

## Rapid Development of Optoelectronics Processing Equipment and Key Component Industries

The STSP successfully recruited international industrial leaders such as ULVAC Taiwan Manufacturing and Ultra Clean Precision Technology of Japanese ULVAC Group, Intelligent Research (Chisso), and Taiwan Daifuku. Among them, ULVAC, Japan, was the world's third largest manufacturer of LCD production equipment in 2004 and ULVAC Taiwan Manufacturing and Ultra Clean Precision Technology began construction on December 29, 2005. In the future, ULVAC Taiwan Manufacturing will introduce optoelectronics and semiconductor equipment coating and ODF equipments and technologies from ULVAC, Japan. Daifuku is the leader in global automatic transfer equipment and its factory in STSP is close to completion. It is a great opportunity for domestic enterprises of processing equipment and precise machine industries to cooperate with these two well-known equipment manufacturers; it will also be beneficial to improve Taiwan's ability to manufacture TFT panel equipment.

Intelligent Research (Chisso) began building its factory in the STSP on December 5, 2005. Since it takes the most market share of key component - LCD products, Intelligent Research (Chisso) is able to provide TFT panel manufacturers with stable key component to help to reduce production cost and risk and improve international competitiveness.



Construction Commencement Ceremony of ULVAC Taiwan Manufacturing and Ultra Clean Precision Technology(December 29)



2005 Presentation of Nanke Elementary School



Contract Signing and Operation Transfer Ceremony of Health Hub (December 21)

## Promoting the Establishment of the National Nanke International School

National Nanke International School has been planned to be combined with the County Nanke Junior High and Nanke Elementary School to create an internationalized education environment and attract employees. Additionally, a bilingual department and a high school will be added. Since January 2005, two establishment draft proposals were sent for approval and several negotiations were conducted with the Ministry of Education. The third draft proposal was sent to the Ministry after re-submission by the National Science Council on July 8, 2005. On September 28, 2005, the Executive Yuan requested the establishment promotion. The plans for the establishment of National Nanke International School and National Kaoke International School were, in principle, approved by the Ministry of Education on February 9, 2006. The establishment of two schools is under process and National Nanke International School is estimated to be built on August 1, 2006.

## Operation Tendering of Health Hub and Community Center

The STSP received praise after the successful transfer of Park17 shopping mall and attempt to provide a high-quality living environment for enterprise staffs of the STSP, we are now building the Health Hub and the Community Center and conducting pre-evaluation and enterprises recruitment based on the Law for Promotion of Private Participation in Infrastructure Project (referred to as "Law for Promotion of Private Participation"). The STSP successfully invited private participation in management and operations and was awarded by the Public Construction Commission of Executive Yuan.

Leader Hotel & Resort was selected as the manager of the Health Hub operations on November 21, 2005 and on December 21, the Contract for Cooperation was entered. The operations, the first operation transfer of the science parks in accordance with the Law for Promotion of Private Participation, are expected to begin in July 2007. The contract will bring revenues of over US\$0.3 million and save operational and administrative costs over US\$12.4 million. The management and operations of the Community Center, the first facility in the science parks based on the concept of community building was entrusted to the Science Park Life Hub on December 27, 2005 after bidding evaluation and the Contract for Cooperation was entered on February 16, 2006 with an estimated revenues of about US\$ 0.3 million and savings in operational and administrative costs of over US\$3.1 million.