



Product Change Notification

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Change Notification #: 111437 - 00
Change Title: Intel® Desktop Board DX79TO, Boxed and Bulk
PCN 111437-00, Product Design
BIOS Update
Date of Publication: April 09, 2012

Key Characteristics of the Change:

Product Design

Forecasted Key Milestones:

Date Customer Must be Ready to Receive Post-Conversion Material:	Apr 20, 2012
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Description of Change to the Customer:

The BIOS will be updated from SIX7910H.86A.0281 to SIX7910H.86A.0453 to support processor i7-3820 and enhance operation. To access the release notes or get a copy of the BIOS for evaluation, go to <http://downloadcenter.intel.com>.

Customer Impact of Change and Recommended Action:

It is recommended that customers evaluate this new BIOS to ensure a smooth transition. Intel validation of a new board revision does not include testing with older versions of BIOS. This change is not expected to cause a change to the Microsoft Windows* operating system's software driver stack.

These changes have been evaluated to ensure that there are no quality, reliability or functional implications to our customers. Intel is not recommending additional qualification of these changes on platforms received from Intel.

Intel will attempt to deplete pre-conversion material before shipping post-conversion material but there is a possibility of Intel shipping mixed inventory. Therefore, customers will need to manage and migrate to the post-conversion material as soon as possible.

Milestone dates are estimates and subject to change based on business and operational conditions.

Products Affected / Intel Ordering Codes:

Product Code	MM#	Pre Change AA	Post Change AA
BOXDX79TO	915768	G28805-400	G28805-401
BLKDX79TO	915780	G28805-400	G28805-401

PCN Revision History:

Date of Revision:

April 9, 2012

Revision Number:

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Reason:

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