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## Product Discontinuation Notice: 3M<sup>™</sup> Overmolded Pleated Foil I/O Cable Assemblies, MDR Version 68, 80 and 100 Position

Dear Valued Customer,

We regret to inform you that 3M<sup>™</sup> Overmolded Pleated Foil I/O Cable Assemblies, MDR Version 68, 80 and 100 Position will be discontinued as of October 1, 2016 due to ongoing manufacturing issues. These products are detailed in TS-0804.

## Last Time Buy

Appreciating that this may cause hardship, 3M is offering a last time buy for cable assemblies to current customers. Orders must be placed by October 1, 2016. Please contact your customer service representative or key account manager for further details.

As an alternative I/O cabling solution, customers may be able to switch to the MDR assemblies using the metal junction shell. This option is also detailed in TS-0804. The Metal Backshell with Thumbscrews Version on sheet 3 of TS-0804 in 68, 80 and 100 position would be the closest alternative to the  $3M^{TM}$  Overmolded Backshell Version with thumbscrews on sheet 2.

Please contact your customer service representative or key account manager to discuss your requirements.

We apologize for the inconvenience this end-of-life decision may cause.

Sincerely,

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