

Attn.: \_\_\_\_\_

**HIROSE ELECTRIC CO., LTD.**  
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## **Impact on our products by Inappropriate Identification of Toray Industries, Inc., Certain Resin, as Receiving Certification from Third Party Organization**

Recently, Toray Industries, Inc. (Hereinafter Toray) announced that certain resin products were improperly identified by Toray as receiving certification from Underwriters Laboratories (hereinafter, "UL").

We are writing to inform you of the impact on our company and our actions.

### **1 Our impacted products**

Please refer to attached sheet.

### **2 UL recognition**

At this moment, UL recognition of Toray's concerned resin was not canceled.

### **3 Toray explanation to our company at this moment**

Information on the inappropriate listing to UL registration of Toray is as follows.

\*Some resin's samples submitted to UL for testing were different than the resins certified by UL.

\*Some resins which were different than the composition certified by UL and that we manufactured and sold.

\*Toray reported this matter to UL headquarters in the United States and been consulting with them toward future action.

Toray has been evaluating the concerned resin which delivered to our company.

But we have not received any reports from Toray that it affects the flammability grade.

### **4 Shipment**

We continue to receive orders and shipping the impacted product.

But UL may cancel UL recognition of Toray's impacted resin.

In case Toray's UL recognition is canceled, we stop the shipment of our UL recognized connector.

In addition, depending on future safety evaluation results, we may stop shipping at our discretion.

In case your company want our company to deliver our UL recognized connectors even if UL recognition on our connectors becomes invalid, please complete the attached document with signature and send it back with Hirose part number to our company.

If there is a change in the situation, we will report it again.

If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact a Hirose business representative.

Your understanding and cooperation are highly appreciated.

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(Customer → Hirose Electric business representative)

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In case UL recognition of Toray's concerned resin is canceled,  
Toray's concerned resin are no longer UL recognized resin.  
But our company would like Hirose Electric to continue delivering UL recognized connectors using these resins.  
We do not require UL recognition on connector.

Customer's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Stamp (or signature): \_\_\_\_\_

HIROSE ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

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Date: Business430-21018

**Document Receipt**

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We received the document concerning the above.

Customer's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Acknowledgment stamp (or signature): \_\_\_\_\_

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