Subject: OT: Motherboard swap??

Posted by brandon[2] on Fri, 01 Sep 2006 12:55:10 GMT

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Posted by John [1] on Fri, 01 Sep 2006 14:30:20 GMT

Nope. Do a fresh install, make a ghost image and be happy.
John

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than VIA. It might be worth a try if you're moving from an older mobo =
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sure to Ghost (or whatever backup you use) first, just in case. If =
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Deej
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Posted by Erick Kent on Mon, 04 Sep 2006 04:19:17 GMT
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