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Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Stockholder Meeting to Be Held on September 20, 2010.

SYMANTEC CORPORATION

SYMANTEC CORPORATION 350 ELLIS STREET MOUNTAIN VIEW, CALIFORNIA 94043

Meeting Information

Meeting Type: Annual Meeting **For holders as of:** July 26, 2010

Date: September 20, 2010 **Time:** 11:00 a.m. PT

Location: Meeting live via the Internet-please visit www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/symantec.

The company will be hosting the meeting live via the Internet this year. To attend the meeting via the Internet please visit www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/symantec and be sure to have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow è XXXX XXXX XXXX (located on the following page) in the subject line.

You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in the above named company.

This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these shares. This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. You may view the proxy materials online at *www.proxyvote.com* or easily request a paper copy (see reverse side).

We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

Before You Vote

How to Access the Proxy Materials

Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE:

NOTICE AND PROXY STATEMENT ANNUAL REPORT

How to View Online:

Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow **è** XXXX XXXX XXXX (located on the following page) and visit: www.proxyvote.com.

How to Request and Receive a PAPER or E-MAIL Copy:

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1) *BY INTERNET*: www.proxyvote.com 2) *BY TELEPHONE*: 1-800-579-1639

3) BY E-MAIL*: sendmaterial@proxyvote.com

Requests, instructions and other inquiries sent to this e-mail address will NOT be forwarded to your investment advisor. Please make the request as instructed above on or before September 6, 2010 to facilitate timely delivery.

How To Vote

Please Choose One of the Following Voting Methods

Vote By Internet:

Before The Meeting:

Go to www.proxyvote.com. Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow

è XXXX XXXX available and follow the instructions.

During The Meeting:

Go to www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/symantec. Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow è XXXX XXXX available and follow the instructions.

Vote By Mail: You can vote by mail by requesting a paper copy of the materials, which will include a proxy card.

^{*} If requesting materials by e-mail, please send a blank e-mail with the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow è XXXX XXXX XXXX (located on the following page) in the subject line.

Voting Items

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposals:

- 1. Election of eleven (11) members to the Board of Directors:
 - 1a. Stephen M. Bennett
 - 1b. Michael A. Brown
 - 1c. William T. Coleman III
 - 1d. Frank E. Dangeard
 - 1e. Geraldine B. Laybourne
 - 1f. David L. Mahoney
 - 1g. Robert S. Miller
 - 1h. Enrique Salem
 - 1i. Daniel H. Schulman
 - 1j. John W. Thompson
 - 1k. V. Paul Unruh
- 2. Ratification of the appointment of KPMG LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the 2011 fiscal year;
- 3. Approval of an amendment to our 2004 Equity Incentive Plan, as amended, to increase the number of authorized shares issuable thereunder by 55,000,000 shares; and
- 4. Approval of an amendment to our 2008 Employee Stock Purchase Plan, to increase the number of authorized shares issuable thereunder by 20,000,000 shares.

Note: Such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.

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