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To: Seiko Instruments Customers, Sales Representatives, and Distributors

RE: Current SNT & HSNT Package/Plating Types Obsolescence Announcement (Reference # D141001)

This letter serves as last time buy notice for all SII semiconductor products in SNT and HSNT Package Types with –G and –S part number Suffixes.

The part number suffixes will change as follows from the current part (-G and –S Suffixes) to the Halogen Free Sn100 part (-U Suffix):

	current	after the change
Product name	S-*****-G	S-*****-U
	S-*****-S	
Plastics	(G): Halogen containing	Halogen free
	(S): Halogen free	
Pin Plating	SnBi-Plating	Sn100-Plating

All parts are available and supported now in –U package type.

There are no electrical differences, solderability differences, or mountability differences between the –G / -S and –U part suffixes.

The part number suffixes are interchangeable from an electrical performance and production standpoint.

The following schedule applies:

- 1. Last Time PO for SNT / HSNT Packages with –G /–S Suffixes Accepted: April 10, 2015**
- 2. Last Shipment: October 10, 2015**

If you have any questions please contact your Seiko Instruments Regional Sales Manager or me at (310) 517-7884. Thank you.

Best Regards,

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