

FIT Counterfeit Policy

Objective :

To preclude introduction of counterfeit product in to our supply chain through strict avoidance, mitigation, and disposition processes.

Procedure :

Flex Interconnect follows its requirements, practices, and methods related to parts management, supplier management, procurement and response strategies to adhere to the intent of counterfeit electronics parts standard SAE AS5553.

Where possible Flex interconnect Technologies will procure products from the source with the least risk per the information provided in the Bill of Materials supplied by the customer.

- > Manufacturer direct (OEM)
- > Manufacturers Approved Franchise/Distributor
- > Manufacturers Approved Agent/ Rep

Where components are obsolete or allocated / hard to find, Flex Interconnect Technologies will contact the customer for alternate part or recommendation on how to proceed. In an effort to mitigate our exposure to counterfeit components, purchasing directive is to procure product through only manufacturer, franchised distributors or manufacturer's approved agent/rep.

When contractually arrangements are effective, the customer will be notified of delay in OEM component procurement to assist in approval or alternative arrangement.

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