UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE TO

(Rule 14d-100)

TENDER OFFER STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 14(d)(1) OR 13(e)(1) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Ikanos Communications, Inc.

(Name of Subject Company (Issuer))

King Acquisition Co.

a wholly-owned subsidiary of

Qualcomm Atheros, Inc.

(Parent of Offeror)
An Indirect Wholly-Owned Subsidiary of

QUALCOMM INCORPORATED

(Name of Offerors) (Names of Filing Persons (identifying status as offeror, issuer or other person))

Common Stock, Par Value \$0.001 Per Share (Title of Class of Securities)

45173E204 (CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

QUALCOMM Incorporated 5775 Morehouse Dr. San Diego, California 92121-1719

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications on Behalf of Filing Persons)

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] F	Rule 13e-4(i) (Cross-Border Issuer Tender Offer) Rule 14d-1(d) (Cross-Border Third-Party Tender Offer)

This filing relates solely to preliminary communications made before the commencement of a tender offer by King Acquisition Co., a Delaware corporation ("Offeror"), and wholly-owned subsidiary of Qualcomm Atheros, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Parent"), for all of the outstanding common stock of Ikanos Communications, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Ikanos"), to be commenced pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of August 5, 2015, among Parent, Offeror and Ikanos.

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Number Description

99.1 Parent slide presentation to employees of Ikanos



About the Tender Offer

THIS COMMUNICATION IS FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY AND IS NOT AN OFFER TO BUY OR THE SOLICITATION OF AN OFFER TO SELL ANY SHARES OF IKANOS COMMON STOCK. THE TENDER OFFER DESCRIBED IN THIS DOCUMENT HAS NOT YET COMMENCED.

At the time the offer is commenced, a subsidiary of Qualcomm Atheros, Inc. will file a Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), and Ikanos will file a Solicitation/Recommendation Statement on Schedule 14D-9 with respect to the tender offer.

The Offer to Purchase, the related Letter of Transmittal and certain other offer documents, as well as the Solicitation/Recommendation Statement, will be made available to all stockholders of Ikanos at no expense to them. The Tender Offer Statement and the Solicitation/Recommendation Statement will be available without charge at the SEC's web site, at http://www.sec.gov. Free copies of these materials and certain other offering documents will be sent to Ikanos' stockholders by the information agent for the offer.

IKANOS STOCKHOLDERS AND OTHER INVESTORS ARE URGED TO READ THE TENDER OFFER MATERIALS (INCLUDING THE OFFER TO PURCHASE, RELATED LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL AND CERTAIN OTHER OFFER DOCUMENTS) AND THE SOLICITATION/RECOMMENDATION STATEMENT, INCLUDING ALL AMENDMENTS TO THOSE MATERIALS. SUCH DOCUMENTS WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION, WHICH SHOULD BE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE ANY DECISION IS MADE WITH RESPECT TO THE TENDER OFFER.

Safe Harbor

This communication contains forward-looking statements. Any statements contained herein which do not describe historical facts, including but not limited to, statements regarding: the proposed transaction between Qualcomm Atheros and Ikanos; the expected timetable for completing the transaction; strategic and other potential benefits of the transaction; estimated shipments of non-handset connected devices; and any other statements about Qualcomm's or Ikanos' managements' future expectations, beliefs, goals, plans, or prospects, are forward-looking statements which involve risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those discussed in such forward-looking statements. Such risks and uncertainties include: the possibility that certain closing conditions to the transaction will not be satisfied; that required regulatory approvals for the transaction may not be obtained in a timely manner, if at all; the ability to timely consummate the transaction and possibility that the transaction will not be completed; the ability of Qualcomm Atheros to successfully integrate Ikanos' operations and employees; the anticipated benefits of the transaction may not be realized; and those additional factors discussed in Qualcomm's and Ikanos' most recent Quarterly and Annual Reports on Forms 10-Q and 10-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Investors are urged not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date of this communication. Qualcomm and Ikanos undertake no obligation to revise or update any forward-looking statements in order to reflect any event or circumstance that may arise after the date of this communication.



Smarthome platform vision



Media & Broadband

More high-quality content moving throughout the home



Expanding cloud-based services delivered by utilities and operators





Monitoring and controlling systems and devices



Connecting devices and sensors for health and fitness

Our opportunity



Accelerating leadership in the multi-mode smart home gateway

- Enables complete and integrated hardware and software solutions for carrier customers
- Builds on Qualcomm Atheros' leadership in Wi-Fi, small cell, Ethernet and PLC technologies
- Extends our strategy for IoE and small cell

QCT: Our semiconductor business

Business streams



Smartphones



Connectivity & Networking



Internet of things





QCT's Connectivity & Networking business

MCL

Mobile, Computing, Location

- Mobile & Computing
- Location & GNSS

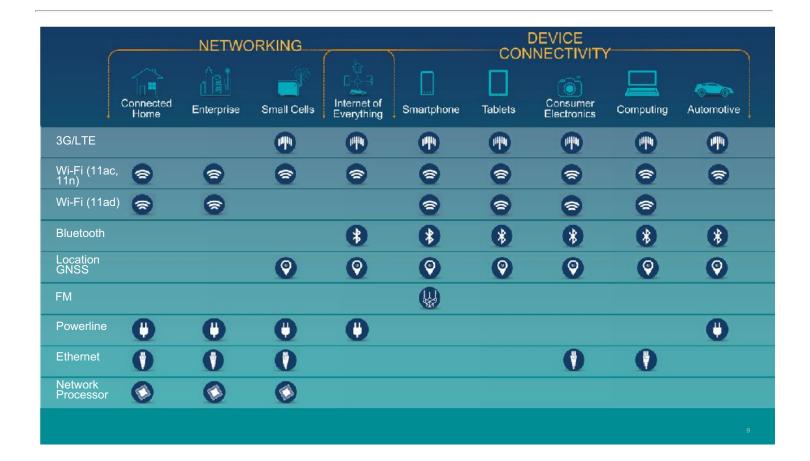


WIN

Wired/Wireless
Infrastructure & Networking

- Connected Home
- Networking & Infrastructure





WIN business overview

Wired and Wireless Infrastructure and Networking

Connected Home



Complete Platform Solution

(Wi-Fi, Bluetooth, PLC, Ethernet, CPU/NPU, RFFE) **Enterprise**



Complete Platform Solution

(Wi-Fi, Ethernet, PLC, CPU/NPU, RFFE)

Carrier



Connectivity

(Wi-Fi, PLC, Ethernet)

Combining our strengths

Complete solutions

 Tighter carrier grade platform integration model with Vx17x/Vx18x/Vx5xx + Wi-Fi + Ethernet

Accelerated roadmap

 Modem IP integration, cost reduction and optimized BOM

Carrier-grade software

 Build on the synergies between inSIGHT™ and Qualcomm® StreamBoost™ to create a credible QoS and analytics offering for remote management, diagnostics, traffic analysis

Technology migration

Drive faster adoption to G.fast using Qualcomm's carrier relationships

Qualcomm® StreamBoost™ is a product of Qualcomm Atheros, In

Next steps

Acquisition process & timing

- Regulatory clearances required in non-US jurisdictions
- Expect to close by end of CY15

Integration planning

- Functional integration teams established
- Employee discussions begin August 17

Getting to know Qualcomm

- Presentations from our team
- Acquisition and integration website

