



## Press Release

### **CATRENE MANAGEMENT TEAM COMPLETED**

**Paris, 16 June 2008** – CATRENE, the new EUREKA cluster for Application and Technology Research on NanoElectronics announced today that Werner Mohr has been appointed Vice-Chairman for the cluster programme, effective immediately.

Werner Mohr, born October 8, 1947 in Prien am Chiemsee, Germany, graduated with a Ph.D. in physics at Munich Technical University. In 1979, he entered the Semiconductor division of Siemens AG and started his career as engineer for process and product engineering, later as head of manufacturing engineering. In 1997, he was appointed Vice President of the Frontends in Munich, Regensburg and Villach/Austria, and of the Mask House in Munich.

With the foundation of Infineon Technologies AG in 1999, Werner Mohr assumed the position of Senior Vice President of Corporate Frontends and was, as such, member in a number of affiliated Supervisory Boards and Boards of Directors outside of Germany. Since 2002, he was nominated member of the SEMI European Advisory Board, and recently member of the SEMI Russian Advisory Committee.

At the end of May 2008, Werner Mohr retired from his active positions in Infineon Technologies. His excellence and his international experience ensure that he will be an essential pillar in the CATRENE organisation and in supporting the European Semiconductor and Electronic Industry.

#### **About CATRENE**

The recent EUREKA programme CATRENE (Cluster for Application and Technology Research in Europe on NanoElectronics) aims at a Technological Leadership for a competitive European ICT industry. CATRENE is a four-year programme, having started 01 January 2008, and is extendable by another four years. This is in line with the changing landscape of the semiconductor industry as well as with the present view on technology evolution and the time span over which most of the major applications will develop. Resources required will be approximately 4,000 person-years annually, equivalent to about €6 billion for the extended programme.

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