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To: Tyco Electronics Customers

From: John Kuster– Harness Components Product Management- US

Subject: 202-P, 214P, 321P and 381P Series of D-Subminiature boots

This letter is to inform you that we have received a Force Majeure Declaration from the manufacturing plant that produces the 202-P, 214P, 321P and 381P series molded boot product lines. The Declaration states that the plant experienced a fire that has destroyed the tooling and raw materials used to process these lines of molded parts. Therefore we are unable to supply these products in the future. We are prepared to cover existing orders. Once the existing stock has been exhausted, Tyco Electronics has made the decision to obsolete these products. The products that are affected by this action are as follows:

Part Description

202-P-09-U/E-00
202-P-09-U/E-01
202-P-15-U/E-00
202-P-15-U/E-01
202-P-25-U/E-00
202-P-25-U/E-01
202-P-37-U/E-01

214P009-111-0
214P009-111-8
214P015-111-0
214P015-111-8
214P025-111-0
214P025-111-8
214P037-111-0
214P037-111-8

381P011-71/42-0

321P014-71/42-0

As an alternative Tyco Electronics has another line of heat shrinkable D-Subminiature molded parts that may be of use (jack screws are not included with these, however). These products are as follows:

214A011-**-0 (fits 9way D-Sub connector)

214A021-**-0 (fits 15 way D-sub connector)

214A032-**-0 (fits 25 way D-sub connector)

214A041-**-0 (fits 37 way D-sub connector)

** is substituted for the material code of choice (our Specification Control Drawing offers details).

We appreciate your understanding of this action and we hope to minimize any inconvenience it may cause.

Sincerely,

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