

Product Change Notification (PCN)

PCN Number	501595	Date Issued	September 21, 2016
Reason for Change	Supplier Change		
Change Type Description	This letter is to inform you that Molex is adding a new supplier or the supplier is making a change affecting the part(s) identified in this notice. There will be no negative impact to product performance as a result of this change.		
Reason for Short Notice	Force Majeure		
Assessment of Change	Test report/Specification Test Report		
Internal Molex Qualification Date	September 21, 2016		
Sample Availability Date (Changed Part)	September 21, 2016		
Planned Implementation Date	September 21, 2016		
Method of Identifying Change	Date code		
Recommended Replacement Parts	Please see the attached replacement parts list .xls file.		

After Change

Please be aware that you may have already been notified of this change via your local sales representative. This notice is to support any previous communications you may have received and is not an additional change. The attached file named, "ReplacementPartList" details the most up to date information regarding impacted materials.



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You may address any technical inquiries regarding this PCN by sending E-mail to pcn_coordinator@molex.com or your Local Sales Engineer.

Note: While responding, please retain "**PCN Notification:501595**" in the e-mail Subject line for faster response.

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September 12, 2016

Dear Customer:

We regret to inform you that Molex may be unable to perform its contractual obligations with respect to Molex produced product containing molded PVC used for cable assemblies (the "Product"). This letter serves as Molex's notice to you of a force majeure event relating to the Product.

By way of background, our supplier, ShenZhen GuangJin Chemicals Limited ("GuangJin") supplies Molex with PVC resin used in connection with the Product. On September 8, 2016, we received notice from GuangJin of a force majeure event as a result of labor unrest at their facility. Consequently, GuangJin informed us that it is unable to deliver resin or otherwise access the resin due to the ongoing labor strike.

Please be aware that Molex is communicating daily with GuangJin's senior management. Your local sales resource will contact you shortly to discuss any expected reduction in your supply quantities and allocation details, if any, and our risk mitigation strategy going forward. We will also endeavor to keep you informed of further developments. In the meantime, of course, please feel free to contact your local account management team should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Aldo Lopez
Sr. Vice President/President,
Global Sales & Marketing

Molex PVC Resin Force Majeure

Molex Product Change Notification: PVC resin supplier change, materially equivalent

- Current PVC resin supplier to Molex Dongguan, Philippines and Thailand cable manufacturing plants is being shut down imminently by the Shenzhen local Government due to environmental regulations.
- This shut down affects the PVC on all Molex overmolded cable products
- Molex worked with GuangJin and ordered 8 months of PVC inventory
- GuangJin management and workers have been unable to reach a settlement and work resumed on Sept 1 2016. On September 8th, GuangJin declared a Force Majeure and sent us written notice, which was unsuccessful at gaining access to their inventory
- Molex identified an alternative PVC source, the materials will be equivalent in our product specifications

specifications.

- Supply of resin enroute to DG
- Molex actively working to identify second source to ensure future continuity of supply
- Molex will immediately switch upon depletion of GuangJin PVC
 - Effective immediately Molex will mark all cables and boxes identifiable with "S1" on the pr inner bag, inner carton and outer
- Molex will provide product equivalency results as they are completed, upon request

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