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Incorrect update instructions for SCB2 BMC Firmware rev. 50

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Products Affected
SCB2ATA (MM#837553), SCB2SCSI (MM#837554), BCBABB (MM#836980), BCBSBB (MM#836898)

Description
The original release notes for SCB2 BMC firmware rev 50, posted to IBL and Support.Intel.com on Nov 5, 2001, failed to communicate the requirement to update the BMC Boot Block when flashing BMC rev 50 on to the server board from previous releases of firmware. If the BMC Boot Block is not updated, some fixes added to BMC 50 release will not take effect.

Corrective Action / Resolution
Intel has corrected the update instructions in the release notes to reflect a BMC Boot Block update is needed. The SCB2 BMC firmware rev. 50 was bundled and re-posted with the new release notes as of January 14, 2002.

Recommendations
Intel recommends that SCB2 based servers that have previously been flashed with BMC firmware rev. 50 without a boot block update be re-flashed to include the boot block change. Refer to the updated BMC 50 release notes for complete update instructions.

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