August 28, 2006

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| Washington, D.C. 20549 |
| FORM 6-K |
| REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER |
| Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 |
| under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 |
| For the month of August 2006 |
| Commission File Number 1-31994 |
| SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION (Translation of Registrant s Name Into English) |
| 18 Zhangjiang Road |
| Pudong New Area, Shanghai 201203 |
| People s Republic of China |
| (Address of Principal Executive Offices) |
| (Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F): Form 20-FX Form 40-F |
| (Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b)(1)): |
| Yes No _X |
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Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation (the Registrant) is furnishing under the cover of Form 6-K:

Exhibit 99.1: Press announcement, dated August 28, 2006, announcing the change of address of the Registrant s principal place of business in Hong Kong.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation

By: /s/ Richard R. Chang Name: Richard R. Chang

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: August 28, 2006

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Description

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Hong Kong.

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The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited takes no responsibility for the contents of this announcement, makes no representation as to its accuracy or completeness and expressly disclaims any liability whatsoever for any loss howsoever arising from or in reliance upon the whole or any part of the contents of this announcement.

SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(STOCK CODE: 0981)

CHANGE OF ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IN HONG KONG

With effect from Monday, August 28, 2006, the principal place of business in Hong Kong of Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation (the Company) will be changed to Suite 3003, 30th Floor, No. 9 Queen s Road Central, Hong Kong.

Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation (the Company) today announces that its principal place of business in Hong Kong will be changed to the following with effect from Monday, August 28, 2006:

Suite 3003, 30th Floor, No. 9 Queen s Road Central, Hong Kong

The telephone and facsimile numbers of the Company remain unchanged as follows:

Telephone: (852) 2537-8613/2537-8588

Facsimile: (852) 2537-8206

As at the date of this announcement, the directors of the Company are Yang Yuan Wang as Chairman of the Board of Directors and Independent Non-Executive Director of the Company; Richard R. Chang as President, Chief Executive Officer and Executive Director of the Company; Fang Yao as Non-Executive Director of the Company; and Ta-Lin Hsu, Tsuyoshi Kawanishi, Henry Shaw, Lip-Bu Tan, Albert Y. C. Yu and Jiang Shang Zhou as Independent Non-Executive Directors of the Company.

Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation Richard R. Chang Chief Executive Officer

Shanghai, PRC

August 28, 2006

* For identification only
Please also refer to the published version of this announcement in The Standard

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