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Subject Company: Siliconware Precision Industries Co., Ltd.

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### Advanced Semiconductor Engineering, Inc.

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Subject: Pursuant to SEC s request, ASE has appointed the independent expert to issue supplemental fairness opinion for the joint share exchange transaction with SPIL

Date of events: 2018/01/16

To which item it meets: paragraph 51

Statement:

- 1. Date of occurrence of the event: 2018/01/16
- 2. Company name: Advanced Semiconductor Engineering, Inc.
- 3. Relationship to the Company (please enter head office or subsidiaries ): head office
- 4. Reciprocal shareholding ratios: N/A
- 5. Cause of occurrence: According to a response letter issued by the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) dated January 12, 2018, ASE and SPIL are asked to disclose in the Schedule 13e-3 proxy statement a fairness opinion obtained more recently for the consideration of the joint share exchange transaction. ASE has appointed the independent expert, CHIU Ji-Sheng CPA, to provide a supplemental fairness opinion. The expert is of the opinion that (1) the exchange ratio of 1 ASE common share in exchange of 0.5 HoldCo common shares is appropriate, and (2) the reasonable price for per SPIL share shall range from NT\$42.80 to NT\$56.51. Hence, the cash consideration of NT\$55 per SPIL common share to be paid by HoldCo for acquiring all of SPIL s shares which has been adjusted to NT\$51.2 after excluding the NT\$2.8 per share cash dividend distribution, as well as a NT\$1.0 per share payment from capital reserve approved by resolution as SPIL s annual shareholders meeting in 2016, should be fair.

6. Countermeasures: N/A

7. Any other matters that need to be specified: N/A

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