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SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(STOCK CODE: 981)

GRANT OF OPTIONS

This announcement is made pursuant to Rule 17.06A of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “**Stock Exchange**”) (the “**Listing Rules**”).

Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation (the “**Company**”) announces that on 17 June 2013, an aggregate of 18,098,626 share options (“**Options**”) to subscribe for ordinary shares of par value US\$0.0004 each in the capital of the Company (the “**Shares**”) were conditionally granted, subject to acceptance of the grantees and compliance with applicable laws and regulations, under its 2004 Stock Option Plan adopted on 18 March 2004 (the “**Share Option Scheme**”). If any grant of the Options as detailed below has not been accepted by any particular grantee or is not otherwise in compliance with any applicable laws and regulations, such grant in respect of the particular grantee would not proceed or be effective for legal and regulatory purposes. The following are the details of the Options granted:

Date of Grant:	17 June 2013
Exercise price of the Options	HK\$ 0.624 per Share (being the higher of (a) the closing market price of the Shares on the Stock Exchange as stated in the daily quotation sheet of the Stock Exchange (the “ Closing Price ”) on 17 June 2013, being HK\$0.610 and (b) the average Closing Price for the period from 7 June 2013 to 14 June 2013 (both days inclusive), being HK\$ 0.624)
Number of Options granted:	18,098,626 Options
Closing price of the Shares on the date of grant:	HK\$ 0.610 per Share
Validity period of the Options:	The Options are valid for a period of 10 years commencing on 17 June 2013, subject to earlier termination as provided under the Share Option Scheme and

applicable award documents.

The Options were conditionally granted to two directors of the Company, subject to acceptance of the grantees and compliance with applicable laws and regulations, with details as follows:

<u>Name of Director</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Number of Options</u>
Gao Yonggang	Executive Director	13,608,249
Sean Maloney	Independent Non-Executive Director	4,490,377

Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation

Dr. Tzu-Yin Chiu
Chief Executive Officer
Executive Director

Shanghai, PRC

18 June 2013

As at the date of this announcement, the directors of the Company are:

Executive Directors

Zhang Wenyi (Chairman)

Tzu-Yin Chiu (Chief Executive Officer)

Gao Yonggang

Non-executive Directors

Chen Shanzhi

Lawrence Juen-Yee Lau (Datong Chen as his Alternate)

Zhou Jie

Independent Non-executive Directors

Sean Maloney

Frank Meng

Lip-Bu Tan