

Statement on Counterfeit Components

It is our mission to continually and systematically improve our products, manufacturing and business practices to assure the safety of our employees, the public, and the environment. As such, we are constantly monitoring the various worldwide regulations and directives that apply to our business, and we comply where required by law and by our own sense of social responsibility.

Moore Industries is fully aware of the growing problem of counterfeit components that is affecting the electronics industry and is committed to obtaining only the highest quality products for our customers.

Moore Industries has limited our supply chain and use only factory franchised distributors for our components, except for the cases of some obsolete or allocated parts. The franchised distributors receive their product directly from the manufacturer.

In the cases of obsolete and allocated components, we use a limited number of approved independent distributors. These distributors all have ISO 9001 certification and extensive anti-counterfeit controls in place as well as other various certifications or memberships pertaining to counterfeit mitigation. These procedures and certifications were the basis of selecting these as our approved distributors.

When we have to source obsolete components our component data and parts management system used for procurement provides supplier and manufacture information, including a counterfeit risk feature that shows the likelihood of parts being counterfeited.

In the rare instances where our approved sources cannot locate hard to find components and we are forced to use an alternative source, QA and Engineering are made aware and the parts are put through additional testing and inspection before acceptance. In these situations the IDEA-STD-1010-B, Acceptability of Electronic Components Distributed in the Open Market standard is referenced and utilized in our inspection practices.

Moore Industries recognizes the importance of perpetual scrutiny of all components and parts used in our products. Such due diligence includes continuous training, updated visual aids and counterfeit identification reference material for all related departments and personnel.

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