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Mouser First to Stock the New Bourns TBU™-PL Series SLIC High Speed Protectors!

Mansfield, Texas, USA — August 27, 2010 - Mouser Electronics, Inc., known for its rapid introduction of the newest products, today announced it is stocking new product from Bourns.

Bourns TBU™-PL Series SLIC High Speed Protectors protect telecommunications applications from surges in the industry's first electronic current limiter triggered by excessive voltage or current. The new Bourns TBU-PL-Series Subscriber Line Interface Circuit (SLIC) provides extremely fast overcurrent protection combined with SLIC battery voltage tracking triggered protection. The Bourns TBU-PL High Speed Protectors respond in 100 nanoseconds, protecting sensitive telecom applications from the potentially damaging effects of surges that can cause current and voltage to rise above normal operating levels. The Bourns TBU-PL Series combines with additional overvoltage protectors to protect against very high surge levels and meets telecom 500A Telcordia GR-1089 intrabuilding and 6kV / 150A ITU-T standards. To learn more, visit <http://www.mouser.com/bournstbupl>.

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Since 1947, Bourns® has been a leading supplier of electronic components and integrated solutions. In 1952, Bourns introduced the world's first patented trimming potentiometer, the Trimpot®, and established themselves as an innovative manufacturer of trimming potentiometers, precision potentiometers, modular contacts, switches, resistor networks, panel controls, encoders, PPTC resettable fuses, and thyristor surge protectors, as well as gas discharge tubes (GDT), data line protectors, and chip diodes.

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