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**QP Semiconductor to Share Military IC Expertise at the
Defense Semiconductor Association Meeting on May 25, 2005**

*QP Semi to address concerns over diminishing semiconductor sources and
materials needed to support military readiness*

SANTA CLARA, Calif. – May 23, 2005 – QP Semiconductor, a leading fabless manufacturer of Military ICs, confirmed today that it has been invited to present at the Defense Semiconductor Association (DSA) sub-committee meeting, on May 25th at the Hilton Hotel in Reno, Nevada. The DSA meeting is being held in conjunction with the broader JEDEC JC-13 Conference that runs from May 23-27 at the same site.

John O'Boyle, QP Semiconductor director of business development, will address DSA concerns over diminishing manufacturing sources and materials shortages (DMSMS) as well as issues related to radiation tolerant ICs. "Among other things, our presentation will note our three key design methodologies that can ensure semiconductor support for mission-critical programs," said O'Boyle. He broadly described the methodologies as reverse engineering, new product development from data sheets (or SCD specification), and development from original design files, noting that all of these techniques are being effectively applied at his company.

Commenting on the upcoming presentation, John Stannard, president of QP Semiconductor, said, "As a major supplier of Space level (QML Level V and S) semiconductors, we look forward to sharing our expertise and best practices in resolving diminished source problems." He noted that QP Semi will soon be marking its 20th year in serving military/aerospace customers, and that his firm currently ranks as one of the industry's largest military IC suppliers with over 1,540 ICs in its QML (Qualified Manufacturers Listing) portfolio.

About QP Semiconductor

Founded in 1985 as a test services company, QP Semiconductor ranks today as one of the largest fabless manufacturers of high-reliability ICs for military/aerospace programs. From its headquarters in Santa Clara, California, QP Semi applies design, re-engineering and a full range of manufacturing capabilities to extend the life of classic ICs for a host of mission-critical programs. For more information, visit www.qpsemi.com.

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