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C/O THE CARLYLE GROUP

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WASHINGTON

1001 PENNSYLVANIA AVE. NW, SUITE 220S

DC

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1001 PENNSYLVANIA AVE. NW, SUITE 220S

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Carlyle Holdings II GP L.L.C.

C/O THE CARLYLE GROUP

20004

(Zip)

(Middle)

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF RENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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| | | | | | 16(a) of the Securities Exchange of the Investment Company Act of 1 | | | • | | | |
| Carlyle Group Management L.L.C. | | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 05/02/2012 | | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Freescale Semiconductor, Ltd. [FSL] | | | | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O THE CARLYLE GROUP 1001 PENNSYLVANIA AVE. NW, SUITE 220S | | | | 4. Relationship of Reporting Pers (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below) | on(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below) | | 5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
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| | | | Table I - No | on-Deriva | tive Securities Beneficial | lly Owned | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (In | str. 4) | | | | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownersh Form: Direct or Indirect (Instr. 5) | ct (D) (II | . Nature o nstr. 5) | f Indirect | Beneficial Ownershi | р |
| Common Shares | | | | | 196,136,895 | I | S | ee footno | otes ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ | | |
| | | (e | | | ve Securities Beneficially ants, options, convertible | | e) | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) 2. Date Exert Expiration D (Month/Day/ | | | cisable and | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) O | | 4. Convers or Exerc | ise Forr | Ownership Form: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) | | |
| | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Price of Derivativ Security | /e or Ir | irect (D) r Indirect) (Instr. 5) | | |
| Warrants | | | (3) | (3) | Common Shares | 9,534,587 | 36.12 | 2 | I | See footnotes ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ | |
| 1. Name and Address Carlyle Group (Last) | of Reporting Person* Management L.L (First) | .C. | a) | _ | | | | | | | |
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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Carlyle Holdings II L.P. | | | | | | | |
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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* TC Group Cayman Investment Holdings Sub L.P. | | | | | | | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | | | | | |
| C/O WALKER CORPORATE SERVICES LIMITED | | | | | | | |
| WALKER HOUSE | E, 87 MARY STREE | Γ | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | | | | | |
| GEORGE TOWN, | | | | | | | |
| GRAND | | KY1-9001 | | | | | |
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Following an internal reorganization, the reporting persons, by reason of the relationships described below, may be deemed to be the beneficial owners of the shares reported herein and previously beneficially owned by affiliates of TC Group Cayman Investment Holdings, L.P. (the "Carlyle Funds"). Each of the reporting persons expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of any such securities, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

- 2. The indirect parent of the Carlyle Funds is now TC Group Cayman Investment Holdings Sub L.P. The general partner of TC Group Cayman Investment Holdings, L.P. is Carlyle Holdings, L.P. The general partner of Carlyle Holdings II L.P. is Carlyle Holdings II L.P. The general partner of Carlyle Holdings II L.P. is Carlyle Holdings II L.P. is Carlyle Holdings II GP L.L.C. The managing member of Carlyle Holdings II GP L.L.C. is The Carlyle Group L.P. The general partner of The Carlyle Group L.P. is Carlyle Group Management L.L.C., which is managed by an eight person board of directors, with all board action relating to the voting or disposition of these shares requiring approval of a majority of the board. All members of the board of directors expressly disclaim beneficial ownership of the shares reported herein.
- 3. On December 1, 2006, the Issuer issued and granted to Freescale Holdings L.P., pursuant to a warrant agreement (the "Warrant"), subject to customary anti-dilution adjustment pursuant to the terms of the Warrant and certain other adjustments as described therein, the right to purchase 9,534,587 shares of Common Shares of the Issuer, exercisable immediately.

Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Confirming Statement Exhibit 99 - Joint Filer Information

/s/ R. Rainey Hoffman, attorney-in-fact for Daniel A. 05/08/2012 D?Aniello, Chairman

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned understands that, from time to time, the Carlyle Companies (defined below) are required to prepare, execute and file certain federal and state securities laws filings.

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Curt Buser, Jeff Ferguson, David Pearson, Catherine Ziobro, R. Rainey Hoffman, Joanne Cosiol, Monica Harris, Jeremy Anderson, Bruno De Gusmao, Ann Siebecker, Andrea Pekala, Tom Mayrhofer, Orit Mizrachi, John Beczak, Rick Kappler, Matt LoRusso, Rob Konigsberg, James Sloan, Anne Frederick, Norma Kuntz, Victoria Jong, Erica Herberg or any of them signing singly, and with full power of substitution, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) prepare, execute in the name of each Carlyle Company and on behalf of each Carlyle Company, and submit to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") a Form ID, including amendments thereto, and any other documents necessary or appropriate to obtain codes and passwords enabling the undersigned to make electronic filings with the SEC of Forms D ("Form D") required to be filed in accordance with Rule 503 ("Rule 503") promulgated with respect to Sections 4(2), 4(6) and 3(b) of the Securities Act of 1933 (the "1933 Act") and reports required by Sections 13(d) and 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "1934 Act") or any rule or regulation of the SEC;
- (2) prepare and execute for and on behalf of each Carlyle Company, in the undersigned's capacity as a Chairman, authorized person, officer and/or director of each Carlyle Company, federal and state securities laws filings including without limitation Forms D pursuant to Rule 503 and Schedules 13D and 13G and Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Sections 13(d) and 16(a) of the 1934 Act and the rules thereunder;
- (3) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of each Carlyle Company which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such federal and state securities laws filings including without limitation Forms D, Schedules 13D and 13G and Forms 3, 4, and 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the SEC and the securities administrators of any state, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam and the United States Virgin Islands or their designees and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted, whether the same needs to be executed, taken or done by him in his capacity as a current or former member, partner, shareholder, director or officer of any company, partnership, corporation, organization, firm, branch or other entity connected with, related to or affiliated with any of the entities constituting the Carlyle Companies or entities that directly or indirectly hold interests in the Carlyle Companies.

The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with federal and state securities laws, including without limitation Rule 503 of the 1933 Act or Section 13 and Section 16 of the 1934 Act.

This Power of Attorney and all authority conferred hereby shall not be terminated by operation of law, whether by the death or incapacity of the undersigned or by occurrence of any other event. Actions taken by an attorney-in-fact pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be as valid as if any event described in the preceding sentence had not occurred, whether or not the attorney-in-fact shall have received notice of such event. Notwithstanding the foregoing, (i) in the event that an attorney-in-fact is no longer employed by The Carlyle Group Employee Co., L.L.C. or its affiliates, this Power of Attorney and all authority conferred hereby shall be immediately terminated with respect to such Attorney, and (ii) the undersigned may terminate or revoke this Power of Attorney at any time.

For purposes hereof, the "Carlyle Companies" shall consist of: (i) Carlyle Group Management L.L.C., The Carlyle Group L.P., Carlyle Holdings I GP Inc., Carlyle Holdings I GP Sub L.L.C., Carlyle Holdings I L.P., Carlyle Holdings II GP L.L.C., Carlyle Holdings III GP L.P., Carlyle Holdings III GP Sub L.L.C., Carlyle Holdings III GP L.P., Carlyle Holdings III GP Sub L.L.C., Carlyle Holdings III L.P., TC Group Sub L.P., TC Group Investment Holdings Sub L.P., TC Group Cayman Investment Holdings Sub L.P., TC Group Cayman Sub L.P. and (ii) the subsidiaries and affiliates of the foregoing in clause (i), including without limitation investment funds sponsored directly or indirectly by one or more of the Carlyle Companies.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 8th day of May, 2012.

/s/ Daniel A. D'Aniello Name: Daniel A. D'Aniello

Title: Chairman

Joint Filer Information

Date of Event

Requiring Statement: May 2, 2012

Issuer Name and Ticker

or Trading Symbol: Freescale Semiconductor Holdings I, Ltd. [FSL]

Designated Filer: Carlyle Group Management L.L.C.

Other Joint Filers: The Carlyle Group, L.P.

> Carlyle Holdings II GP L.L.C. Carlyle Holdings II L.P.

TC Group Cayman Investment Holdings Sub L.P.

Addresses: The address of TC Group Cayman Investment Holdings Sub L.P. is c/o Walker Corporate Services

> Limited, Walker House, 87 Mary Street, George Town, Grand Cayman KY1-9001, Cayman Islands. The address of each of the other reporting persons is c/o The Carlyle Group, 1001 Pennsylvania

Ave., N.W., Suite 220 South, Washington, DC 20004-2505.

Signatures:

Dated: May 8, 2012

CARLYLE GROUP MANAGEMENT L.L.C.

By: /s/ R. Rainey Hoffman, attorney-in-fact

Name: Daniel D'Aniello Title: Chairman

THE CARLYLE GROUP L.P.

By: Carlyle Group Management L.L.C., its general partner

By: /s/ R. Rainey Hoffman, attorney-in-fact

Name: Daniel D'Aniello Title: Chairman

CARLYLE HOLDINGS II GP L.L.C.

By: The Carlyle Group L.P., its managing member

By: Carlyle Group Management L.L.C., its general partner

By: /s/ R. Rainey Hoffman, attorney-in-fact

Name: Daniel D'Aniello Title: Chairman

CARLYLE HOLDINGS II L.P.

By: Carlyle Holdings II GP L.L.C., its general partner By: The Carlyle Group L.P., its managing member

By: Carlyle Group Management L.L.C., its general partner

By: /s/ R. Rainey Hoffman, attorney-in-fact

Name: Daniel D'Aniello Title: Chairman

TC GROUP CAYMAN INVESTMENT HOLDINGS SUB L.P.

By: TC Group Cayman Investment Holdings, L.P., its general partner

By: Carlyle Holdings II L.P., its general partner By: Carlyle Holdings II GP L.L.C., its general partner By: The Carlyle Group L.P., its managing member

By: Carlyle Group Management L.L.C., its general partner

By: /s/ R. Rainey Hoffman, attorney-in-fact

Name: Daniel D'Aniello Title: Chairman