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Registration Statement No. 333-42500

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Post-Effective Amendment No. 1

to

FORM S-3

REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

Conexant Systems, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) 100 Schulz Drive Red Bank, New Jersey 07701 (732) 345-7500

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

25-1799439 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

> DENNIS E. O REILLY, Esq. Senior Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and Secretary Conexant Systems, Inc. 4000 MacArthur Boulevard, West Tower Newport Beach, California 92660-3095 (949) 483-4600

(Name, address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: This post-effective amendment withdraws from registration all shares of common stock that remain unsold under each of Registration Statements Nos. 333-30596, 333-38890, 333-42500, 333-48270, 333-61912, 333-67190 and 333-97285.

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If the only securities being registered on this Form are being offered pursuant to dividend or interest reinvestment plans, please check the following box. []

If any of the securities being registered on this Form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, other than securities offered only in connection with dividend or interest reinvestment plans, check the following box.

If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, please check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

If this Form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(c) under the Securities Act of 1933, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. [] ______

If delivery of the prospectus is expected to be made pursuant to Rule 434, please check the following box. []

This document shall serve as Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to each of Registration Statements Nos. 333-30596, 333-38890, 333-42500, 333-48270, 333-61912, 333-67190 and 333-97285.

WITHDRAWAL OF SECURITIES FROM REGISTRATION

Set forth below are Registration Statements on Form S-3 (collectively, the Registration Statements) filed by Conexant Systems, Inc., a Delaware corporation (Conexant), for purposes of registering the sale and/or resale of shares of Conexant s common stock, par value \$.01 per share (including the associated preferred share purchase rights), issued or issuable by Conexant in connection with the acquisitions set forth below (the Shares):

| Filing Date | Registration Number | Acquisition |
|---|---------------------|---|
| February 17, 2000 | 333-30596 | Istari Design, Inc. Oak Technology Ltd. Microcosm Communications Limited |
| June 8, 2000 | 333-38890 | Philsar Semiconductor Inc. |
| July 28, 2000 | 333-42500 | HotRail, Inc. Sierra Imaging, Inc. Applied Telecom, Inc. |
| October 19, 2000 | 333-48270 | Novanet Semiconductor Ltd. |
| May 30, 2001 | 333-61912 | Microcosm Communications Limited |
| August 9, 2001 (amended September 28, 2001) | 333-67190 | Microcosm Communications Limited Applied Telecom, Inc. HyperXS Communications, Inc. |
| July 29, 2002 (amended January 26, 2003) | 333-97285 | Certain assets of iCompression, Inc. |

This Post-Effective Amendment to each of the Registration Statements is being filed to withdraw from registration under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, all Shares that remain unsold under each of the Registration Statements.

PART II

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INFORMATION NOT REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-3 and has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment to each of the Registration Statements to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Newport Beach, State of California, on the 26th day of August, 2004.

CONEXANT SYSTEMS, INC.

By /s/ DENNIS E. O'REILLY

(Dennis E. O'Reilly, Senior Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and Secretary)

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment to each of the Registration Statements has been signed on the 26th day of August, 2004 by the following persons in the capacities indicated:

Title **Signature** DWIGHT W. DECKER* Chairman of the Board of Directors ARMANDO GEDAY* Chief Executive Officer (principal executive officer) and Director DONALD R. BEALL* Director STEVEN J. BILODEAU* Director RALPH J. CICERONE* Director DIPANJAN DEB* Director F. CRAIG FARRILL* Director BALAKRISHNAN S. IYER* Director JOHN W. MARREN* Director D. SCOTT MERCER* Director JERRE L. STEAD* Director GIUSEPPE P. ZOCCO* Director J. SCOTT BLOUIN* Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (principal financial and accounting officer)

*By /s/ DENNIS E. O'REILLY
(Dennis E. O'Reilly, Attorney-in-fact)**

SIGNATURES 3

** By authority of the powers of attorney filed as Exhibit 24 hereto.

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit <u>Number</u>

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