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To whom it may concern

Notice of Device Discontinuation

Dear Valued Customers,

Please be informed that the devices listed as per attached are to be discontinued soon. You are kindly asked for the lifetime buy orders according to the procedure outlined below. Should you have any questions on this matter, please do not hesitate to contact to an ASAHI KASEI EMD agent.

Yours sincerely,

Yutaka Watanabe / General Manager

Overseas Sales, Electronics Devices Marketing & Sales Center

Part#	Announced day	Final receipt day of	Delivery Completion
		Lifetime buy orders	Day
AK2440A	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK2442	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK2446	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4101VQ	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4103VF	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4114VQ (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4182VN	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4309BVM (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4317VF	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4353VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4356VQ (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4363VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4364VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4380VT (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4393VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4518VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4519VF	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4520AVF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4522VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4523VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4524VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4525VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4527VQ (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4528VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4529VQ (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008

^{*} Pb-Free version continues the mass-production.

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AK4532VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4533VQ	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4551VT	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4560AVQ	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4561VQ	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4586VQ (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4620VF	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4640VG (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK4640VN	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5330VM (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5340VS	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5345VS	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5350VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5351VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5352VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5358ET	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5370VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5383VF (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5383VS (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5385VS	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5391VS	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5392VS (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5393VS (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK5394AVS (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK7712AVT (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008
AK7716VT (with Lead)*	December, 2007	End of March, 2008	End of June, 2008

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