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PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT NO. 6 (To Prospectus Dated February 22, 2002)

\$200,000,000

Photronics, Inc.

4 3/4% Convertible Subordinated Notes Due 2006 and Common Stock Issuable Upon Conversion of the Notes

This document supplements our prospectus dated February 22, 2002 relating to the resale of up to \$200,000,000 aggregate principal amount of our notes and the shares of our common stock issuable upon conversion of the notes, by certain holders of notes who are named as selling security holders in the prospectus.

You should read this prospectus supplement in conjunction with the prospectus. This prospectus supplement updates information in the prospectus, and, accordingly, to the extent inconsistent, the information in this prospectus supplement supersedes the information contained in the prospectus.

Investing in the notes involves risks. See "Risk Factors" beginning on page 7 of the prospectus.

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The date of this prospectus supplement is April 11, 2002.

The table of selling security holders beginning on page 36 of the prospectus is hereby amended to add the entities named below as selling security holders:

Number

Principal amount of
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Name

Lincoln National Global Asset Allocation Fund, Inc.	\$40,000	*	1,
Putnam Asset Allocation Funds-Balanced	310,000	*	8,
Portfolio			
Putnam Asset Allocation	240,000	*	6,
Funds-Conservative Portfolio			
Putnam Convertible Income-Growth Trust	2,180,000	1.09%	58,
Putnam Convertible Opportunities and	80,000	*	2,
Income Trust			
Putnam Variable Trust-Putnam			
VT Global Asset Allocation Fund	80,000	*	2,
VT Global Asset Allocation Fund	80,000	*	2,

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After giving effect to the addition of the foregoing selling security holders and an increase in the amount of notes held by Nicholas Applegate Convertible Fund, the section of the prospectus entitled "Selling Security Holders" reads as follows:

#### SELLING SECURITY HOLDERS

We originally issued the notes in a private placement in December 2001. The notes were resold by the initial purchasers of the notes to qualified institutional buyers under Rule 144A under the Securities Act. Selling security holders may offer and sell the notes and the underlying common stock pursuant to this prospectus.

The following table sets forth information we have received as of April 11, 2002 about the principal amount of notes and the underlying common stock beneficially owned by each selling security holder that may be offered using this prospectus.

	Principal amount of notes		Number of shares of common
	beneficially owned that	Percentage of notes	stock that may be sold
Name	may be sold	outstanding	(1)
Advent Convertible Master			
Cayman L.P. AIG/National Union Fire	\$ 2,935,000	1.47%	79,324
Insurance	180,000	*	4,864
Allentown City Firefighters Pension Plan	29,000	*	783
Allentown City Officers &	-,		
Employees Pension Fund	11,000	*	297
Allentown City Police Pension Plan	54,000	*	1,459
Amaranth LLC	13,800,000	6.90	372,972

American Motorist Insurance			
Company	507,000	*	13,702
AmSouth Bank Custodian			
for AmSouth VA Equity Income Fund	2,100,000	1.05	56 <b>,</b> 756
AmSouth Bank Custodian for			

Name	Principal amount of notes beneficially owned that may be sold	Percentage of notes outstanding	Number of shares of common stock that may be sold (1)
Silect Equity Variable Annuity Fund	1,320,000	*	35,675
Arapahoe County Colorado Argent Classic Convertible	49,000	*	1,324
Arbitrage Fund L.P. Argent Classic Convertible	500,000	*	13,513
Arbitrage Fund (Bermuda) Ltd. Argent Convertible Arbitrage	2,000,000	1.00	54,054
Fund Ltd. Argent LowLev Convertible	4,500,000	2.25	121,621
Arbitrage Fund LLC Arkansas Teachers Retirement	500,000	*	13,513
System	3,506,000	1.75	94,756
Aventis Pension Master Trust (5) Bank Austria Cayman Islands,	105,000	*	2,837
LTD Bankers Trust Company Trustee	7,400,000	3.70	199,999
for DaimlerChrysler Corp. Emp. #1 Pension Plan dtd. 4/1/89	3,465,000	1.73	93,648
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Baptist Health of South Florida Black Diamond Offshore Ltd.	577,000 565,000	*	15,594
Boilermaker - Blacksmith Pension	585,000		15,270
Trust (5)	590,000	*	15,945
British Virgin Islands Social Security Board	38,000	*	1,027
CALAMOS(R)Convertible Fund - CALAMOS(R) Investment Trust (5) CALAMOS(R)Convertible Growth	2,400,000	1.20	64,864
and Income Fund - CALAMOS(R) Investment Trust (5) CALAMOS(R)Convertible	4,400,000	2.20	118,918
Portfolio - CALAMOS(R) Advisors Trust (5)	65,000	*	1,756

Name 	Principal amount of notes beneficially owned that may be sold	Percentage of notes outstanding	Number of shares of common stock that may be sold (1) 
CALAMOS(R)Convertible			
Technology Fund - CALAMOS(R)	65,000	*	1,756
Investment Trust (5)			
CALAMOS(R)Global Convertible			
Fund - CALAMOS(R) Investment	70,000	*	1,891
Trust (5)			
CALAMOS(R)Market Neutral Fund -			
CALAMOS(R) Investment Trust (5)	10,500,000	5.25	283,783
Castle Convertible Fund, Inc.	1,250,000	*	33,783
Chrysler Corporation Master			
Retirement Trust	2,035,000	1.01	54,999
CIBC World Markets	1,000,000	*	27,027
City of Albany Pension Plan (5)	50,000	*	1,351
City of Knoxville Pension System			0.010
(5)	145,000	*	3,918
City of New Orleans	203,000	*	5,486
City University of New York	122,000	*	3,297
Clarica Life Insurance Co U.S.	145 000	*	2 01 0
(5)	145,000	*	3,918
Clinton Multistrategy Master Fund, Ltd.	4,000,000	2.00	100 100
Clinton Riverside Convertible	4,000,000	2.00	108,108
Portfolio Limited	4,000,000	2.00	108,108
Consulting Group Capital Markets	4,000,000	2.00	100,100
Funds (5)	250,000	*	6,756
DeAm Convertible Arbitrage	3,300,000	1.65	89,189
Delta Airlines Master Trust (5)	950,000	*	25,675
Delta Air Lines Master Trust (c/o	550,000		20,010
Oaktree Capital Management LLC)	490,000	*	13,243
Delta Pilots Disability and	190,000		10,210
Survivorship Trust (5)	200,000	*	5,405
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Principal		Number of
amount of		shares of
notes		common
beneficially	Percentage	stock that
owned that	of notes	may be sold

Name	may be sold	outstanding	(1)
Delta Pilots D & S Trust (c/o			
Oaktree Capital Management	270,000	*	7,297
LLC)	270,000		1,251
Deutsche Banc Alex Brown	15,624,000	7.81	422,269
Dorinco Reinsurance Company (5)	325,000	*	8,783
Double Black Diamond Offshore			
LDC	2,935,000	1.47	79,324
Drury University (5)	35,000	*	945
Engineers Joint Pension Fund	468,000	*	12,648
Federated Equity Income Fund,			
Inc.	7,300,000	3.65	197,297
Federated Insurance Series, on			
behalf of its Federated Income	300,000	*	8,108
Fund II			
Fidelity Financial Trust: Fidelity			
Convertible Securities Fund (6)	11,680,000	5.84	315 <b>,</b> 675
Franklin and Marshall College	190,000	*	5,135
Gartmore Variable Insurance			
Trust, on behalf of its Federated	180,000	*	4,864
GVIT Equity Income Fund			
Goldman Sachs and Company	500,000	*	13,513
Grady Hospital Foundation	107,000	*	2,891
Granville Capital Corporation	2,000,000	1.00	54,054
HFR Convertible Arbitrage			
Account	190,000	*	5,135
HFR Master Fund, LTD. (5)	50,000	*	1,351
H.K. Porter Company, Inc. (5)	15,000	*	405
Independence Blue Cross	64,000	*	1,729
Innovest Finanzdienstleistungs AG	580,000	*	15,594
Jefferies Umbrella Fund US Convertible Bonds	¢ 270.000	*	7 007
COnvertible Bonas	\$ 270,000	^	7,297

Name 	Principal amount of notes beneficially owned that may be sold	Percentage of notes outstanding	Number of shares of common stock that may be sold (1) 
KBC Financial Products USA Inc. Kettering Medical Center Funded Depreciation Account (5) Knoxville Utilities Board Retirement System (5) Lincoln National Global Asset	250,000 35,000 120,000 40,000	* * *	6,756 945 3,243 1,081

Allocation Fund, Inc.			
Lipper Convertibles, L.P.	1,500,000	*	40,540
Lipper Offshore Convertibles, L.P.	1,500,000	*	40,540
Louisiana Workers' Compensation			
Corporation (5)	150,000	*	4,054
Lumbermans	491,000	*	13,270
Lyxor Master Fund Ref:			
Argent/LowLev CB	1,230,000	*	33,243
Macomb County Employees'			
Retirement System (5)	145,000	*	3,918
McMahan Securities Co., L.P.	1,500,000	*	40,540
Microsoft Corporation	410,000	*	11,081
Minnesota Power and Light	125,000	*	3,378
Morgan Stanley & Co. (7)	1,500,000	*	40,540
Motion Pictures Industry	545,000	*	14,729
Motion Picture Industry Health			
Plan - Active Member Fund	190,000	*	5,135
Motion Picture Industry Health			
Plan - Retiree Member Fund	80,000	*	2,162
Municipal Employees	183,000	*	4,945
New Orleans Firefighters Pension			
/Relief Fund	110,000	*	2,972
Nicholas Applegate Convertible			
Fund	1,529,000	*	41,324
Nicholas Applegate Global			
Holdings LP	35,000	*	945
1976 Distribution Trust FBO A.R.			
Lauder / Zinterhofer	7,000	*	189

Name 	Principal amount of notes beneficially owned that may be sold	of notes	may be sold
1976 Distribution Trust FBO Jane			
A. Lauder	13,000	*	351
Occidental Petroleum Corporation	118,000	*	3,189
OCM Convertible Trust	1,180,000	*	8,918
Ohio National Fund, Inc., on			
behalf of its Equity Income	30,000	*	810
Portfolio			
Ondeo Nalco	40,000	*	1,081
Onex Industrial Partners Limited	1,950,000	*	52,702
Palladin Securities LLC	1,200,000	*	32,432
Paloma Securities LLC	5,000,000	2.50	135,135
Partner Reinsurance Company			
Ltd.	330,000	*	8,918

Debble Control Inc		*	17 577
Pebble Capital Inc. Physicians Life	650,000 183,000	*	17,567 4,945
Policemen and Firemen	103,000	, A	4,940
	503,000	*	13,594
Retirement System of the City of	503,000	^	13, 394
Detroit			
Port Authority of Allegheny			
County Retirement and Disability		*	1.6 . 60.1
Allowance Plan for the Employees	615,000	^	16,621
Represented by Local 85			
of the Amalgamated Transit Union (5)		*	16 007
Pro-mutual	603,000	*	16,297
Putnam Asset Allocation Funds-Balanced	310,000	^	8,378
Portfolio	0.4.0, 0.0.0	*	C 10C
Putnam Asset Allocation	240,000	*	6,486
Funds-Conservative Portfolio			
Putnam Convertible Income-Growth Trust	2,180,000	1.09%	58,918
Putnam Convertible Opportunities and	80,000	*	2,162
Income Trust			
Putnam Variable Trust-Putnam			
VT Global Asset Allocation Fund	80,000	*	2,162
Qwest Occupational Health Trust	55,000	*	1,486
Ramius Capital Group	300,000	*	8,108
RAM Trading Ltd	1,750,000	*	47,297
Raytheon Master Pension Trust	200,000	*	5,405
RCG Halifax Master Fund, LTD	550,000	*	14,864
RCG Latitude Master Fund, LTD	2,500,000	1.25	67 <b>,</b> 567
RCG Multi Strategy A/C LP	1,250,000	*	33,783
Robertson Stephens	5,000,000	2.50	135,135

Name 	Principal amount of notes beneficially owned that may be sold	Percentage of notes outstanding	may be sold
Rockhaven Fund	80,000	*	2,162
Rockhaven Premier Dividend			
Fund	700,000	*	18,918
San Diego City Retirement	1,097,000	*	29,648
San Diego County Convertible	1,654,000	*	44,702
SCI Endowment Care Common			
Trust Fund - First Union (5)	20,000	*	540
SCI Endowment Care Common			
Trust Fund - National Fiduciary	70,000	*	1,891
Services (5)			
SCI Endowment Care Common			
Trust Fund – Suntrust (5)	30,000	*	810
Screen Actors Guild Pension			
Convertible	500,000	*	13,513

S G Cowen Securities Corporation	1,500,000	*	40,540
Shell Pension Trust	320,000	*	8,648
Silvercreek Limited Partnership	1,100,000	*	29,729
Silvercreek II Limited	900,000	*	24,324
Southdown Pension Plan (5)	60,000	*	1,621
Southern Farm Bureau Life			
Insurance	185,000	*	4,999
SPT (5)	710,000	*	19,189
Starvest Combined Portfolio	190,000	*	5,135
State Employees' Retirement Fund			
of the State of Delaware	810,000	*	21,891
State of Connecticut Combined			
Investment Fund	1,705,000	*	46,081
State of Maryland Retirement			
Agency	2,575,000	1.29	69,594
State Street Bank Custodian for			
GE Pension Trust	1,585,000	*	42,837
Sunrise Partners LLC	9,200,000	4.60	248,648

Name 	Principal amount of notes beneficially owned that may be sold	Percentage of notes outstanding	Number of shares of common stock that may be sold (1) 
The Dow Chemical Company			
Employees' Retirement Plan (5)	1,150,000	*	7,631
The Fondren Foundation (5)	35,000	*	945
The Grable Foundation	95,000	*	2,567
Trustmark Insurance Company	280,000	*	7,567
2000 Revocable Trust FBO A.R.			
Lauder / Zinterhofer	6,000	*	162
Union Carbide Retirement			
Account (5)	600,000	*	6,216
United Food and Commercial			
Workers Local 1262 and	270,000	*	7,297
Employee Pension Fund (5)			
Vanguard Convertible Securities			
Fund, Inc.	1,945,000	*	2,567
Vopak USA Inc., Retirement Plan			
(f.k.a. Van Waters & Rogers, Inc.	140,000	*	3,783
Retirement Plan) (5)			
Wake Forest University	686,000	*	8,540
Wake Forest University			
Convertible Arbitrage	355,000	*	9,594
WPG Convertible Arbitrage			
Overseas Master Fund, L.P	2,500,000	1.25	67,567
Writers Guild Industry Health			<b>E</b> 010
Fund	293,000	*	7,918

Wyoming State Treasurer	971,000	*	26,243
Any other holder of notes or future transferee, pledgee, donee or	3,644,000	1.82	98,486
successor of any holder (3)			
Total	\$200,000,000 ======	100.00%	5,405,400(4)

\* Less than 1%.

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 Assumes conversion of all of the holder's notes at a conversion rate of 27.027 shares of common stock per \$1,000 principal amount of notes. However, this

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conversion rate will be subject to adjustment as described under "Description of Notes--Conversion Rights." As a result, the amount of common stock issuable upon conversion of the notes may increase or decrease in the future.

- (2) Calculated based on 30,315,494 shares of common stock outstanding as of December 31, 2001. In calculating this amount for each selling security holder, we treated as outstanding that number of shares of common stock issuable upon conversion of all of that holder's notes. However, we did not assume the conversion of any other holder's notes, except in calculating the percentage for all selling security holders as a group.
- (3) Information about other selling security holders will be set forth in prospectus supplements, if required.
- (4) Column does not add up correctly because the fractional shares to which the holders would be entitled have been disregarded.
- (5) Pursuant to an Investment Management Agreement, CALAMOS(R) Investments is not acting individually, but solely as an Investment Manager for the selling security holder.
- (6) The entity is either an investment company or a portfolio of an investment company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, or a private investment account advised by Fidelity Management and Research Company ("FMR Co."). FMR Co. is a Massachusetts corporation and an investment advisor registered under Section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended, and provides investment advisory services to each of such Fidelity entities identified above, and to other registered investment companies and to certain other funds which are generally offered to a limited group of investors. FMR Co. is a wholly owned subsidiary of FMR Corp., a Massachusetts corporation. The holdings are as of January 23, 2002.
- (7) The entity owns 1,200,000 of our 6.00% convertible subordinated notes due 2004. Further, Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated acted as one of the initial purchasers in connection with the offer and sale of the notes in December 2001.

We prepared this table based on the information supplied to us on or before April 11, 2002 by the selling security holders named in the table. The selling security holders listed in the above table may have sold or transferred, pursuant to the prospectus or in transactions exempt from the registration requirements of the Securities Act, some or all of their notes since the date they have supplied the information to us. Information about the selling security holders may change further over time. Any changed information supplied to us will be set forth in future prospectus supplements.

Other than as noted above, none of the selling security holders listed above has, or within the past three years has had, any position, office or other material relationship with us or any of

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our predecessors or affiliates.

Because the selling security holders may offer all or some of their notes or the underlying common stock from time to time, we cannot estimate the amount of the notes or the underlying common stock that will be held by the selling security holders upon the termination of any particular offering. See "Plan of Distribution."