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End-of-Life Notification

Part Change Notice : PCN1009

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Dear Valued Customer:

This letter is a notification of product obsolescence for the Clare DTMF Receiver ICs with the following part numbers

- M-984-02P (DIP version)
- M-984-02S (SO version)

Clare purchased the rights to manufacture this product from Teltone Corporation in calendar year 2000. Clare supported these products for seven years through subcontracted wafer and assembly houses. We have been unsuccessful in renewing our arrangement with the silicon foundry for these devices. Given this situation, we are in the unfortunate position of not being able to provide a last-time- buy for the DIP version of this product. We sincerely apologize to our customers for this difficult situation.

Regarding the M-984-02S SO version of this device, we have a limited amount of these devices which are available for purchase. Under the terms of the last time buy program, orders will be accepted on the M-984-02S device until the inventory is depleted. Priority will be given to historical customers for this device. Scheduled deliveries will be permitted within 90 days of the last time buy date.

Acceptance of last time buy orders is subject to product availability. Every effort will be made to fulfill these orders.

Products purchased during this end-of-life transition period will be fully covered by Clare's standard product warranty. Purchase orders for these products will be considered non-cancelable, non-returnable (NCNR). Potential product returns will be accepted under our normal RMA procedures. Failure analysis will be limited to verification of failure and remedies will be limited to credit of the purchase price of the product.

If you have any questions concerning this End-of-Life notification, please contact your Clare representative.

Very truly yours,

Steven Andrezyk
Director of Marketing