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Subject: Supply Disruption Scotch® Flatback Masking Tape 250 Tan

Dear Valued Customer,

This is to inform you that due to unavailability of a raw material, we will be experiencing service disruptions for the following 3M product:

- **Scotch® Flatback Masking Tape 250 Tan, 1in x 60yd, 36 Roll/Case**, SAP ID 7000001488 (the “Product”)

Due to an unexpected raw material shortage, we will be unable to produce this material for at least the next 6 months. Notwithstanding any system generated order acknowledgement or acceptance, 3M will not be able to supply orders for this product. For clarity, a written 3M order confirmation with an “In Review” statement does not constitute acceptance of such purchase order by 3M.

We are evaluating all available options to minimize potential customer impact. Until we overcome the raw material shortage, we recommend customers to consider using our 3M™ Flatback 2517 Tape:

- **3M™ Flatback Tape 2517, Medium Brown, 24 mm x 55 m, 36 Roll/Case**, SAP ID 7000088500

This tape meets the following specifications:

- ASTM D3359
- FED-STD-141

The 3M™ Flatback 2517 Tape does not meet this standard:

- SAE AMS-3721

Our technical data sheet can be found here:

- [3M™ Flatback 2517 Tape Technical Data Sheet](#)

The above information will help you to assess the potential alternative product, so that you can test and evaluate it for your application. Please contact your local 3M Sales Representatives in case of any questions.

We apologize for any inconvenience this situation may cause and appreciate your understanding as we work diligently to resolve this supply disruption.

Regards,

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