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Technical Communication

TO: X3T10 Membership and Hangers On

DATE: 7/27/95

RE: November 6-10, 1995 Plenary Meeting Announcement

CC:

Western Digital Corporation is pleased to be able to host the November plenary meeting of X3T10. Without further ado, the key details:

Hyatt Regency Suites Palm Springs 285 North Palm Canyon Drive Palm Springs, CA 92262 619-322-9000 or 800-233-1234

Group Name: Western Digital Room Rate: \$110/night, includes tax and parking

Cut Off Date: October 18, 1995

I want to emphasize that this time of year is the start of <u>THE SEASON</u> in Palm Springs. We have negotiated a very good room rate with a four star hotel. If you miss the cutoff date, you can expect to pay \$150-\$200 per night for a room or more, if you can find one at all! I cannot stress more how important it is for you to make your reservations by the cutoff date. After that date, rooms are on a space available basis. You <u>don't</u> want to do that, unless you want to stay at the Motel 6 in Indio!

Some additional background may be in order. The Hyatt is located in the Palm Springs Village area. It is within walking distance of many shops and restaurants, and I believe there is a casino in town now, run by the local Native Americans. There may perhaps be some of you who golf. If so, let the hotel know when you check in. They can set up tee times for you at Rancho Mirage Country Club, with special discount green fees. Enjoy!

Palm Springs is well served with jet service by several airlines to Palm Springs airport. To get to the hotel from Palm Springs Airport, you can call the hotel for a complementary shuttle (it's only three miles). To drive from the airport, exit the rental car lot by turning left on El Cielo Rd. At the stop sign turn right on Tahquitz. Go a few blocks and turn right on Indian Ave. This is a four lane, one way road and you need to get immediately over to the left. Turn left on Amado, and another left onto North Palm Canyon Drive. Hyatt Regency Suites is on the right at the corner of North Palm Canyon Drive and Amado Road. There is an entrance to an underground parking garage.

You may also fly into Ontario airport if you prefer, though the drive is about 90 minutes from there. It is a scenic drive in a desert-y sort of way. From Ontario airport go north on Vinyard to I-10. Head east a long time on I-10 to state highway 111. Remain on highway 111 for about 11 miles (it will become North Palm Canyon Drive). Proceed to Amado Road and you're there..

You lucky few travelling from Orange County can hop state highway 91 and take it all the way out to state highway 60. Stay on 60 until it merges with I-10, proceeding as described above.

Needless to say, if you have any problem making a reservation, please contact me. I will beat up the appropriate people!