



### SPEC Membership Application

**I/We hereby apply for SPEC membership in one or more of the following groups:**

- Graphics and Workstation Performance Group     High Performance Group  
 International Standards Group     Open Systems Group     Research Group

**Entity/Organization** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Address Line 1** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Address Line 2** \_\_\_\_\_  
**City/State/Providence** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Zip/Postal Code** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Country** \_\_\_\_\_

- Check here if the Entity/Organization participates in another SPEC group.  
 Check if an *affiliate* of another SPEC member company, complete the attached Affiliate Disclosure form.

**SPEC Primary Representative:**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Email** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Phone Number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Primary Business Activity (Please check all that apply):**

- Academia     Consultant     Designer/Manufacturer/Marketer of Computing Systems  
 Developer/Manufacturer/Marketer of Software     Government     Independent Laboratory  
 Research Laboratory     Other:

**I/We are interested in participating for the following reasons:**



### Certification of SPEC Confidentiality

I/We understand and agree that during the term of my/our participation in SPEC, I/We will be privy to SPEC Confidential Material and Information, including but not limited to techniques, methods, and strategies by which SPEC operates and develops products, and non-public details of the design or algorithms used in SPEC products.

I/We agree that during and after the term of our participation in SPEC I/We shall:

1. maintain all SPEC Confidential Material and Information and summaries, synopses or abstracts thereof in strict confidence;
2. not disclose such SPEC Confidential Material and Information to any third party without the prior written consent of SPEC;
3. not use the SPEC Confidential Material and Information for my/our own benefit beyond the use permitted as a SPEC member or for the benefit of any third party;
4. comply with the Export Administration Regulations (EAR) of the United States Department of Commerce, including military end use rules and regulations, for any use and re-export of SPEC's software and related technical information; and
5. agree to abide by [SPEC's Bylaws](#), the [Fair Use Rules](#), the [Guidelines for Handling SPEC Information](#), and charter/policy of the SPEC group(s) which I/We are joining.

I/We understand that prompt payment of dues is prerequisite to participation and certify the foregoing is true and accurate information.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Authorized Signature Required**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Title**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Print/Type Name**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**



## Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS) Entity List Information and Certification

*Note: the “you” refers to the applicant entity.* Do you currently have or in the past ten (10) years had any of the following relationships with any entity currently on the [BIS Entity List, Supplement No. 4 to Part 744 of the Export Administration Regulations \(EAR\)](#), published by the Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS) of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

### Relationship

- Parent Company
- Subsidiary Company
- Sister Company
- Branch
- Operating Division
- Other (Similar to any of the above)
- None of these relationships apply

If any such relationships exist, please name the entity on the BIS Entity List and describe the relationship or connection in more detail below, i.e., ownership overlap, percentage of ownership for parent/subsidiary relationship, management control, common board of directors, common address, time frame for the relationship, etc. Add additional pages if needed. **This page must be submitted with the Application.**

I/We agree that during and after the term of our participation in SPEC, I/we will not disclose any SPEC Confidential Material and Information to any foreign persons including businesses, research institutions, government and private organizations, individuals, and other types of legal persons on the [BIS Entity List, Supplement No. 4 to Part 744 of the Export Administration Regulations \(EAR\)](#), published by the Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS) of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

I/We certify that the foregoing is true and accurate information.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Authorized Signature Required**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Title**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Print/Type Name**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**



### Affiliate Disclosure Form

**If you checked an Affiliate of another SPEC member company, please complete this form.**

As an Affiliate of another SPEC member company, I/We have indicated per SPEC’s Bylaws, Section 2.1.1 (below), I/We have the following affiliates who are currently members of the SPEC group(s) we seek to join. I/We indicated which Primary contact will serve as the designated voting representative for the set of affiliates of which I/We hold membership.

#### Section 2.1.1 Affiliate Membership and Voting Rights

An Affiliate of a Member shall be free to join the Corporation as a Member. However, a Member and its Affiliate(s) (including Affiliate(s) of an Affiliate) shall be deemed a single Member for purposes of (1) any vote of the Members of a designated Group, Committee, Work Group, or any other sub-group of the Corporation where they otherwise participate as peers; and (2) having a seat on the Board of Directors.

“Affiliate” means any legal entity that directly or indirectly controls another entity via beneficial ownership of more than fifty percent (50%) of voting power or equity in another entity ("Control"), or is Controlled by another entity or is under common Control with another entity, so long as such Control exists. Note: The term affiliate is only used when the specific entities (members or prospective members) under discussion have such a relationship between them as described in this definition.

When a Member and its Affiliate(s) would have or appear to have two or more votes on a matter within a Group, Committee, Work Group, or other sub-group if they were not affiliates, the Member and its Affiliate(s) shall designate a single voting representative in a written notice to the Board of Directors and to the relevant group or committee Chairperson.

The designated voting representative shall be responsible for resolving any disagreements among the Member and its Affiliate(s) and submitting a single vote on behalf of the Member and its Affiliate(s).

Check box below to indicate the group(s) which the contact is the Designated Voting Representative for:

- Graphics and Workstation Performance Group     High Performance Group
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**Entity/Organization** \_\_\_\_\_

**Primary Representative** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number** \_\_\_\_\_