold legal title to the relevant Shares, to exercise the voting rights attached to such Shares and to issue Depository Receipts to the Participants upon exercise of an Option. Such Depository Receipts represent the beneficial ownership of the underlying Shares. The Depositary Receipts entitle the Participants to receive from the Stichting all monetary distributions which the Stichting receives from the Company in its capacity as holder of the relevant Shares. The Stichting shall pass all such amounts immediately on receipt thereof to the Participants.
- 3. Grant of Options
- 3.1 All Employees are eligible to be granted Options under the Plan. An Option will be granted at the sole discretion of the Supervisory Board. In addition, the Supervisory Board may decide, in its sole discretion, to grant Options to non-employees such as advisors. In this case, references in this Plan to employment, Employment Agreement and its duration shall be deemed to refer to the relevant (service) agreement with the Company.
- 3.2 The grant of an Option will not give the Participant any rights to acquire further Options. By signing the Granting Form the Participant acknowledges the receipt of this Plan and is deemed to approve the provisions of this Plan.

- 3.3 Notwithstanding the rights of the heirs of a Participant or the representatives of a deceased Participant to exercise an Option as provided in clause 5.3 of this Plan, every Option shall be personal to the Participant. Unless otherwise provided in this Plan, neither the Option nor any Depository Receipt can be transferred, assigned or be made subject to any pledge, mortgage, usufruct, charge, retention or other encumbrance of any nature whatsoever, by the Participant or the heirs of a Participant or the representatives of a deceased Participant.
- 4. Option Period
- 4.1 The Option Period shall commence on the Date of Grant and will last for a period of ten years from the Date of Grant. Any granted Option that has not been exercised during the Option Period will lapse automatically upon expiration of the Option Period, without any compensation for the Participant.
- 5. Consequences of Termination of Employment
- 5.1 If the Employment Agreement of a Participant is terminated by the relevant Group Company for gross negligence by the Employee in the performance of his or her duties, for gross misconduct such as (without limitation) theft or embezzlement, fraud, intentional damage to the Group Companies' property and/or or reputation, or for any other reason which qualifies as urgent cause ('*dringende reden*') within the meaning of articles 7:677/678 of the Dutch Civil Code and/or comparable relevant legislation in other jurisdictions, any Options, whether vested or not, held by such Participant shall lapse with immediate effect as per the formal date of termination of the Employment Agreement without any compensation whatsoever being payable to such Participant.
- 5.2 If the Employment Agreement of a Participant terminates for any reason (except for death) whatsoever other than the urgent cause referred to above in clause 5.1, any vested Options held by such Participant shall remain valid until the end of the Option Period and any unvested Options held by such Participant shall lapse with immediate effect as per the formal date of termination of the Employment Agreement. Such Participant shall keep the Company at all times informed of his or her current address.
- 5.3 If the Participant deceases prior to the expiration of the Option Period, any unvested Options held by such Participant as per the date of death shall lapse with immediate effect as per the date of death of the Participant. Any vested Options as per the date of death will automatically lapse upon expiration of a three months' period following the date of death of the Participant, without any compensation for the Participant or his heirs or his representatives. The heirs or the representatives of a deceased Participant may exercise such vested Options during the period of three months following the date of death of the Participant.
- 6. Vesting, Exercise of an Option and issue of a Depository Receipt
- 6.1 25% of the Options shall vest and therefore become exercisable on the first anniversary of their Date of Grant and the remaining 75% monthly during the 36 months thereafter (each such date a "Vesting Date") in equal instalments, provided that the Participant is still an Employee at such future Vesting Date. The Vesting Date can solely be amended by the Supervisory Board in its sole discretion.
- 6.2 The Company shall give the Participant the opportunity to exercise vested Options twice a year, at such dates as shall be notified by the Company to the Participants or at such other date(s) as shall be determined by the Supervisory Board. A vested Option is exercised by:
  - (a) filling out and signing an Exercise Form and returning the Exercise Form to the Company; and
  - (b) payment of the Exercise Price into the bank account of the Company.
- 6.3 The Exercise Price payable by a Participant upon exercise of an Option will be set at fair market value of a Share as determined by the Supervisory Board at the Date of Grant of the Option (the "Fair Market Value"). Such determination may (inter alia) include an allowance for outstanding Preferred Shares in the capital of the Company or other senior equity issued at the Date of Grant.
- 6.4 In the event of a division or combination of all existing shares of stock in a given class of stock into additional or fewer shares of stock in the same class in a manner that retains the pre-split ratio of shareholdings among the members of the class, then the Exercise Price and the number of the Options and the number of Shares available for the Options will be adjusted on a fair and reasonable basis.
- 7. Change of Control
- 7.1 In case of a Change of Control all holders of Depository Receipts shall be required to offer their Depository Receipts for sale to the proposed acquiror of the Company ("Acquiror") on the same terms as have been accepted by the selling shareholders (taking into account variations in rights attached to the Shares as contained in the Articles of Association).
- 7.2 By exercising the Exercise Form, the Participant grants an irrevocable power of attorney, with the right of substitution, to the Company authorizing the Company to execute all deeds and documents and to perform all such acts as the Company may deem necessary in order to effectuate the sale and transfer of the Depository Receipts as envisaged by clause 7.1.
- 7.3 The Company may require holders of vested and unvested Options to exchange their Options for new options under a new option plan offered by the Acquiror on substantially equivalent economic conditions, including the associated vesting schedule.
- 7.4 In case the Acquiror does not offer a new option plan as described under 7.3 above, all existing Options shall be deemed to have vested as per the date of completion of the transaction effectuating a change of Control, or such earlier date as determined by the Supervisory Board, and the Company may require all Participants to exercise their Options within 30 days after such date. Any Options left unexercised after the expiration of such 30 day period shall lapse automatically.
- 7.5 In case Depository Receipts issued on Exercise are subject to compulsory transfer as a result of a Change of Control, the Company may elect for a cash-less exercise whereby the Company distributes net cash and/or non-cash consideration instead of issuing Depository Receipts.
- 7.6 If the value per Share (i) payable by the Acquiror in a Change of Control transaction or (ii) in case of liquidation of the Company is at or below the Exercise Price, the Company shall be entitled to terminate any non-exercised Options as per the date of completion of such a Change of Control transaction or liquidation.
- 8. Tax and social security premiums
- 8.1 Any pay-roll or other personal taxes (including social security premiums) due in respect of the grant or possession of Options by Participants and/or the exercise of such Options by the Participant, will be for the account of the Participant or his legal successor and the Company shall be entitled to withhold an

amount equal to those taxes from the Participants' salary or from any transaction proceeds.

- 8.2 The Participant indemnifies the Company against any (retro-active) claims from the tax authorities in respect of (alleged) failure to withhold a sufficient amount of wage tax and/or (including social security premiums in relation to the grant, possession and/or exercise of Options. The Company shall be entitled to deduct such amount from transaction proceeds.
- 9. Employment
- 9.1 Neither the grant of the Options nor this Plan itself or any provision therein can be interpreted as an obligation of any Group Company to employ the Employee for a certain period of time or to guarantee him a certain salary or position.
- 10. Notices
- 10.1 Notices pursuant to this Plan to be submitted by the Company to the Employee, shall be deemed to be addressed correctly if they have been sent to the address of the Employee as known by the personnel department of the Group Company concerned.
- 10.2 Notices pursuant to this Plan to be submitted by the Employee to the Company, shall be deemed to be addressed correctly if they have been sent to the address of the Company at High Tech Campus 83, 5656 AG Eindhoven, the Netherlands, except to the extent the Company has provided written notice to the Employee containing different instructions.
- 11. Choice of law and jurisdiction
- 11.1 This Plan will be governed by Dutch law.

11.2 Any and all disputes arising in connection with this Plan shall be brought before the competent court in Eindhoven, the Netherlands.

# APPENDIX A

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### SILICON HIVE B.V. 2007 EMPLOYEE OPTION PLAN

# (For United States Residents)

This Appendix A to the Silicon Hive B.V. 2007 Employee Option Plan (the "Plan") shall apply only to Participants who are residents of the United States (though residents of the State of California may be subject to additional provisions set forth in Appendix B) and who the Supervisory Board desires to receive an Option under the Plan. Capitalized terms contained herein shall have the same meanings given to them in the Plan, unless otherwise provided by this Appendix A. Notwithstanding any provisions contained in the Plan to the contrary and to the extent required by applicable laws, the following terms shall apply to all Options granted to residents of the United States, until such time as the Supervisory Board amends this Appendix A or the Supervisory Board otherwise provides.

#### 1. Definitions

# 1.1 In this Appendix A, the following words shall have the meaning as defined below:

"Code"	means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Any reference to a section of the Code herein shall be a reference to any successor or amended section of the Code.
"Disability"	means total and permanent disability as defined in Section 22(e)(3) of the Code.
"Incentive Stock Option"	means an Option that by its terms qualifies and is otherwise intended to qualify as an incentive stock option within the meaning of Section 422 of the Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder.
"Nonstatutory Stock Option"	means an Option that by its terms does not qualify or is not intended to qualify as an incentive stock option within the meaning of Section 422 of the Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder.
"Parent"	means, whether now or hereafter existing, any corporation in an unbroken chain of corporations ending with the Company if each corporation other than the Company owns shares possessing fifty percent (50%) or more of the total combined voting power of all classes of shares in one of the other corporations in such chain.
"Subsidiary"	means, whether now or hereafter existing, any corporation in an unbroken chain of corporations beginning with the Company if each corporation other than the Company owns shares possessing fifty percent (50%) or more of the total combined voting power of all classes of shares in one of the other corporations in such chain.

#### 2. Purpose

- 2.1 The purpose of this Appendix A is to establish certain rules applicable to Shares which may be granted under the Plan from time to time to eligible Participants who are residents of the United States of America, in compliance with the exchange control, securities and other applicable laws currently in force in United States of America. Except as otherwise provided by this Appendix A, all Shares granted pursuant to this Appendix A shall be governed by the terms of the Plan. In the event of a conflict between the provisions of the Plan and the provisions of the Appendix A, the provisions of the Appendix A shall prevail.
- 3. Eligibility and Shares Available
- 3.1 Nonstatutory Stock Options may be granted to employees or advisors of the Company or any Parent or Subsidiary of the Company. Incentive Stock Options may be granted only to employees of the Company or any Parent or Subsidiary of the Company.
- 3.2 Subject to the provisions of Section 6 of this Appendix A, the maximum aggregate number of Shares that may be subject to Options under this Appendix A is 4,000,000 Shares. The Shares may be authorized but unissued, or reacquired Shares. If an Option expires or becomes unexercisable without having been exercised in full, the unpurchased Shares that were subject thereto shall become available for future grant or sale under this Appendix A (unless this Appendix A has terminated). However, Shares that have actually been issued under the Plan, upon exercise of an Option, shall not be returned to the Plan and shall not become available for future distribution under the Plan.

## 4. Option Period

4.1 The Option Period shall be stated in the Granting Form; provided, however, that the term shall be no more than ten (10) years from the Date of Grant. In the case of an Incentive Stock Option granted to a Participant who, at the time the Option is granted, owns more than ten percent (10%) of the total combined voting power of all classes of stock of the Company or any Parent or Subsidiary, the term of the Option shall be five (5) years from the Date of Grant or such shorter term as may be provided in the Granting Form.

#### 5. Option Terms

- 5.1 The per Share Exercise Price for the Shares to be issued upon exercise of an Option shall be such price as is determined by the Supervisory Board, but shall be subject to the following:
  - (a) In the case of an Incentive Stock Option:
    - (i) Granted to an employee of the Company or any Parent or Subsidiary of the Company who, at the time of grant of such Option, owns shares representing more than ten percent (10%) of the voting power of all classes of shares of the Company or any Parent or Subsidiary of the Company the Exercise Price shall be no less than one hundred and ten percent (110%) of the Fair Market Value per Share on the Date of Grant.
    - (ii) Granted to any other employee of the Company or Parent of Subsidiary of the Company, the per Share Exercise Price shall be no less than one hundred percent (100%) of the Fair Market Value per Share on the Date of Grant.
  - (b) In the case of a Nonstatutory Stock Option, the per Share Exercise Price shall be no less than one hundred percent (100%) of the Fair Market Value per Share on the Date of Grant.

- (c) Notwithstanding the foregoing, Options may be granted with a per Share Exercise Price other than as required above in accordance with and pursuant to a transaction described in Section 424 of the Code.
- 5.2 The consideration to be paid for the Shares to be issued upon exercise of an Option, including the method of payment, shall be determined by the Supervisory Board (and, in the case of an Incentive Stock Option, shall be determined at the time of grant).
- 5.3 Each Option shall be designated in the Granting Form as either an Incentive Stock Option or a Nonstatutory Stock Option. However, notwithstanding such designation to the extent that the aggregate Fair Market Value of the Shares with respect to which Incentive Stock Options are exercisable for the first time by the Participant during any calendar year (under all plans of the Company and any Parent or Subsidiary) exceeds one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), such Options shall be treated as Nonstatutory Stock Options. For purposes of this Section, Incentive Stock Options shall be taken into account in the order in which they were granted. The Fair Market Value of the Shares shall be determined as of the time the Option with respect to such Shares is granted.
- 5.4 For purposes of Incentive Stock Options, no leave of absence may exceed three (3) months, unless reemployment upon expiration of such leave is guaranteed by statute or contract. If reemployment upon expiration of a leave of absence approved by the Company is not so guaranteed, then six (6) months following the first day of such leave, any Incentive Stock Option held by the Participant shall cease to be treated as an Incentive Stock Option and shall be treated for tax purposes as a Nonstatutory Stock Option.
- 5.5 Incentive Stock Options may not be sold, pledged, assigned, hypothecated, transferred, or disposed of in any manner other than by will or the laws of descent and distribution, and may be exercised during the lifetime of the Participant, only by the Participant. If the Supervisory Board amends an Incentive Stock Option to provide for transferability beyond what is permitted by the previous sentence, the Option will thereafter be treated as a Nonstatutory Stock Option. Unless the Supervisory Board determines otherwise, Nonstatutory Stock Options may not be sold, pledged, assigned, hypothecated, transferred, or disposed of in any manner other than by will or the laws of descent and distribution, and may be exercised during the lifetime of the Participant only by the Participant.
- 6. Adjustments
- 6.1 In the event that any dividend or other distribution (whether in the form of cash, Shares, other securities, or other property) recapitalization, share split, reverse share split, reorganization, merger, consolidation, split-up, spin-off, combination, repurchase, or exchange of Shares or other securities of the Company, or other change in the corporate structure of the Company affecting the Shares occurs, the Supervisory Board in order to prevent diminution or enlargement of the benefits or potential benefits intended to be made available under the Plan, shall adjust the number and class of Shares that may be delivered under the Plan and/or the number, class, and price of Shares covered by each outstanding Option.
- 7. Shareholder Approval
- 7.1 The Plan shall be subject to approval by the shareholders of the Company within twelve (12) months after the date the Plan is adopted. Such shareholder approval shall be obtained in the degree and manner required under applicable laws.
- 8. Amendment
- 8.1 This Appendix A shall be deemed to be part of the Plan and the Administrator shall have the authority to amend this Appendix A in accordance with the Plan.

# APPENDIX B

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# SILICON HIVE B.V. 2007 EMPLOYEE OPTION PLAN

#### (For Residents of the State of California)

This Appendix B to the Silicon Hive B.V. 2007 Employee Option Plan (the "Plan") shall apply only to Participants who are residents of the State of California and who are receiving an Option under the Plan. For avoidance of doubt, the provisions of Appendix A of the Plan shall also apply to residents of the State of California. Capitalized terms contained herein shall have the same meanings given to them in the Plan, unless otherwise provided by this Appendix B. Notwithstanding any provisions contained in the Plan to the contrary and to the extent required by applicable laws, the following terms shall apply to all Options granted to residents of the State of California, until such time as the Supervisory Board amends this Appendix B or the Supervisory Board otherwise provides.

#### 1. Definitions

#### 1.1 In this Appendix B, the following words shall have the meaning as defined below:

"Disability"	means total and permanent disability as defined in Section 22(e)(3) of the Code.
"Parent"	means, whether now or hereafter existing, any corporation in an unbroken chain of corporations ending with the Company if each corporation other than the Company owns shares possessing fifty percent (50%) or more of the total combined voting power of all classes of shares in one of the other corporations in such chain.
"Securities Act"	means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.
"Subsidiary"	means, whether now or hereafter existing, any corporation in an unbroken chain of corporations beginning with the Company if each corporation other than the Company owns shares possessing fifty percent (50%) or more of the total combined voting power of all classes of shares in one of the other corporations in such chain.

#### 2. Purpose

2.1 The purpose of this Appendix B is to establish certain rules applicable to Shares which may be granted under the Plan from time to time to eligible Participants who are residents of the State of California, in compliance with the securities and other applicable laws currently in force in the State of California. Except as otherwise provided by this Appendix B, the terms of the Plan and Appendix A shall govern all Shares granted pursuant to this Appendix B. In the event of a conflict between the provisions of the Plan and Appendix A and the provisions of the Appendix B, the Appendix B shall prevail.

# 3. Exercise of Option

- 3.1 If a Participant ceases to be an employee or advisor to the Company or any Parent or Subsidiary of the Company (other than as provided for in Sections 3.2 and 3.3), such Participant may exercise his or her Option within thirty (30) days of termination, or such longer period of time as specified in the Granting Form, to the extent that the Option is vested on the date of termination (but in no event later than the expiration of the term of the Option as set forth in the Granting Form). Unless the Supervisory Board provides otherwise, if on the date of termination the Participant is not vested as to his or her entire Option, the Shares covered by the unvested portion of the Option shall revert to the Plan. If, after termination, the Participant does not exercise his or her Option within the time specified by the Supervisory Board, the Option shall terminate, and the Shares covered by such Option shall revert to the Plan.
- 3.2 If a Participant ceases to be an employee or advisor to the Company or any Parent or Subsidiary of the Company as a result of the Participant's Disability, the Participant may exercise his or her Option within six (6) months of termination, or such longer period of time as specified in the Granting Form, to the extent the Option is vested on the date of termination (but in no event later than the expiration of the term of such Option as set forth in the Granting Form). Unless the Supervisory Board provides otherwise, if on the date of termination the Participant is not vested as to his or her entire Option, the Shares covered by the unvested portion of the Option shall revert to the Plan. If, after termination, the Participant does not exercise his or her Option within the time specified herein, the Option shall terminate, and the Shares covered by such Option shall revert to the Plan.
- **3.3** If a Participant dies while an employee or advisor to the Company or any Parent or Subsidiary of the Company, the Option may be exercised within six (6) months following Participant's death, or such longer period of time as specified in the Granting Form, to the extent that the Option is vested on the date of death (but in no event later than the expiration of the term of such Option as set forth in the Granting From) by the personal representative of the Participant's estate or by the person(s) to whom the Option is transferred pursuant to the Participant's will or in accordance with the laws of descent and distribution. If, at the time of death, the Participant is not vested as to his or her entire Option, the Shares covered by the unvested portion of the Option shall immediately revert to the Plan. If the Option is not so exercised within the time specified herein, the Option shall terminate, and the Shares covered by such Option shall revert to the Plan.
- 4. Limited Transferability of Options
- 4.1 Incentive Stock Options may not be sold, pledged, assigned, hypothecated, transferred, or disposed of in any manner other than by will or the laws of descent and distribution, and may be exercised during the lifetime of the Participant, only by the Participant. If the Supervisory Board amends an Incentive Stock Option to provide for transferability beyond what is permitted by the previous sentence, the Option will thereafter be treated as a Nonstatutory Stock Option for tax purposes. Unless the Supervisory Board determines otherwise, Nonstatutory Stock Options may not be sold, pledged, assigned hypothecated, transferred, or disposed of in any manner other than by will or the laws of descent and distribution, and may be exercised during the lifetime of the Participant, only by the Participant. If the Administrator in its sole discretion makes an Option transferable, such Option may only be transferred (i) by will (ii) by the laws of descent and distribution, or (iii) to family members (within the meaning of Rule 701 of the Securities Act) through gifts or domestic relations orders as permitted by Rule 701 of the Securities Act.
- 5. Adjustments

5.1 In addition to adjustments required by Section 6 of Appendix A, the Supervisory Board shall also make such adjustments to the extent required by Section 25102(o) of the California Corporations Code.

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#### Amendment for Management Team

- 1. This Amendment to the Plan shall apply to members of the Management Team of the Company ("Manager"), as per the designation in their Employment Agreement.
- 2. If the Employment Agreement of a Manager is terminated by the Company or a related Group Company within 12 months of the Effective Date, unless clause 5.1 applies (Bad Leaver), 25% of the Options will be vested.
- 3. All Options held by a Manager will become vested following a Change of Control transaction if (i) the Employment Agreement of a Manager is terminated by the Company or its successor within 12 months after the transaction, or (ii) he is not offered a reasonably comparable job responsibility in the new company, provided the Manager fully cooperates to realize such alternative assignment.