

PRODUCT CHANGE NOTIFICATION

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CUSTOMER: All		LOCATION:
PRODUCT TYPE: TAJ, TPS, THJ, TRJ, TLJ, TPM, TCJ, NOJ, NOS and NOM series with standard AVX marking.		EFFECTIVE DATE: 1 st of April 2006
CUSTOMER PN's AFFECTED: <i>all P/N of given product type will be changed</i>		

CHANGE DETAILS: Laser marking change	
<p>a) old style format</p>	<p>b) new style format</p>
Figure: a) Old type of the lot code b) New type of the lot code	
REASON FOR CHANGE: <i>Maintain traceability with increased numbers of lots produced and improvement of anti-counterfeit measures.</i>	
EFFECT ON QUALITY: <i>No effect. Maintains traceability with increased numbers of lots produced.</i>	
IMPACT ON SPECIFICATION: <i>The date code will be marked on each reel label in four-digit format (YYWW), where YY are two digits of the manufacturing year and WW are digits of the manufacturing week (an example: 0614 is week 14 of year 2006).</i>	
PROPOSED VALIDATION TESTING: <i>Not required. Marking change only.</i>	
IDENTIFICATION OF CHANGED PARTS: <i>By date code</i>	
FIRST DELIVERY: <i>Scheduled from April 2006</i>	SAMPLES AVAILABILITY: <i>Not necessary. Physical marking is the same, only the interpretation of marking will change.</i>
PLANENED DATE OF CHANGE: <i>The lot code change is going to be applied from 1st April 2006 by AVX production date code.</i>	
QUALIFICATION PLAN: <i>Not applicable</i>	

AVX REPRESENTATIVE: DATE: 26.1.2006	SIGN: NAME: <i>Milan Coufal</i> <i>Quality Manager</i>
CUSTOMER ACCEPTANCE: DATE: _____	SIGN: _____ NAME: _____

If no answer till 30.3.2006 then we will assume the PCN is accepted