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This letter is to inform you of a change in Kester's wire solder product line that may affect you. Kester reviews its product offering on a regular basis to ensure that our products match the demands of the industry. As a result of the continued transition to Pb-free and other market forces we have determined there is a need to discontinue the manufacture of certain products going forward.

Our records indicate that you have purchased the product(s) listed below in 2015-2017. In order to help with the transition, we have suggested a replacement product that can be used as an alternative for most applications.

PLS item	Suggested Replacment
24-7080-8802 - SN95SB5 3.3%/245 .031 1 LB SPL	24-7080-9710 - SN96SB5 3.3%/285 .031 1 LB SPL

If you wish to place a last time purchase order for the part(s) listed, please contact Kester Customer Service. All last time purchase orders must be received no later than June **30, 2018.** 

Additionally, if there are any parts you last purchased previous to 2015, please contact Kester Customer Service to determine if it is a product that we will still manufacture.

As always, we do appreciate your business and look forward to continuing to improve our level of service to you.