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Re: Obsolescence of CSS65

Dear Valued Distributor,

TDK-Lambda has received an EOL notice for a key control IC used in our CSS65 series of AC-DC power supplies. As a result of this, we are announcing the obsolescence of the CSS65 series. The replacement will be the newly announced CSS65A which offers additional energy saving features.

Existing Model	Replacement Part
CSS65-5	CSS65A-5
CSS65-12	CSS65A-12
CSS65-15	CSS65A-15
CSS65-19	CSS65A-19
CSS65-24	CSS65A-24
CSS65-36	CSS65A-36
CSS65-48	CSS65A-48

TDK-Lambda recognizes that as a Distributor, you have past or current customers of these products, and may require additional units until substitution testing is complete or for service spares. We are offering a last time buy opportunity until August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017, with a last time ship date of February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018. Please understand that these new orders would be non-cancelable and non-returnable effective today, March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

We have exercised our last time buy on the control ICs and depending upon usage, we may be able to offer additional units after the last time buy date.

Also note that although the distribution contract states you have 60 days to return products from this notice, we are offering an extension to return CSS65 units of one year from the last time buy date to August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018. This will enable you to better support your end customers & reduce your inventory risk. Again, any new orders received after March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017 will be non-cancelable and non-returnable.

For alternative products, please contact our technical support for additional information. 1-800-526-2324 or email [lambda.techsupport@us.tdk-lambda.com](mailto:lambda.techsupport@us.tdk-lambda.com)

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