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Product termination

(AS8506/AS8801 – please refer to product list on page 2)

Dear Customer,

We are sorry to announce that the automotive qualification of the battery cell supervising circuit AS8506 will be discontinued and the development of the precision battery voltage attenuator device AS8801 for 48V batteries will be stopped.

The reason behind this strategic company decision is that the market for both products developed not as expected. Therefore related development resources will be assigned to different areas.

To mitigate this painful decision for users which already has developed automotive systems upon availability of these products in near future, we can offer to use the AS8506C non automotive part until an alternative can be developed.

For the AS8801 there is no integrated alternative and a discrete solution will need to be considered.

For any further questions please contact the local ams sales representative.

Best regards

ams AG

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'M. Brandl'.

Manfred Brandl
Product Manager MOS



Product list

AS8506-BQFP
AS8506-BQFM
AS8801-ASST
AS8801-ASSM