



Product Change Notification (PCN)

PCN Number	511603	Date Issued	February 25, 2022
Reason for Change	Packaging Method/Quantity Changing		
Change Type Description	This letter is to inform you that the part(s) referenced in this notice will undergo packaging specification changes that may include a new Delivery unit, packaging size, changes to the label or packaging material. No changes will be made to the product as a result of this change.		
Reason for Short Notice	Special Request		
Assessment of Change	Drop test approved		
Internal Molex Qualification Date	March 25, 2022		
Sample Availability Date (Changed Part)	March 25, 2022		
Planned Implementation Date	April 08, 2022		

Before Change

Tray Material Change from PVC to PET

Overview:

- Primary tray supplier notified Molex of a shortage in PVC raw material
 - This is becoming more and more the case as countries start to ban the use of PVC and suppliers are no longer always producing it.
- Shortage has caused need for Molex to pivot to an alternate material called PET.
- To keep both Molex and Customers from Line Down Situations, we have made the decision to continue production and convert to this alternate PET material effective Immediately.
 - Due to urgent supply demand, it may be necessary to ship prior to the completion of this PCN process.

After Change

Overview Continued

- New PET material can run in existing tooling to the current PVC production control plans.
- The recycle code on the trays will change from a #3 for PVC material to a #1 for the PET material.
- This material change will result in a slight change to the Appearance.
 - The PET material makes the trays very clear, where as the PVC material gave a clear-bluish tint when trays are stacked
 - This color difference isn't as noticeable in individual trays.
- Part Number Impact
 - see attached impacted parts list
- There is NO impact to Fit, Form or Function for the product packaged in these trays.



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You may address any technical inquiries regarding this PCN by sending E-mail to pcn_coordinator@molex.com or your Local Sales Engineer.

Note: While responding, please retain "**PCN Notification:511603**" in the e-mail Subject line for faster response.

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