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Issue Date: July 28 2009

<b>Product Name:</b>	SMARTCARDS		
	SMARTCARD CONNECTORS		
<b>Product Manager:</b>	HIRAN NAMBOOTHIRI		
<b>Subject:</b>	Process Change Notification		
<b>Distribution:</b>	Global		
<b>Type of Change:</b>	Manufacturing Process Change		
<b>Change Description:</b>	<p>FCI is now introducing Palladium Nickel Alloy with Gold Flash( GXT), as additional Plating Material for Smartcard Connectors series. FCI had developed GXT plating in the 1980's and have used this plating on numerous other connector families over the past three decades. Consequent to this FCI will have the flexibility to offer both types of plating against the same specification. This will have no impact on the performance of the connector and their would be no change in the FCI part numbers</p>		
<b>Reason for Change:</b>	Provide additional plating option		
<b>Affected Parts:</b>	List attached.		
<b>Effective Date of Change:</b>	October	28	2009
<b>Last Time Buy Date:</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Last Disty Return Date:</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Datasheet Attached?</b>	N/A		
<b>Qual/Test Data Attached?</b>	N/A		
<b>Samples Availability Date:</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Available Alternatives?</b>	N/A		
<b>Questions?</b>	<p>Contact your local FCI Representative, or</p> <p>HIRAN NAMBOOTHIRI          Senior Engineer - Product Management          Email - Hiran.Namboothiri@fci.com          PH - +91- 484 - 6611580</p>		