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Announcement for current discontinued products of Foreign Material Test pieces for X-rayInspection. (Regarding Silicon Rubber, Nylon and Polycarbonate)

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Japan Inspection Instruments Manufacturers 'Association Food Test Pieces Committee, Chairman: Hiroshi Yamamoto

Dear Sirs,

Using the patronage JIMA, indeed welcome and thank you for your cooperation. Well now, JIMA foreign inspection test pieces for X-ray decided some series of RT RC-F cease sales of the following products (rubber, nylon and polycarbonate) by end of June, 2018. And we would like to guide you this change. We will accept orders until the end of June, but materials stocks will finish available while stock lasts.

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1. <u>Discontinued Models</u>

[Single Type]

| Material | Shape | Size (mm, Diameter) | Product Number |
|-----------|---------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1.Rubber | Silicon Ball | φ3.0, φ4.0, φ5.0, | FSRB-3.0, FSRB-4.0, FSRB-5.0, |
| | | φ6.0, φ7.0, φ8.0, | FSRB-6.0, FSRB-7.0, FSRB-8.0, |
| | | φ10.0, φ12.0, φ15.0 | FSRB-10.0, FSRB-12.0, FSRB-15.0 |
| 2.Plastic | Nylon Ball | φ3.2, φ4.0, φ4.8, | FNB-3.2, FNB-4.0, FNB-4.8, |
| | | φ5.6, φ6.4, φ8.0, | FNB-5.6, FNB-6.4, FNB-8.0, |
| | | φ9.5, φ12.7, φ15.9 | FNB-9.5, FNB-12.7, FNB-15.9 |
| | Polycarbonate | φ3.2, φ4.0, φ4.8, | FPB-3.2, FPB-4.0, FPB-4.8, |
| | Ball | φ5.6, φ6.4, φ8.0, | FPB-5.6, FPB-6.4, FPB-8.0, |
| | | φ9.5, φ12.7, φ15.9 | FPB-9.5, FPB-12.7, FPB-15.9 |

[6 Pieces Type]

| Material | Shape | Size (mm, Diameter) | Product Number |
|-----------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|
| 1.Rubber | Silicon Rubber | φ3.0~8.0 | FSRB6-01 |
| | Ball | | |
| 2.Plastic | Nylon Ball | φ3.2~8.0 | FNB6-01 |
| | Polycarbonate | φ3.2~8.0 | FPB6-01 |
| | Ball | | |

2. Reason of discontinuity

Resin-based materials get hard for stable material supply over long periods of time. So we decided to discontinue those materials, and will concentrate and continue efforts for other reliably stable materials. We expect your continuing support and kind understanding.