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### **UNITED STATES**

#### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

## **FORM 10-K/A**

(Mark One)

ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2015

or

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from \_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

Commission File Number 001-34791

**MagnaChip Semiconductor Corporation** 

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of

83-0406195 (I.R.S. Employer

**Incorporation or Organization)** 

**Identification No.)** 

c/o MagnaChip Semiconductor S.A.

1, Allée Scheffer, L-2520

**Luxembourg, Grand Duchy of Luxembourg** 

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (352) 45-62-62

**Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:** 

Title of each class Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share Name of each exchange on which registered New York Stock Exchange

Preferred Stock Purchase Rights New York Stock Exchange Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: None

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is a well-known seasoned issuer, as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act. "Yes x No

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is not required to file reports pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Act. "Yes x No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. x Yes "No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Website, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files. x Yes "No

Indicate by check mark if disclosure of delinquent filers pursuant to Item 405 of Regulation S-K (§229.405 of this chapter) is not contained herein, and will not be contained, to the best of registrant sknowledge, in definitive proxy or

information statements incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K. x

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer and smaller reporting company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large Accelerated Filer "

Accelerated Filer

X

Non-Accelerated Filer " (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Smaller Reporting Company " Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act). "Yes x No

State the aggregate market value of the voting and non-voting common equity held by non-affiliates computed by reference to the price at which the common equity was last sold, or the average bid and asked price of such common equity, as of the last business day of the registrant s most recently completed second fiscal quarter. \$225,946,119

As of March 31, 2016, the registrant had 34,698,904 shares of common stock outstanding.

### **Explanatory Note**

MagnaChip Semiconductor Corporation (MagnaChip, the Company, we, us, or our) is filing this Amendment N Form 10-K/A (this Amendment or this Report) to amend our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2015, originally filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) on February 22, 2016 (the Original 10-K Filing), solely for the purpose of including the information required by Part III of Form 10-K. Such information was previously omitted from the Original 10-K Filing in reliance on General Instruction G(3) to Form 10-K, which permits the information in the above referenced items to be incorporated in the Form 10-K by reference to our definitive proxy statement for the 2016 Annual Meeting of Stockholders if such proxy statement is filed no later than 120 days after our fiscal year end. We are filing this Amendment to include Part III information in our Form 10-K. The reference on the cover of the Original 10-K Filing to the incorporation by reference to portions of our definitive proxy statement into Part III of the Original 10-K Filing is hereby deleted.

In accordance with Rule 12b-15 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ), Part III, Items 10 through 14 of the Original 10-K Filing are hereby amended and restated in their entirety. In addition, we are also including Exhibits 31.3 and 31.4 required by the filing of this Amendment and have consequently amended and restated Part IV, Item 15 of the Original 10-K Filing as set forth herein. This Amendment does not amend or otherwise update any other information in the Original 10-K Filing. Accordingly, this Amendment should be read in conjunction with the Original 10-K Filing and with our filings with the SEC subsequent to the Original 10-K Filing.

## MAGNACHIP SEMICONDUCTOR CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

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### **PART III**

### Item 10. Directors, Executive Officers and Corporate Governance

The following table sets forth certain information regarding our current directors and executive officers:

Name	Age	Position
R. Douglas Norby	80	Non-Executive Chairman of the Board of Directors, Chair of the Audit Committee,
		and Member of the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, the Risk
		Committee and the Strategic Review Committee
Michael Elkins	48	Director, Chair of the Compensation Committee, and Member of the Audit
		Committee, the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee and the Finance
		Committee
Randal Klein	50	Director, Chair of the Finance Committee, Chair of the Strategic Review Committee
		and Member of the Risk Committee
Ilbok Lee	70	Director, Chair of the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, and
		Member of the Compensation Committee, the Risk Committee and the Strategic
		Review Committee
Gary Tanner	63	Director, Member of the Audit Committee, the Strategic Review Committee and the
		Finance Committee
Nader Tavakoli	58	Director, Chair of the Risk Committee, and Member of the Audit Committee and the
		Compensation Committee
Young-Joon (YJ) Kim	51	Director, Chief Executive Officer
Tae Jong Lee	53	Executive Vice President and General Manager, Foundry Services Group
Woung Moo Lee	53	Executive Vice President and General Manager, Standard Products Group
Jonathan Kim	42	Chief Financial Officer, Executive Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer
Theodore Kim	47	Chief Compliance Officer,
		Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

R. Douglas Norby, Non-Executive Chairman of the Board of Directors, Chair of the Audit Committee, and Member of the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, the Risk Committee and the Strategic Review Committee. Mr. Norby became our Non-Executive Chairman of the Board of Directors in May 2014 and our director and Chair of the Audit Committee in March 2010. Mr. Norby retired from full time employment in July 2006. Mr. Norby previously served as our director and Chair of the Audit Committee from May 2006 until October 2008. Mr. Norby served as Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Tessera Technologies, Inc. ( Tessera ), a public semiconductor intellectual property company, from July 2003 to January 2006. Mr. Norby worked as a management consultant with Tessera from May 2003 until July 2003 and from January 2006 to July 2006. Mr. Norby served as Chief Financial Officer of Zambeel, Inc., a data storage systems company, from March 2002 until February 2003, and as Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Novalux, Inc., an optoelectronics company, from December 2000 to March 2002. Prior to his tenure with Novalux, Inc., Mr. Norby served as Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of LSI Logic Corporation from November 1996 to December 2000. Mr. Norby is a director of Alexion Pharmaceuticals, Inc., STATS ChipPAC Ltd. and Singulex, Inc. (a private company). Mr. Norby was a director of Invensense Inc. from September 2009 until July 2014, Ikanos Communications, Inc. from January 2011 until December 2012 and Intellon Corporation from May 2007 to December 2009. Mr. Norby received a B.A. degree in Economics from Harvard University and an M.B.A. from Harvard Business School. Our Board of Directors has concluded that Mr. Norby should serve on the Board of Directors based upon his extensive experience as a chief financial officer, his extensive experience in accounting and his experience as a public company director and audit

committee chair.

Michael Elkins, Director, Chair of the Compensation Committee, and Member of the Audit Committee, the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee and the Finance Committee. Mr. Elkins became our director in November 2009. He is currently self-employed as an investor and business consultant. From 2004 to 2012, Mr. Elkins was employed by affiliates of Avenue Capital Management II, L.P. (referred to collectively as Avenue herein), most recently as a Portfolio Manager of the Avenue U.S. Funds. In such capacity, Mr. Elkins was responsible for assisting with the direction of the investment activities of the Avenue U.S. strategy. Prior to joining Avenue, Mr. Elkins was a Portfolio Manager and Trader with ABP Investments US, Inc. While at ABP, he was responsible for actively managing high yield investments using a total return and special situations strategy. Prior to ABP, Mr. Elkins served as a Portfolio Manager and Trader for UBK Asset Management, after joining the company as a High Yield Credit Analyst. Previously, Mr. Elkins was a Credit Analyst for both Oppenheimer & Co., Inc. and Smith Barney, Inc. Mr. Elkins has served on the board of directors of Bowlmor AMF, a consumer bowling and leisure company, since August 2013. Mr. Elkins previously served on the board of directors of QCE Finance LLC, a restaurant franchise company, Trump Entertainment, a casino company, American Media, Inc., a

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media brands and magazine publishing company, Vertis Communication, an advertising services company, Milacron LLC, a plastics-processing technologies and industrial fluids supplier, and Ion Media Networks, Inc., a broadcast television station. Mr. Elkins serves or has served on the board of directors of each of these companies, all of which are private companies, in connection with a reorganization or refinancing involving affiliates of Avenue and as a result of his past position and association with Avenue. Mr. Elkins holds a B.A. in Marketing from George Washington University and an M.B.A. in Finance from the Goizueta Business School at Emory University. Our Board of Directors has concluded that Mr. Elkins should serve on the Board of Directors based upon his more than 15 years of investment portfolio management experience, including over 10 years investing in technology companies, including the semiconductor sector.

Randal Klein, Director, Chair of the Finance Committee, Chair of the Strategic Review Committee, and Member of the Risk Committee. Mr. Klein became our director in November 2009. Mr. Klein joined Avenue in 2004, and is currently a Portfolio Manager at Avenue responsible for directing the investment activities of the Avenue Trade Claims funds, and also assists with the direction of the investment activities of the Avenue U.S. strategy with a particular focus on restructurings and transactions. Previously, Mr. Klein was a Senior Vice President of the Avenue U.S. Funds. In such capacity, Mr. Klein was responsible for managing restructuring activities and identifying, analyzing and modeling investment opportunities for the Avenue U.S. strategy. Prior to joining Avenue, Mr. Klein was a Senior Vice President at Lehman Brothers, where his responsibilities included restructuring advisory work, financial sponsors coverage, mergers and acquisitions and corporate finance. Prior to Lehman, Mr. Klein worked in sales, marketing and engineering as an aerospace engineer for The Boeing Company. Mr. Klein holds a B.S. in Aerospace Engineering, conferred with Highest Distinction from the University of Virginia, and an M.B.A. in Finance, conferred as a Palmer Scholar, from the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania. Our Board of Directors has concluded that Mr. Klein should serve on the Board of Directors based upon his 20 years of experience as a financial advisor and investment manager.

Ilbok Lee, Director, Chair of the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, and Member of the Compensation Committee, the Risk Committee and the Strategic Review Committee. Dr. Lee became our director in August 2011. Dr. Lee is the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Silego Technology, Inc., a semiconductor company, or Silego, serving as Chairman since March 2015 and as Chief Executive Officer since Silego s inception in October 2001. He also served as Silego s President from October 2001 until March 2015. From April 1999 to September 2001, Dr. Lee served as Senior Vice President and General Manager of the Timing Division at Cypress Semiconductor Corp., a public semiconductor company, and from May 1992 to March 1999 served as President and Chief Executive Officer of IC Works, Inc., a semiconductor company he co-founded that was acquired by Cypress in 2001. Dr. Lee co-founded Samsung Semiconductor, Inc. (U.S.A.) in July 1983 and served in various positions at the company, including President and Chief Executive Officer, until May 1992. Prior to Samsung, Dr. Lee served in various technical and managerial positions at Intel and National Semiconductor. Dr. Lee served as a member of the board of directors for Sierra Monolithic, a privately held semiconductor company, from 2002 through 2009. Dr. Lee received a Ph.D. and M.S.E.E. from the University of Minnesota and a B.S.E.E. from Seoul National University. Our Board of Directors has concluded that Dr. Lee should serve on the Board of Directors based upon his extensive experience in the semiconductor industry.

Gary Tanner, Director and Member of the Audit Committee, the Strategic Review Committee and the Finance Committee. Mr. Tanner became our director in August 2015. Mr. Tanner served as Executive Vice President and Chief Operations Officer of International Rectifier Corporation from January 2013 to July 2015. Mr. Tanner also served as a Director at STATS ChipPac Ltd. from July 2012 until August 2015. Prior to joining International Rectifier Corporation, Mr. Tanner was the principal in GWT Consulting and Investments LLC, a firm that provided consulting services to International Rectifier Corporation from January through December 2012. Mr. Tanner previously served as Chief Executive Officer at Zarlink Semiconductor, Inc. (Zarlink), from May 2011 to October 2011, when Zarlink was

acquired by Microsemi Corporation in October 2011. Prior to his role as Chief Executive Officer of Zarlink, from November 2009 to May 2011, Mr. Tanner served as Chief Operating Officer at that company. Mr. Tanner joined Zarlink in August 2007 as Senior Vice President of Worldwide Operations via the acquisition of Legerity, Inc., where Mr. Tanner served as the Vice President of Operations. Before Zarlink, Mr. Tanner worked for nine years at Intel Corporation, where he held various positions managing domestic and international manufacturing operations. Prior to Intel, Mr. Tanner held various management positions in fab operations at National Semiconductor, Texas Instruments and NCR Corporation. Our Board of Directors has concluded that Mr. Tanner should serve on the Board of Directors based upon his extensive experience in the semiconductor industry.

Nader Tavakoli, Director, Chair of the Risk Committee, and Member of the Audit Committee and the Compensation Committee. Mr. Tavakoli became our director in November 2009. Mr. Tavakoli is President and Chief Executive Officer of Ambac Financial Group, Inc., or AFG, a financial services company, since January 1, 2016. Mr. Tavakoli also serves as a director of AFG since May 2013, and was co-chairman of the board of AFG from May 2013 until December 2014. In addition, Mr. Tavakoli serves as the Executive Chairman of AFG s wholly owned subsidiary, Ambac Assurance Corporation, or AAC, from January 1, 2015 to May 7, 2016, and served as a member of the audit committee and chairman of the compensation committee of AFG and AAC from May 2013 until December 2014. Mr. Tavakoli is also the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of EagleRock Capital Management, a private investment partnership based in New York City. Prior to founding EagleRock in 2002, Mr. Tavakoli managed substantial investment portfolios with Odyssey Partners and Highbridge Capital Management. During his nearly 25 year investment career, Mr. Tavakoli has

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made substantial investments across numerous industries, including significant investments in semiconductor, technology and telecommunications companies. Mr. Tavakoli began his professional career as an attorney with the New York City law firm of Milbank, Tweed, Hadley and McCloy, where he represented institutional clients in banking, litigation and corporate restructuring matters. Mr. Tavakoli was a director of NextWave Wireless, Inc., prior to that company s acquisition by AT&T Inc. in January 2013. Mr. Tavakoli also serves on the board of MF Global Holding Ltd., and also serves as the company s Litigation Trustee, pursuing claims against former management and others on behalf of the company. Mr. Tavakoli is the past chair of the Montclair State University Foundation Board and its investment committee. Mr. Tavakoli holds a B.A. in History from Montclair State University, where he was selected Valedictorian, and a Juris Doctor from the Rutgers Law School, where he was an Editor of the Rutgers Law Review. Our Board of Directors has concluded that Mr. Tavakoli should serve on the Board of Directors based upon his extensive investing and corporate governance experience.

Young-Joon (YJ) Kim, Director, Chief Executive Officer. Mr. YJ Kim became our director and Chief Executive Officer in May 2015, after serving as Interim Chief Executive Officer since May 2014. Mr. YJ Kim served as our General Manager, Semiconductor Manufacturing Services, from May 2015 to November 2015 and previously served as our General Manager, Display Solutions Division from May 2013 to May 2015 and as our Executive Vice President from May 2013 to May 2014 until he became our Interim Chief Executive Officer. Prior to joining our Company, Mr. YJ Kim served at Cavium, Inc., a leading provider of semiconductor products that enable secure and intelligent processing for enterprise, data center, cloud, wired and wireless networking, from June 2006 to April 2013, most recently as Vice President, Infrastructure Processor Division, and General Manager at the Multi-Core Processor Group. Prior to Cavium, Mr. YJ Kim served as Core Team Lead and General Manager of Tolapai Program at Intel Corporation from August 2004 to June 2006. Mr. YJ Kim also served as Director of Marketing at Samsung Semiconductor, Inc. from June 1996 to May 1998. In 1988, Mr. YJ Kim began his career as a product engineer at Intel Corporation, In 1998, Mr. YJ Kim co-founded API Networks, a joint venture between Samsung and Compag specializing in alpha processors, where he served as the head of product management, worldwide sales and business development. Mr. Kim has over twenty-seven years of experience in the semiconductor industry, covering engineering, marketing, product development, strategic planning and general management for microprocessors, network processors, FLASH, EPROM, analog, mixed-signal, sensors, workstations and servers. Mr. YJ Kim holds B.S. and M.Eng degrees in Electrical Engineering from Cornell University. Our Board of Directors has concluded that Mr. YJ Kim should serve as a director based on his understanding of the Company s products and technology as our Chief Executive Officer and his deep knowledge of the semiconductor industry.

*Tae Jong Lee, Executive Vice President and General Manager, Foundry Services Group.* Mr. Lee became our General Manager, Foundry Services Group, in November 2015 and became our Executive Vice President in December 2011, after serving successively as Senior Vice President and Vice President and General Manager, Corporate Engineering, since September 2007. Prior to joining our Company, Mr. Lee served as Director of the Technology Development Division, Chartered Semiconductor Manufacturing, in Singapore from 1999 to August 2007. Mr. Lee holds B.S. and M.S. degrees from Seoul National University, and a Ph.D in Physics from the University of Texas at Dallas.

Woung Moo Lee, Executive Vice President and General Manager, Standard Products Group. Mr. Woung Moo Lee became our Executive Vice President and General Manager, Standard Products Group in November 2015. He previously served as our Senior Vice President, Korea Sales from 2013. Prior to joining our Company, he was one of the founding executives and served as Vice President, Global Strategy and Marketing, Samsung LED Co., Ltd. from 2009 to 2011. In 1984, Mr. Lee began his career as a memory semiconductor design engineer and served as Vice President of Memory Strategy & Marketing Team at Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. until 2009. Mr. Lee received the Proud Samsung Employee Award in 2005 and holds a B.S. degree in Electronic Engineering from Inha University.

Jonathan Kim, Chief Financial Officer, Executive Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer. Mr. J. Kim became our Chief Financial Officer and Executive Vice President in May 2015, after serving as our Interim Chief Financial Officer, Chief Accounting Officer and Senior Vice President since March 2014. Prior to joining our Company, Mr. J. Kim served since July 2010 as the Chief Financial Officer of Startforce, Inc., a VC backed desktop virtualization company, which was acquired in February 2011 by ZeroDesktop, Inc., a leading developer of next-generation desktop virtualization and cloud computing solutions. Mr. J. Kim continued to serve as the Chief Financial Officer at ZeroDesktop through March 2014. Mr. J. Kim also served a principal at a Silicon Valley based investment and advisory firm where he led investments in startup companies in the U.S. and Korea. Mr. J. Kim began his career in public accounting and held various positions with Deloitte for nearly ten years, serving Global Fortune 500 and U.S. multinational publicly traded clients in the Technology, Media & Telecommunication sectors. Mr. J. Kim holds a B.A. degree in Business Administration from the Foster School of Business at University of Washington and is a Certified Public Accountant.

Theodore Kim, Chief Compliance Officer, Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary. Mr. T. Kim became our Chief Compliance Officer and Executive Vice President in May, 2015, and became our General Counsel and Secretary in November 2013. Mr. T. Kim previously served as our Senior Vice President from November 2013 to May 2015. Prior to joining our Company, Mr. T. Kim served as Head Lawyer, Global Business Development at Samsung Fire & Marine Insurance from October 2012 to October 2013. Mr. T. Kim was employed by Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP, a law firm, from October 2005 to July 2012, serving most recently

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as Of Counsel. Prior to that, he served as Foreign Legal Consultant at Kim & Chang, a law firm in Korea, from 2001 to 2005. Mr. T. Kim holds a B.A. degree in Economics and a B.S. degree in Mechanical Engineering from the University of California, Irvine, and a J.D. degree from the University of California, Los Angeles, School of Law.

### **Involvement in Certain Legal Proceedings**

Tae Jong Lee was an officer during our Chapter 11 reorganization proceedings in 2009.

### Section 16(a) Beneficial Ownership Reporting Compliance

Compliance with Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act requires the Company s executive officers and directors, and persons who own more than 10% of a registered class of its equity securities, to file reports of ownership and changes in ownership with the SEC. Officers, directors, and greater than 10% stockholders are required by SEC rules to furnish the Company with copies of all Section 16(a) forms they file.

Based solely on a review of the copies of such forms furnished to the Company, the Company believes that during 2015 all Section 16(a) filing requirements applicable to its officers, directors and greater than 10% stockholders were in compliance with Section 16(a).

### **Code of Business Conduct and Ethics**

We have adopted a Code of Business Conduct and Ethics that applies to all of our directors, officers and employees. We will provide a copy of our Code of Business Conduct and Ethics without charge to any person upon written request made to our Secretary at MagnaChip Semiconductor Corporation, c/o MagnaChip Semiconductor, Inc., 60 South Market Street, Suite 750, San Jose, CA 95113. Our Code of Business Conduct and Ethics is also available on our website at www.magnachip.com. We will disclose any waivers or amendments to the provisions of our Code of Business Conduct and Ethics on our website.

#### **Assessment of Risk**

Our Board believes that our compensation programs are designed such that they will not incentivize unnecessary risk-taking. The base salary component of our compensation program is a fixed amount and does not depend on performance. Our cash incentive program takes into account multiple factors, thus diversifying the risk associated with any single performance factor, and we believe it does not incentivize our executive officers to focus exclusively on short-term outcomes. Our equity awards are limited by the terms of our equity plans to a fixed maximum amount specified in the plan, and are subject to vesting to align the long-term interests of our executive officers with those of our equityholders.

#### **Committees**

The Board of Directors has four standing committees: the Audit Committee, the Compensation Committee, the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee and the Risk Committee. The Board of Directors has two ad hoc committees: the Finance Committee and the Strategic Review Committee.

The Board of Directors has adopted written charters for the Audit Committee, the Compensation Committee, the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee and the Risk Committee. These charters, as well as our Code of Business Conduct and Ethics and the Corporate Governance Guidelines, are posted and available on our website at www.magnachip.com. The information on or accessible through our website is not a part of or incorporated by

reference in this Report.

#### Audit Committee

Our Audit Committee consists of Mr. Norby, as Chair, Mr. Elkins, Mr. Tanner and Mr. Tavakoli. Our Board of Directors has determined that Mr. Norby is an audit committee financial expert as defined in Item 407(d)(5) of Regulation S-K promulgated under the Securities Act. Our Board of Directors has also determined that each of Mr. Norby, Mr. Elkins, Mr. Tanner and Mr. Tavakoli is independent as that term is defined in Section 303A of the New York Stock Exchange ( NYSE ) listing standards and Rule 10A-3 promulgated under the Exchange Act.

The Board of Directors has adopted a written charter for the Audit Committee. The Audit Committee charter is posted and available on our website at www.magnachip.com. The information on or accessible through our website is not a part of or incorporated by reference in this Report. In making such determination of independence for Mr. Elkins, the Board of Directors specifically considered Mr. Elkins previous employment and consulting arrangement with Avenue.

### Compensation Committee

Our Compensation Committee consists of Mr. Elkins, as Chair, Dr. Lee and Mr. Tavakoli. Our Board of Directors has determined that each of Mr. Elkins, Dr. Lee and Mr. Tavakoli is independent under applicable NYSE listing standards. In making such determination of independence for Mr. Elkins, the Board of Directors specifically considered Mr. Elkins previous employment and consulting arrangement with Avenue.

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The Compensation Committee has overall responsibility for evaluating and approving our executive officer and director compensation plans, policies and programs, as well as all equity-based compensation plans and policies.

Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee

Our Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee consists of Dr. Lee, as Chair, Mr. Elkins and Mr. Norby. Our Board of Directors has determined that each of Dr. Lee, Mr. Elkins and Mr. Norby is independent under applicable NYSE listing standards.

The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee identifies individuals qualified to become board members, recommends director nominees, recommends board members for committee membership, develops and recommends corporate governance principles and practices, oversees the evaluation of our Board of Directors and its committees and formulates a description of the skills and attributes of desirable board members. The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee will also consider candidates recommended by our stockholders so long as the proper procedures are followed.

#### Risk Committee

Our Risk Committee consists of Mr. Tavakoli, as Chair, Mr. Norby, Mr. Klein and Dr. Lee. The Risk Committee assists the Board of Directors in its oversight of the Company's management of key risks, as well as the guidelines, policies and processes for monitoring and mitigating such risks. The Risk Committee's primary responsibility is to oversee and approve the implementation of Company-wide risk and crisis management best practices. Other responsibilities of the Risk Committee include providing input to management in identifying, assessing, mitigating and monitoring enterprise-wide risks the Company faces and reviewing the Company's business practices, compliance activities and enterprise risk management and making recommendations to the Board of Directors related to such review.

#### Finance Committee

Our Finance Committee consists of Mr. Klein, as Chair, Mr. Elkins and Mr. Tanner. The Finance Committee was established by the Board of Directors on August 13, 2014. The Finance Committee reviews, oversees, analyzes, monitors and makes recommendations to the Board of Directors with respect to financial matters affecting the Company and its subsidiaries, including capital structure plans and strategies, corporate treasury and banking functions, working capital budgeting management, compliance with debt covenants and communications with statistical rating organizations and other credit rating agencies, capital expenditure plans and projects, financial investment plans and strategies, intercompany transfers, plans and strategies for hedging, material financing plans, tax structures and planning initiatives and annual budgeting.

#### Strategic Review Committee

Our Strategic Review Committee consists of Mr. Klein, as Chair, Mr. Norby, Mr. Tanner and Dr. Lee. The Strategic Review Committee was established by the Board of Directors on June 16, 2015. The Strategic Review Committee assists the Board of Directors in reviewing, considering and evaluating strategic alternatives that may be available to the Company, including the potential sale of all or a substantial portion of the Company. The Strategic Review Committee is also responsible for making recommendations to the Board of Directors regarding potential transactions and whether any such transaction is fair to, and in the best interests of, the Company and its stockholders. In addition, the Strategic Review Committee may conduct negotiations concerning potential transactions and the terms and conditions thereof and is authorized to select and employ professional advisors in connection with its roles and

responsibilities.

### **Board Leadership Structure**

Separation of Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Our Corporate Governance Guidelines state that the Board of Directors shall elect its Chairman and appoint the Company s Chief Executive Officer according to its view of what is best for the Company at any given time. The Board of Directors does not believe there should be a fixed rule as to whether the offices of Chairman and Chief Executive Officer should be vested in the same person or two different people, or whether the Chairman should be an employee of the Company or should be elected from among the non-employee directors. The needs of the Company and the individuals available to play these roles may dictate different outcomes at different times, and the Board of Directors believes that retaining flexibility in these decisions is in the best interest of the Company.

Currently, Mr. Norby serves as the Company s Chairman of the Board of Directors and Mr. YJ Kim serves as the Company s Chief Executive Officer. The Board of Directors may, however, make changes to its leadership structure in the future as it deems appropriate.

### Lead Director

In the event that positions of Chairman and Chief Executive Officer are held by the same person, on an annual basis the independent members of the Board of Directors will select a lead director from the independent directors then serving on the Board of Directors (the Lead Director). The length of service as Lead Director is subject to the Board of Directors s discretion, but will be a minimum of one year. The Lead Director has the authority to call meetings of the independent directors. Mr. Elkins served as Lead Director from February 2013 through May 2014, when Mr. Norby was appointed Chairman of the Board of Directors.

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The duties and responsibilities of the Lead Director include: (a) presiding at meetings if requested by the Chairman or in the absence of the Chairman, including presiding at executive sessions of the Board of Directors non-employee directors and executive sessions of the independent directors of the Board of Directors; (b) working with the Chairman and management in preparing Board of Directors meeting agendas and the need for special meetings; (c) facilitating communications between the Board of Directors and management and Board of Directors members ability to influence Board of Directors meeting agendas; (d) advising and consult with the Chief Executive Officer and Chairman on matters related to governance and Board of Directors performance; (e) receiving, distribute to the Board of Directors and arrange responses to communications from stockholders; (f) assisting in optimizing the effectiveness of the Board of Directors and its independence from management; (g) serving as liaison between the Chairman and the independent directors; (h) meeting separately with each director at least annually; (i) evaluating the performance of the independent directors; and (j) performing such other duties as requested by the Board of Directors. The Lead Director shall be compensated for his services as determined by the Compensation Committee.

### Executive Sessions of the Board of Directors

The Company s non-management directors meet at regularly scheduled Board of Directors meetings in executive session without management present. In 2015, the Chairman presided over the meetings of the non-management directors. In addition, in accordance with the Corporate Governance Guidelines, the independent members of the Board of Directors meet at least twice a year in executive session, with the Chairman setting the agenda and presiding over such meetings.

### Presiding Director

In accordance with our Corporate Governance Guidelines, the presiding director of the Board of Directors is the Chairman of the Board of Directors, if present, or in such person s absence and if applicable, the Lead Director, or in such person s absence, the Audit Committee Chairman, or in such person s absence, the independent director present who has the most seniority on the Board of Directors. The presiding director presides at all meetings of the Board of Directors and is responsible for chairing the Board of Directors executive sessions.

#### **Elimination of Classified Board in 2016**

On July 9, 2015, the Board of Directors determined to take all necessary action to eliminate the Company s classified board effective as of the Company s 2016 Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the 2016 Annual Meeting). Currently, the Company s three classes of directors are elected for staggered three-year terms. Under the Board of Directors declassification plan, in lieu of a gradual phase-out of the classified Board of Directors, beginning with the 2016 Annual Meeting, all members of the Board of Directors (and/or nominees for election thereto) will stand for election annually, each for a one-year term. Amendments to the Company s bylaws and other actions required to implement the declassification plan will be effected prior to the 2016 Annual Meeting and will be reported at a later date.

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### **Item 11. Executive Compensation**

### **Compensation Discussion and Analysis**

### Compensation Philosophy and Objectives

The Compensation Committee of our Board of Directors, or the Committee, has overall responsibility for administering our compensation program for our named executive officers. The Committee's responsibilities consist of evaluating, approving and monitoring our executive officer and director compensation plans, policies and programs, as well as each of our equity-based compensation plans and policies. Prior to 2010, compensation decisions were made by the entire Board of Directors and for the discussion that follows, references to the Committee during such period refer to the entire Board of Directors. For 2015, our named executive officers were:

Young-Joon Kim, our Chief Executive Officer;

Jonathan Kim, our Chief Financial Officer, Executive Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer;

Theodore Kim, our Chief Compliance Officer, Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary;

Tae Jong Lee, our Executive Vice President and General Manager, Foundry Services Group;

Woung Moo Lee, our Executive Vice President and General Manager, Standard Products Group; and

Tae Young Hwang, our former Chief Operating Officer and President.

The Committee seeks to establish total compensation for executive officers that is fair, reasonable and competitive.

The Committee evaluates our compensation packages to ensure that:

we maintain our ability to attract and retain superior executives in critical positions;

our executives are incentivized and rewarded for corporate growth, achievement of long-term corporate objectives and individual performance that meets or exceeds our expectations without encouraging unnecessary risk-taking; and

compensation provided to critical executives remains competitive relative to the compensation paid to similarly-situated executives of companies in the semiconductor industry.

The Committee believes that the most effective executive compensation packages align executives interests with those of our stockholders by rewarding performance that exceeds specific annual, long-term and strategic goals that are

intended to improve stockholder value. These objectives include the achievement of financial performance goals and progress on projects that our Board of Directors anticipates will lead to future growth, as discussed more fully below.

The information set forth below in this Compensation Discussion and Analysis describes the Committee s general philosophy and historical approach.

## Role of Executive Officers in Compensation Decisions

For named executive officers other than our chief executive officer, we have historically sought and considered input from our chief executive officer in making determinations regarding executive compensation. Our chief executive officer annually reviews the performance of our other named executive officers. Our chief executive officer subsequently presents conclusions and recommendations regarding such officers, including proposed salary adjustments and incentive amounts, to the Committee. The Committee then takes this information into account when it makes final decisions regarding any adjustments or awards.

The review of performance by the Committee and our chief executive officer of other executive officers is both an objective and subjective assessment of each executive s contribution to our performance, leadership qualities, strengths and weaknesses and the individual s performance relative to goals set by the Committee or our chief executive officer, as applicable. The Committee and our chief executive officer do not systematically assign a weight to the factors, and may, in their discretion, consider or disregard any one factor which, in their sole discretion, is important to or irrelevant for a particular executive.

The Committee s annual determinations regarding executive compensation are subject to the terms of the respective service agreements between us and the named executive officers (as set forth in more detail below). In addition to the annual reviews, the Committee also typically considers compensation changes upon a named executive officer s promotion or other change in job responsibility. Neither our chief executive officer nor any of our other executives participates in deliberations relating to their own compensation.

### Say on Pay Vote and Stockholder Input

The Committee also seeks to ensure that the compensation paid to the Company s executive officers is aligned with the interests of the Company s stockholders. In that respect, as part of its ongoing review of the compensation paid to the Company s executive officers, the Committee considered the approval by approximately 96.8% of the votes cast for the Say on Pay vote relating to the compensation of our named executive officers at the Company s 2015 Annual Meeting of Stockholders and determined that the Company s executive compensation philosophy, compensation objectives, and compensation elements continued to be appropriate and did not make any changes to the Company s executive pay program in response to such stockholder vote.

#### Role of Compensation Consultant

The Committee engages an external compensation consultant to assist it by providing information, analysis and other advice relating to our executive compensation program and the decisions resulting from its annual executive compensation review. For 2015, the Committee retained Compensia Inc. (Compensia), a national compensation consulting firm, to serve as its compensation advisor. This compensation consultant serves at the discretion of the Committee.

During 2015, Compensia provided the following services:

assisted the Committee in determining the design and amount equity awards for the key executives and Board members;

assisted the Committee in determining the appropriate pool of stock to grant to all employees in 2015; and

assisted the Committee in designing the short-term incentive plan for the key executives. In 2015, Compensia did not provide any services to us other than the consulting services to the Committee. The Committee regularly reviews the objectivity and independence of the advice provided by its compensation consultant on executive compensation. In 2014, the Committee considered the six specific independence factors adopted by the SEC and reflected in the NYSE listing standards and determined that the work of Compensia did not raise any conflicts of interest.

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### Timing of Compensation Decisions

At the end of each fiscal year, our chief executive officer reviews the performance of the other executive officers and present his conclusions and recommendations to the Committee. At that time and throughout the year, the Committee also evaluates the performance of our chief executive officer, which is measured in substantial part against our consolidated financial performance. In January of the following fiscal year, the Committee then assesses the overall functioning of our compensation plans against our goals, and determines whether any changes to the allocation of compensation elements, or the structure or level of any particular compensation element, are warranted.

In connection with this process, our Committee generally establishes the elements of its performance-based cash bonus plan for the upcoming year. With respect to newly hired employees, our practice is typically to approve equity grants at the first meeting of the Committee following such employee s hire date. We do not have any program, plan or practice to time equity award grants in coordination with the release of material non-public information. From time to time, additional equity awards may be granted to executive officers during the fiscal year.

## Elements of Compensation

In making decisions regarding the pay of the named executive officers, the Committee looks to set a total compensation package for each officer that will retain high-quality talent and motivate executives to achieve the goals set by our Board of Directors. Our 2015 compensation package was composed of the following elements:

annual base salary;

long-term equity incentives;

a benefits package that is generally available to all of our employees; and

expatriate and other executive benefits.

### Determination of Amount of Each Element of Compensation

#### General Background

The Committee seeks to establish a total cash compensation package for our named executive officers that is competitive with the compensation reflected in compensation data for similarly-situated executives in the peer group reviewed by the Committee, subject to adjustments based on each executive is experience and performance. Historically, based on our review of industry specific survey data and the professional and market experience of our Committee members, we measured total cash compensation for our named executive officers against cash compensation paid to executives at similarly situated companies which we determined to be our select peer group. Base salaries for our named executive officers would then be benchmarked to median levels for companies in the select peer group, and adjusted upward or downward for performance. Short-term cash incentives would be put in place to provide for opportunities that may result in higher than median levels of cash compensation as compared to our select peer group if, and depending upon the extent to which, our performance and that of our named executive officers exceeded expectations and the goals established by the Committee for the year in question.

### Competitive Positioning

For purposes of comparing our executive compensation against the competitive market, the Committee reviews and considers the compensation levels and practices of a group of comparable technology companies. The companies in this compensation peer group were selected on the basis of their similarity to us in size, industry focus and geographic location.

In October 2014, with the assistance of Compensia, the Committee developed our compensation peer group based on U.S.-based semiconductor companies. We focused on U.S.-based semiconductor companies because our highest ranking executives are U.S. expatriates who have opportunities to work with U.S.-based semiconductor companies. The companies in this compensation peer group were selected on the basis of their similarity to us, based on the following criteria:

industry semiconductors;

similar revenue size ~0.5x to ~2.0x our last four fiscal quarter revenue of approximately \$856 million (approximately \$428 million to approximately \$1.7 billion);

executive positions similar in breadth, complexity and/or scope of responsibility; and

competitors for executive talent.

The Committee approved the use of the market data from this peer group for our December 2014 executive compensation market assessment, which was used for setting executive compensation in 2015:

Cirrus Logic OmniVision Technologies

Cypress Semiconductor PMC-Sierra

Diodes RF Micro Devices

Fairchild Semiconductor Semtech

Integrated Device Tech Silicon Laboratories

International Rectifier Spansion

Intersil SunEdison Semiconductor

Microsemi TriQuint Semiconductor

To analyze the compensation practices of the companies in our compensation peer group, Compensia gathered data from public filings (primarily proxy statements) and from the Radford Global Technology Survey as of July 2014 for companies with annual revenues between \$500 million and \$1 billion, with median revenues of \$739 million. This market data was then used as a reference point for the Committee to assess our current compensation levels in the course of its deliberations on compensation forms and amounts.

The Committee reviews our compensation peer group periodically prior to assessing executive compensation and makes adjustments to its composition, taking into account changes in both our business and the businesses of the companies in the peer group.

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The Committee historically makes annual determinations regarding cash incentive compensation based on our annual operating plan, which we adopt in the December preceding each fiscal year. The determination takes into account our expected performance in the coming fiscal year. The Committee makes all equity compensation decisions for our officers based on existing compensation arrangements for other executives at our Company with the same level of responsibility and based on a review of our select peer group with a view to maintaining internal consistency and parity.

Equity awards are not tied to base salary or cash incentive amounts and will constitute lesser or greater proportions of total compensation depending on the fair value of the awards. The Committee, relying on the professional and market experience of our Committee members, generally seeks to set equity awards at median levels of equity compensation at our select peer group companies.

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The Committee does not apply a formula or assign relative weight in making its determination. Instead, it makes a subjective determination after considering all information collectively.

The Committee may approve additional cash incentive payments or equity compensation grants from time to time during the year in its discretion.

### Base Salary

Base salary is the guaranteed element of an employee s annual cash compensation. Changes in base salary may be approved by the Committee for an executive if the median levels of base salary compensation for similarly-situated executives in our select peer group have changed, and may be further adjusted based upon the employee s long-term performance, skill set and the value of that skill. The Committee evaluates the performance of each named executive officer on an annual basis based on the accomplishment of performance objectives that were established at the beginning of the prior fiscal year as well as its own subjective evaluation of the officer s performance. In making its evaluation, the Committee makes a subjective qualitative assessment of the officer s contribution to our performance during the preceding year, including leadership, success in attaining particular goals of a division for which that officer has responsibility, our overall financial performance and such other criteria as the Committee may deem relevant, including input from our chief executive officer. The Committee then makes a subjective decision regarding any changes in base salary based on these factors and the data from our select peer group. The Committee does not systematically assign weights to any of the factors it considers, and may, in its discretion, ignore any factors or deem any one factor to have greater importance for a particular executive officer. Base salary adjustments generally take effect in the middle of our fiscal year. The Committee increased base salaries for three of our named executive officers, Mr. YJ Kim, Mr. J. Kim and Mr. T. Kim, for the 2015 fiscal year.

#### Cash Incentives

Short-term cash incentives have historically comprised a significant portion of the total target compensation package and are designed to reward executives for their contributions to meeting and exceeding our goals and to recognize and reward our executives in achieving these goals. Incentives are typically designed as a percentage of base salary and are awarded based on individual performance and our achievement of the annual, long-term and strategic quantitative goals set by our Committee.

In December 2009, our Board of Directors implemented a cash incentive plan effective as of January 1, 2010, which we call the Profit Sharing Plan. Each of our employees is eligible to participate in the Profit Sharing Plan, and our Board of Directors intends for the Profit Sharing Plan to incentivize our named executive officers, officers and employees to exceed expectations throughout our entire fiscal year. The Committee administers the Profit Sharing Plan.

Under the Profit Sharing Plan, the Committee reviews our business plan in December of each year and determines an annual consolidated Adjusted EBITDA target, or the Base Target, for the upcoming fiscal year and sets the targeted amount to be awarded to our named executive officers and employees, or the Profit Share, for meeting the Base Target and for achievement in excess of the Base Target.

For our 2015 fiscal year, the Committee determined that it is in the best interest of the Company to increase the target annual performance bonus percentages for three of our named executive officers, Mr. YJ Kim, Mr. J. Kim and Mr. T. Kim.

**Equity Compensation** 

In addition to our historical use of cash incentives, we offer equity incentives as a way to enhance the link between the creation of stockholder value and executive incentive compensation and to give our executives appropriate motivation and rewards for achieving increases in enterprise value. Under our 2009 Common Unit Plan, our Board of Directors previously granted options to acquire MagnaChip Semiconductor LLC common units and restricted unit bonus awards. Awards under our 2009 Common Unit Plan were converted into options for common stock and restricted common stock of MagnaChip Semiconductor Corporation upon our corporate conversion. Such options vest in installments over three years following grant, with approximately one-third of the restricted unit awards vested at grant and the remainder vesting in two subsequent annual installments, as set forth in more detail below.

Under our 2011 Equity Incentive Plan, which replaced the 2009 Common Unit Plan immediately following our corporate conversion, the Committee may grant participants stock options, stock appreciation rights, restricted stock, restricted stock units, performance shares and units, and other stock-based and cash-based awards. Stock options granted under the 2011 Equity Incentive Plan prior to 2015 generally vest over three years following grant, with thirty-four percent of the common stock vesting and becoming exercisable on the first anniversary of grant date and eight or nine percent of the common stock subject to the options vesting on completion of each three-month period thereafter. Stock options granted in 2015 generally vest fifty percent on the date of grant, with the remaining fifty percent vesting and becoming exercisable in three equal annual installments on the first three anniversaries of the grant date. Restricted stock units (RSUs) granted under the 2011 Equity Incentive Plan generally vest fifty percent on the date of grant, with the remaining fifty percent vesting in three equal annual installments on the first three anniversaries of the grant date. Settlement of vested RSUs generally occurs as soon as practicable following the vesting date. In granting equity awards, the Committee may establish

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any conditions or restrictions it deems appropriate. Stock options and stock appreciation rights must have exercise prices at least equal to the fair market value of the stock at the time of their grant pursuant to the 2011 Equity Incentive Plan. The fair market value of the stock at the time of grant will generally be the closing price of a share of stock as quoted on the national or regional securities exchange or quotation system constituting the primary market for the stock on the date any grant is made. Prior to the exercise of a stock option or stock appreciation or settlement of an award denominated in units, the holder has no rights as a stockholder with respect to the stock subject to the award, including voting rights and the right to receive dividends. Participants receiving restricted stock awards are stockholders and have both voting rights and the right to receive dividends, except that dividends paid on unvested shares may remain subject to forfeiture until vested. Award vesting ceases upon termination of employment, and vested options and stock appreciation rights remain exercisable only for a limited period following such termination.

The Committee considers granting additional equity compensation in the event of new employment, a promotion or change in job responsibility or a change in median levels of equity compensation for similarly-situated executives at companies in our select peer group or in its discretion to reward or incentivize individual officers. The equity award levels vary among participants based on their job grade and position. The Committee generally seeks to award equity compensation at levels consistent with the median levels for executives at companies in our select peer group, and will also make subjective determinations regarding adjustments to award amounts in light of factors such as the available pool, individual performance and role of executives. For example, the Committee may adjust the size of an award for an individual executive above the equity award level for his or her position if the Committee determines that the executive has provided exceptional performance, or may increase the equity award level for a position above the median level reflected in the select peer group if the position is considered by the Committee to be more critical to our long-term success. The Committee will generally maintain substantially equivalent award levels for executives at equivalent job grades. Equity awards are not tied to base salary or cash incentive amounts.

As a result of our 2009 reorganization proceedings, all previously outstanding common and preferred units and options held by our named executive officers were cancelled. In December 2009, we granted new options to our executives with the option award amounts generally determined based upon the median levels of our select peer group. Thirty-four percent of the common units subject to the options vested and became exercisable on the first anniversary of grant date, with eight or nine percent of the common units subject to the options vesting on completion of each three-month period thereafter. In January 2012, because the options granted in December 2009 would vest by the end of that year, the Committee granted additional options to all of our named executive officers, other than Mr. YJ Kim, who joined the Company in April 2013, Mr. J. Kim, who joined the Company in March 2014, and Mr. T. Kim, who joined the Company in October 2013. In 2014, Mr. J. Kim received grants of options to purchase an aggregate of 50,000 shares arising out of the commencement of his employment with the Company. In 2015, the Committee granted options and RSUs to all of our named executive officers, other than Mr. Hwang, who resigned his positions with the Company effective as of April 30, 2015.

Upon the recommendation of our Board of Directors or chief executive officer, or otherwise, the Committee may in the future consider granting additional performance-based equity incentives.

## Perquisites and Other Benefits

We provide the named executive officers with perquisites and other benefits, including expatriate benefits, that the Committee believes are reasonable and consistent with our overall compensation program to better enable us to attract and retain superior employees for key positions. Generally, perquisites are determined based upon what the Committee considers to be the most customary perquisites offered by our select peer group and are not based upon a median cost for specific perquisites or for the perquisites in aggregate. The Committee determines the level and types of expatriate benefits for the executive officers based on local market surveys taken by our human resources group.

These surveys are not limited to our select peer group, but include a broad range of non-Korea based companies with significant operations in Korea. Attributed costs of the personal benefits for the named executive officers are as set forth in the Summary Compensation Table below.

Mr. YJ Kim, Mr. J. Kim and Mr. T. Kim were expatriates during 2015 and 2014. Mr. YJ Kim and Mr. T. Kim were also expatriates during 2013. Mr. YJ Kim, Mr. J. Kim and Mr. T. Kim received expatriate benefits commensurate with market practice in Korea. These benefits, which were determined on an individual basis, included housing allowances, relocation and repatriation allowances, insurance premiums, reimbursement for the use of a car, home leave flights, living expenses, children s tuition allowances, tax equalization payments and tax advisory services, each as we deemed appropriate.

In addition, pursuant to the Employee Retirement Benefit Security Act, certain executive officers resident in Korea with one or more years of service are entitled to severance benefits upon the termination of their employment for any reason. For purposes of this section, we call this benefit statutory severance. The base statutory severance is approximately one month of base salary per year of service. Mr. YJ Kim, Mr. J. Kim, Mr. T. Kim, Mr. TJ Lee, Mr. WM Lee and Mr. Hwang accrued statutory severance in 2015.

#### Certain Tax Considerations

We consider tax implications when we design our equity-based and cash compensation programs and when we make awards or grants. In particular, Section 162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code generally disallows a tax deduction to public companies for compensation over \$1,000,000 paid to covered employees (which are defined as our named executive officers, other than the chief

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financial officer). However, qualifying performance-based compensation is not subject to the deduction limit if certain requirements are met. Although deductibility is a factor that the Committee takes into account in determining awards of cash bonuses and equity grant, the Committee may award compensation that is not deductible under Section 162(m) when, in the exercise of the Committee s judgment, it would be in the best interests of the Company and its stockholders to do so.

### **Summary Compensation Table**

The following table sets forth certain information concerning the compensation earned during the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013, of our named executive officers:

				Option	Restricted Stock Unit		All on Other	
Name and Principal Position	Year	Salary (\$)	Bonus (\$)	Awards (\$)(2)	Awards (\$)(3)	Earning© (\$)(4)	ompensation (\$)	Total (\$)
Young-Joon Kim Chief Executive Officer	2015 2014 2013	475,954 349,917 228,226	124,347	137,984 813,660	360,990	77,918 30,315 18,836	566,520 (5) 340,435 213,986	1,619,366 720,667 1,399,055
Jonathan Kim Chief Financial Officer, Executive Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer	2015 2014	322,291 225,196	50,000	106,507 162,691	278,478	35,646 20,043	156,673 (6) 133,671	899,595 591,601
Theodore Kim Chief Compliance Officer, Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary	2015 2014	310,058 279,934		78,791	206,280	34,996 24,081	148,720 (7) 111,114	778,845 415,129
Tae Jong Lee Executive Vice President and General Manager, Foundry Services Group	2015	244,796		66,913	175,338	20,482	57,090 (8)	564,619