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Subject: Notification of plating change for CTS Product

CTS currently supplies product using stamped metal components plated with zinc in a post plating operation. CTS has also supplied product for many years to specific customers using tin in the post plating operation for the same stamped metal components. To reduce our impact on the environment, and to eliminate zinc from our manufacturing operation, we will be eliminating the zinc plating of our stamped metal components. All stamped components currently using zinc plating will be changed to tin plating in the near future. This will be a running change and this letter serves as notice of this intended change.

CTS' and our customer's experience is that this change will not affect your product performance or application in any way, and only a slight change in appearance may be observed.

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