

### PRODUCT BULLETIN

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# 621 Series T1 Apparatus Case Repeater Housings Manufacture Discontinued (MD) Notification

#### **PRODUCTS AFFECTED:**

This notice impacts all **621 Series T1 Apparatus Case Repeater Housings (12, 25 and 50 slot)** for use with T1 miniature line repeaters and related accessories.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

Due to multiple factors, including declining market usage and demand, competing technologies, and limited component supply sources, Charles has elected to immediately commence manufacture discontinue (MD) actions for all 621 Series T1 Apparatus Case Repeater Housings. Charles regrets having to take such immediate action, however our Supply Chain Management team has exhausted all possible options in an effort to continue to offer these products. Charles will continue to offer the 93-AC1000C, single slot apparatus case; 91-0CISA4-B Surge Arrestor; and 600036-700-001 Lightning Protection Kit.

#### **MANUFACTURE DISCONTINUED (MD):**

Appendix A, page 2, of this notification lists all 621 Series Apparatus Case Repeater Housing products which will be manufacture discontinued (MD).

#### **EFFECTIVE DATES:**

Today, **September 15, 2016**, Charles commenced manufacture discontinue (MD) actions for all 621 Series Apparatus Case Repeater Housings listed in Appendix A. **Effective November 17, 2016**, Charles will have formally manufacture discontinued the products listed in this notification. Prior to this date, available products may be purchased in accordance with our standard ordering procedures. Orders will be filled while supplies last. However, due to limited component availability, products may not be available prior to the effective date. It is strongly recommended that all customers check with our inside sales representatives to determine product availability of manufacture discontinued products.

#### **SUPPORT**:

Technical support and repair services for Manufacture Discontinued will continue to be provided beyond the MD date for products under warranty.

#### **NOTIFICATIONS:**

A communications package will be sent via e-mail to distribution partners and direct customers on September 15, 2017. Contracted Customers will be treated in accordance with the terms set forth in their respective Agreements. All recipients of this notification are requested to return an enclosed 'NOTICATION OF RECEIPT'.

#### **ORDERING/INFORMATION:**

To place orders or should you have any questions regarding this bulletin, please contact your Charles Inside Sales Representative directly, or phone 847-258-8526.

#### **QUESTIONS/COMMENTS:**

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### **Appendix A**

### 621 Series T1 Apparatus Case Repeater Housings <u>Effective September 15, 2016</u>

## Manufacture Discontinued (MD) List

	T1 Apparatus Case Housings & Accessories
Part Number	Description
621204-000-101	12 Slot Repeater Housing, Standard Wiring, 30' Stub, Unfilled Cable
621204-000-102	12 Slot Repeater Housing, Standard Wiring, 30' Stub, D-encap
621204-000-104	12 Slot Repeater Housing, Standard Wiring, 50' Stub, D-encap
621204-000-106	12 Slot Repeater Housing, Spatial Frogging, 30' Stub, D-encap
621204-000-109	12 Slot Repeater Housing, Special Wiring, 30' Stub, D-encap
621204-000-112	12 Slot Repeater Housing, Special Wiring, 30' Stub, Aircore
621204-000-113	12 Slot Repeater Housing, Special Wiring, 50' Stub, D-encap
621204-000-201	12 Slot Repeater Housing with Protection, Standard Wiring, 30' Stub, Unfilled
621204-000-202	12 Slot Repeater Housing with Protection, Std Wiring, 30' Stub, D-encap
621204-000-205	12-slot repeater housing with protection, spatial frogging bi-directional wiring, 30' aircore stub
621204-000-204	12 Slot Repeater Housing, Standard Wiring, 50' Stub, D-encap with protection
621204-000-209	12 Slot Repeater Housing with Protection, Special Wiring, 30' Stub, D-encap
621204-000-213	12 Slot Repeater Housing with Protection, Special Wiring, 50' Stub, D-encap
621204-111-209	12 Slot Repeater Housing/Tilt Base, with Protection, 30' Stub, D-encap
621205-000-101	25 Slot Repeater Housing, Standard Wiring, 30' Stub, Unfilled Cable
621205-000-102	25 Slot Repeater Housing, Standard Wiring, 30' Stub, D-encap
621205-000-103	25 Slot Repeater Housing, Standard Wiring, 50' Stub, Unfilled Cable
621205-000-104	25 Slot Repeater Housing, Standard Wiring, 50' Stub, D-encap
621205-000-106	25 Slot Repeater Housing, Spatial Frogging, 30' Stub, D-encap
621205-000-109	25 Slot Repeater Housing, Special Wiring, 30' Stub, D-encap
621205-000-112	25 Slot Repeater Housing, Special Wiring, 30' Stub, Unfilled Cable
621205-000-113	25 Slot Repeater Housing, Special Wiring, 50' Stub, D-encap
621205-000-201	25 Slot Repeater Housing with Protection, Standard Wiring, 30' Stub, Unfilled Cable
621205-000-202	25 Slot Repeater Housing with Protection, Standard Wiring, 30' Stub, D-encap
621205-000-204	25 Slot Repeater Housing with Protection, Standard Wiring, 50' Stub, D-encap
621205-000-206	25 Slot Repeater Housing with Protection, Spatial Frogging, 30' Stub, D-encap
621205-000-209	25 Slot Repeater Housing with Protection, Special Wiring, 30' Stub, Unfilled Cable
621205-000-213	25 Slot Repeater Housing with Protection, Special Wiring, 50' Stub, D-encap
621205-111-101	25 Slot Repeater Housing Assembly Tilt, Std 30' Unfilled
621205-111-209	25 Slot Repeater Housing/Tilt Base, with Protection, 30' Stub, D-encap
621206-000-102	50 Slot Repeater Housing, Standard Wiring, 30' Stub, D-encap
621206-000-104	50 Slot Repeater Housing, Standard Wiring, 50' Stub, D-encap
621206-000-106	50 Slot Repeater Housing, Spatial Frogging, 30' Stub, D-encap
621206-000-113	50 Slot Repeater Housing, Special Wiring, 50' Stub, D-encap
621206-000-202	50 Slot Repeater Housing, Standard Wiring, 30' Stub, D-encap
621206-000-209	50 Slot Repeater Housing, Special Wiring, 30' Stub, D-encap with protection
	Accessories
22-100759-0	Coupling, V-Band
600024-239-001	O-Ring
600058-396-001	Gas Tube 3 Element
600504-612-001	RKP Cover Medium - 25 slot
600504-612-002	RKP Cover Large - 50 slot
600274-700-001	Repeater Breathing Kit