



# Product Change Notification

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**Change Notification #:** 103952 - 01  
**Change Title:** D865PERL, PCN 103952-01, FFF, New BIOS and FWH Part  
**Date of Publication:** April 09, 2004

**Type of Change Notification:**  
FFF - (Form-Fit-Function)

**Key Characteristics of the Change:**  
Documentation

## Forecasted Key Milestones:

<b>Date of First Availability of Post-Conversion Material:</b>	Apr 12, 2004
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*The date of "First Availability of Post-Conversion Material" is the projected date that a customer may expect to receive the Post-Conversion Materials. This date is determined by the projected depletion of inventory at the time of the PCN publication. The depletion of inventory may be impacted by fluctuating supply and demand, therefore, although customers should be prepared to receive the Post-Converted Materials on this date, Intel will continue to ship and customers may continue to receive the pre-converted materials until the inventory has been depleted.*

## Description of Change to the Customer:

1. Upgrading the BIOS to revision P15. For complete details the release notes can be viewed at:  
[http://developer.intel.com/design/motherbd/RL/rl\\_bios.htm](http://developer.intel.com/design/motherbd/RL/rl_bios.htm)
2. Adding an alternate FWH (firmware hub) part. This alternate part is functionally identical to the existing FWH.

## Customer Impact of Change and Recommended Action:

The P15 BIOS has been tested and it is expected to have a minimal impact on customers. It is, however, recommended that customers begin reviewing the P15 BIOS to assure it will integrate smoothly with customer production lines. It will not be possible to flash back to an earlier BIOS release.

These changes are not expected to affect the Microsoft\* Windows\* operating system's software driver stack. The changes have been thoroughly evaluated to ensure that there is no quality, reliability or functional implications to our customers.

## Products Affected / Intel Ordering Codes:

**Board Products Table**

<b>Affected Product Code</b>	<b>Pre-Change MM#</b>	<b>Post-Change MM#</b>	<b>Pre-Change TA or AA</b>	<b>Post-Change TA or AA</b>
BLKD865PERL 852515	852515	852515	C27648-209	C27648-210
BLKD865PERLK 852519	852519	852519	C26719-212	C26719-213
BLKD865PERLL 852517	852517	852517	C27646-211	C27646-212
BLKD865PERLX 855007	855007	855007	C40926-203	C40926-204
BOXD865PERL 852514	852514	852514	C27648-209	C27648-210
BOXD865PERLK 852518	852518	852518	C26719-212	C26719-213
BOXD865PERLL 852516	852516	852516	C27646-211	C27646-212
BOXD865PERLX 854999	854999	854999	C40926-203	C40926-204
LAD865PERLL 852488	852488	852488	C27650-210	C27650-211

### **Reference Documents / Attachments:**

**Document:**

**Location #:**

### **PCN Revision History:**

**Date of Revision:**

**Revision Number:**

**Reason:**

March 11, 2004

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Updated BIOS revision to P15