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- SEMI activities are a coordinated effort among peers and competitors in various industries, and are subject to antitrust laws.
- Although this coordination is perfectly legal, we want to make sure that no antitrust risks are raised by the manner in which SEMI-coordinated activities are conducted.
- The penalties for violating antitrust laws can be quite severe, including large fines and even imprisonment of individuals found guilty of illegal conduct.
- Through adherence to our anti-trust guidelines, SEMI can ensure its legitimate objectives are accomplished with maximum protection for its participants.

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DO NOT, IN FACT OR APPEARANCE, discuss or exchange information regarding:

- a) Individual company current or projected prices, price changes, price differentials, markups, discounts, allowances, terms and conditions of sale, including credit terms, etc., or data that bear on prices, including profits, margins or cost.
- b) Industry pricing policies, price levels, price changes, differentials, or the like.
- c) Changes in industry production, capacity, or inventories.
- d) Individual company bids or intentions to bid for particular products, procedures for responding to bid invitations, or specific contractual arrangements.
- e) Plans of individual companies concerning the design, characteristics, production, distribution, marketing, or introduction dates of particular products, including proposed territories or customers.
- f) Matters relating to actual or potential individual suppliers that might have the effect of excluding them from any market or of influencing the business conduct of firms toward such suppliers or customers.
- g) Individual company current or projected cost of procurement, development, or manufacture of any product.
- h) Individual company market shares for any product or for all products.
- i) DO NOT discuss or exchange information regarding the above matters during social gatherings incidental to SEMI-sanctioned meetings, even in jest.

These Anti-Trust Guidelines have protected SEMI's Technology Communities and Int'l Standards Program for 50 years