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Reference: APACS+ and QUADLOG Product Line Cancellation Announcement

Dear Valued Customer:

We appreciate the confidence you have placed in Siemens by installing our process automation platforms and want to ensure that you realize the maximum return for your investment. This important announcement is part of our continuing communications to provide you with the information needed to effectively manage your installed systems.

This official announcement notifies you that the APACS+™ and QUADLOG® product lines, including ACM, ACM+, ACMx, CCMx, and all I/O modules, will be transitioned to the “cancellation” product phase effective October 1, 2011. You may still purchase I/O Modules as “spare” parts after October 1, 2011. Siemens will continue to work to extend this time as long as possible, however each sale will be evaluated to ensure that our support commitments through September 30, 2020 can be met.

The ACM and CCM line of controllers will not be available as “spares” as of October 1, 2011. The ACM and CCM will continue to be available as Repair Parts Only. All versions of Controllers and IO Modules qualify for Repair Parts Only support, with the expectation that the replacement offered may be a newer version. Appendix A provides a detailed list of products. Any product not listed in Appendix A has already reached Product Discontinuation and is not supportable.

APACS+ Software is entering Product Phase Out effective October 1, 2011. This is being done to synchronize the entire product portfolio. The last time buy will extend to October 1, 2012 with the expectation that the APACS+ Control Engineering/Development software (4-mation) will continue to be available throughout the APACS+ lifecycle. This announcement does not affect the availability of the PCS 7 / APACS+ OS Software product line.

The status of APACS+ components is outlined in the chart below.

| General Component Family | Status as of Oct. 1, 2011            | SIMATIC PCS 7 Replacement |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| ACMx                     | Cancellation, Repair Parts Only      | AS417 controller          |
| CCMx                     | Cancellation, Repair Parts Only      | AS417 F controller        |
| I/O Modules              | Cancellation, Continued Availability | PCS 7 ET200 I/O           |
| MBI Card                 | Cancellation, Repair Parts Only      | IEM                       |
| APACS+ Software          | Product Phase Out                    | SIMATIC PCS 7             |

Component obsolescence and advancing technology is driving the need to “phase out” this product family. This announcement is the latest in a range of communications over the last five years, explaining the APACS+ and QUADLOG Product Life Cycle. As has been communicated to you in the past, Siemens is committed to providing functional replacement components and

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**Appendix A:**

|                   |                                                      |     |                 |
|-------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----------------|
| UPH:16804-48      | IFI QUADLOG Star Kit                                 | Yes |                 |
| UPH:16807-33      | POWER SUPPLY FILTER                                  | Yes |                 |
| UPH:16809-10      | SRSA WIRE TYPE KIT FOR 48VDC,                        | Yes |                 |
| UPH:16809-12      | SRSA PLUG TYPE KIT FOR 48VDC,                        | Yes |                 |
| UPH:16809-6A      | SRSA WIRE TYPE KIT-FOR 24VDC                         | Yes |                 |
| UPH:16809-8A      | SRSA PLUG TYPE KIT-FOR 24VDC                         | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39ACM24BEN    | CONTROLLER ADVANCED MODULE-4MB - APACS+              | No  | October 1, 2011 |
| UPH:39ACM28AEN    | CONTROLLER ADVANCED MODULE-8MB - APACS+              | No  | October 1, 2011 |
| UPH:39ACM34AAN    | CONTROLLER ACCEL ADVANCED 4MEG - APACS+              | No  | October 1, 2011 |
| UPH:39ACM38AAN    | CONTROLLER ACCEL ADVANCED 8MEG - APACS+              | No  | October 1, 2011 |
| UPH:39BCMNBN      | MODULE BUS CONTINUATION - APACS+                     | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39BDMNBN      | MODULE BUS DIVERter - APACS+                         | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39EAMCBN      | MODULE ENHANCED ANALOG - APACS+                      | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39HFM2CBN     | MODULE HART FIELDBUS - APACS+                        | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39IDM115ACCBN | MODULE STANDARD DISCRETE INPUT - APACS+              | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39ODM115ACCBN | MODULE STANDARD DISCRETE OUTPUT - APACS+             | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39PFMAAN      | MODULE PROFIBIS INTERFACE                            | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39PSR2ANCN    | POWER RACK 200 WATT 115/230VAC                       | No  | October 1, 2011 |
| UPH:39PSR4ANDN    | POWER RACK 400 WATT 115/230VAC                       | No  | October 1, 2011 |
| UPH:39PSR4ANEN    | POWER RACK 400 WATT 115/230VAC                       | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39RTMCAN      | MODULE RESISTANCE TEMPERATURE - APACS+               | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39SAIAAN      | MODULE STANDARD ANALOG INPUT - APACS+                | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39SAMCAN      | MODULE STANDARD ANALOG - APACS+                      | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39SCMNNNAAN   | SATELLITE CONTROLLER MODULE                          | No  | October 1, 2011 |
| UPH:39SDM024DCCBN | MODULE STANDARD DISCRETE -24V - APACS+               | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39SDM048DCCBN | MODULE STANDARD DISCRETE -48V - APACS+               | Yes |                 |
| UPH:39VIMCCN      | MODULE VOLTAGE INPUT - APACS+                        | Yes |                 |
| UPH:QLBCMNB       | MODULE BUS CONTINUATION - QUADLOG                    | Yes |                 |
| UPH:QLBDMNB       | MODULE BUS DIVERter - QUADLOG                        | Yes |                 |
| UPH:QLCAMAAN      | MODULE CRITICAL ANALOG I/O - QUADLOG                 | Yes |                 |
| UPH:QLCAIAAN      | MODULE CRITICAL ANALOG INPUT MODULE - QUADLOG        | Yes |                 |
| UPH:QLCCM22AAN    | MODULE CRITICAL CONTROL MODULE - QUADLOG             | No  | October 1, 2011 |
| UPH:QLCCM24AAN    | MODULE CRITICAL CONTROL MODULE - QUADLOG             | No  | October 1, 2011 |
| UPH:QLCCM32AAN    | MODULE CRITICAL CONTROL MODULE - QUADLOG             | No  | October 1, 2011 |
| UPH:QLCCM36AAN    | MODULE CRITICAL CONTROL MODULE - QUADLOG             | No  | October 1, 2011 |
| UPH:QLCDM024DCBAN | MODULE CRITICAL DISCRETE IN 24V QUADLOG              | Yes |                 |
| UPH:QLCDM048DCBAN | MODULE CRITICAL DISCRETE IN 48V QUADLOG              | Yes |                 |
| UPH:QLCDODCAAN    | MODULE CRITICAL DISCRETE OUT MODULE 24VDC to 125 VDC | Yes |                 |
| UPH:QLEAMBBN      | MODULE ENHANCED ANALOG I/O - QUADLOG                 | Yes |                 |
| UPH:QLIDM115ACBBN | MODULE STANDARD DISCRETE INPUT (115VAC)              | Yes |                 |
| UPH:QLODM115ACBBN | MODULE OUTPUT DISCRETE (32 CH, 115VAC)               | Yes |                 |
| UPH:QLRTMBAN      | MODULE RESISTANCE TEMPERATURE - QUADLOG              | Yes |                 |
| UPH:QLSAMBAN      | MODULE STANDARD ANALOG I/O - QUADLOG                 | Yes |                 |