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Dear Server Blades Customer:

Intel is announcing the discontinuance of the SBCEFCSW Qlogic Fibre Channel switch. You have six (4) weeks to place final orders, and four (4) months to take the final delivery.

This notification affects only the model code SBCEFCSW switch.

Details:

1. This end-of-life (EOL) notification is effective **May 24, 2005**.
2. Final purchase orders for the affected products must be placed by **June 24, 2005**.
3. The final quantity to be shipped must specify a customer request date (CRD) no later than **November 01, 2005**.

Final purchase orders are *non-cancelable and non-returnable*, notwithstanding any conflicting terms in our quotes, purchase order acknowledgment or Distributor agreements.

Please contact your local Intel Sales Office or Distributor if you require more information or need assistance in selecting a replacement product. We have a number of Fibre Channel switch choices to choose from including:

| Product | Product Code | MM# |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Brocade Entry SAN Switch | SBCEBFCEW | MM# 868638 |
| Brocade Enterprise SAN Switch | SBCEBFCSW | MM# 868641 |
| Optical Pass-thru Module | SBCEOPM | MM# 867647 |

We apologize for the short notice for the last time purchase for this switch. Circumstances beyond our control have forced this accelerated discontinuance.

Sincerely,

Intel Blade Server Product Marketing