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TOKENLINK VELOCITY XL PCI NIC RELEASE NOTES

These release notes provide 3Com® TokenLink Velocity® XL PCI network interface card (3C359 NIC) information on the following topics:

- 3C359 NIC compatibility with some platforms
- NBI NLM file copy procedure for NetWare server installations
- Corrections to the user guide

3C359 NIC Compatibility

3Com tested the 3C359 NIC on over 100 different computer platforms. You can view the list of successfully tested platforms at the 3Com World Wide Web site:

http://www.3com.com/

During quality assurance testing, the following computers exhibited compatibility issues:

- AST Bravo MS-T (models 5133, 5200)
- Compaq Proliant 800
- DEC Venturis 5/75
- IBM PC 330 (models 6560, 6575)
- NEC PowerMate V133

If you experience a compatibility problem, 3Com recommends making the following changes to your system's configuration to resolve the issue. You can try any of these steps or all of them.

1 Move the 3C359 NIC to another PCI slot, preferably one close to the motherboard.

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- 2 Add a second PCI device to your system.
- 3 Disable power management.



3Com recommends that you use the NetBEUI or TCP/IP protocol stacks when installing the 3C359 NIC in a Windows 95 client attaching to a Windows NT server.

NetWare Server Installations

When installing the 3C359 NIC in a NetWare 4.x server, copy the NBI.NLM file from the NETWARE\NWSERVER\4.1X directory on *TokenDisk*® diskette #1 or the *TokenDisk* CD.

When installing the 3C359 NIC in a NetWare 3.12 server, copy the NBI31X.NLM file from the NETWARE\NWSERVER\3.12 directory on *TokenDisk* diskette #1 or the *TokenDisk* CD.

In either case, the destination directory should be the same directory used for the driver.

User Guide Corrections

The TokenLink Velocity XL PCI Network Interface Card User Guide (part number 09-1116-000) contains the following errors.

NDIS 2.01 Driver Installation Instructions

The filename **TLNKPN2.DOS** should be **TLPN2.DOS**. On page 5-2, change step 3 from:

copy a:\ndis2\dos\tlnkpn2.dos c:\temp

copy a:\ndis2\dos\tlpn2.dos c:\temp

Wake-up On LAN Capability

The user guide states on page 1-3 that the 3C359 NIC supports Wake-up On LAN capability as described in the *Advanced Configuration and Power Interface/OnNow* (ACPI) specification. The NIC does not support this capability.

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