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Subject Company: Integrated Device Technology, Inc.

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Dear valued customers and distribution partners:

We are pleased to announce today the planned combination of two leading semiconductor innovators. Pending regulatory and shareholder approvals, IDT will officially become a part of Renesas Group, and the two companies will be able to provide a more complete portfolio to address your unique system needs. IDT and Renesas have very complementary products. The rationale for the combination is to pair Renesas' portfolio of MCUs, SoCs and power management ICs with IDT's analog mixed-signal devices to provide comprehensive solutions to customers.

The combined company will expand its product lineups for its focused domains: Automotive, which is expected to see tremendous growth with autonomous driving and connected vehicles; Industrial and Infrastructure segments, which are expected to advance with Industry 4.0 and 5G (fifth-generation) wireless communications, as well as the fast-growing IoT segment.

The acquisition is expected to complete in the first half of 2019. Upon completion, we will combine IDT's analog mixed-signal products including sensors, high-performance interconnect, RF & optical and wireless power, with Renesas' MCUs, SoCs and power management ICs to provide customers with options for comprehensive solutions that support the increasing demand of high data processing performance. The enriched solution offerings will bring optimal systems from external sensors through analog front-end to processors and interfaces. The Renesas Group is committed to serving you with attractive solutions that leverage both companies' advanced technologies as well as deep understanding on your system requirements.

Renesas has earned a reputation in the industry as being a reliable provider of high quality products for the most rigorous applications. We believe this history and experience should provide existing IDT customers with increased confidence in the longevity and quality of our products.

IDT will continue to provide the high level of product innovation and service that you have been accustomed to. While the merger is subject to regulatory and shareholder approvals, IDT will continue to operate as an independent company no changes will be made to your sales contacts or support model.

We look forward to the next phase in our history, more fully serving your needs and helping you achieve your business and technology goals.

Sincerely,

Gregory L. Waters

President and CEO

Integrated Device Technology, Inc.

Additional Information and Where to Find It

This communication is being made in respect of the proposed transaction involving IDT and Renesas. In connection with the proposed transaction, IDT plans to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and mail or otherwise provide to its stockholders a proxy statement regarding the proposed transaction. IDT may also file other documents with the SEC regarding the proposed transaction. This communication is not a substitute for the proxy statement or any other document that may be filed by IDT with the SEC. **BEFORE MAKING ANY VOTING DECISION, IDT'S STOCKHOLDERS ARE URGED TO READ THE PROXY STATEMENT IN ITS ENTIRETY WHEN IT BECOMES AVAILABLE AND ANY OTHER DOCUMENTS FILED BY IDT WITH THE SEC IN CONNECTION WITH THE PROPOSED TRANSACTION OR INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE THEREIN BEFORE MAKING ANY VOTING OR INVESTMENT DECISION WITH RESPECT TO THE PROPOSED TRANSACTION BECAUSE THEY CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE PROPOSED TRANSACTION AND THE PARTIES TO THE PROPOSED TRANSACTION.** Investors and stockholders may obtain a free copy of the proxy statement and other documents IDT files with the SEC (when available) through the website maintained by the SEC at www.sec.gov. IDT makes available free of charge at www.idt.com (in the Investors section), copies of materials it files with, or furnishes to, the SEC.

Participants in the Solicitation

IDT and its directors, executive officers and certain employees and other persons may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies from IDT's stockholders in connection with the proposed transaction. Security holders may obtain information regarding the names, affiliations and interests of IDT's directors and executive officers in IDT's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended April 1, 2018, which was filed with the SEC on May 18, 2018, and its definitive proxy statement for the 2018 annual meeting of stockholders, which was filed with the SEC on July 30, 2018. Additional information regarding the interests of such individuals in the proposed transaction will be included in the proxy statement relating to the proposed transaction when it is filed with the SEC. These documents (when available) may be obtained free of charge from the SEC's website at www.sec.gov and IDT's website at www.idt.com

Cautionary Statement Regarding Forward-Looking Statements

This communication contains certain information which may constitute forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act). These statements relate to future events that are based on current expectations, estimates, forecasts and projections. These statements are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause actual performance or results to differ materially from those expressed in or suggested by the forward-looking statements. All statements other than statements of historical fact or relating to present facts or current conditions included in this communication are forward-looking statements. Such forward-looking statements include, among others, IDT's current expectations and projections relating to its financial condition, results of operations, plans, objectives, future performance and business. Forward-looking statements can usually be identified by the use of terminology such as anticipate, believe, could, continue, estimate, expect, goals, intend, likely, may, might, plan, target, will, would, and variations of such words and similar expressions.

Those risks, uncertainties and assumptions include, (i) the risk that the proposed transaction may not be completed in a timely manner or at all, which may adversely affect IDT's business and the price of the common stock of IDT, (ii) the failure to satisfy any of the conditions to the consummation of the proposed transaction, including the adoption of the merger agreement by the stockholders of IDT and the receipt of certain governmental and regulatory approvals, (iii) the occurrence of any event, change or other circumstance that could give rise to the termination of the merger agreement, (iv) the effect of the announcement or pendency of the proposed transaction on IDT's business

relationships, operating results and business generally, (v) risks that the proposed transaction disrupts current plans and operations and the potential difficulties in employee retention as a result of the proposed transaction, (vi) risks related to diverting management's attention from IDT's ongoing business operations (vii) the outcome of any legal proceedings that may be instituted against us related to the merger agreement or the proposed transaction; (viii) unexpected costs, charges or expenses resulting from the proposed transaction; and (ix) other risks described in IDT's filings with the SEC, such as its Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and Annual Reports on Form 10-K.

Any forward-looking statement made in this communication speaks only as of the date on which it is made. You should not put undue reliance on any forward-looking statements. IDT undertakes no obligation, and expressly disclaims any obligation, to update, alter or otherwise revise any forward-looking statement, whether written or oral, that may be made from time to time, whether as a result of new information, future developments or otherwise, except as may be required by law. If we do update one or more forward-looking statements, no inference should be drawn that we will make additional updates with respect to those or other forward-looking statements.

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