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Dear Customer,

This correspondence addresses the expected impact of the recent earthquake in Japan and resultant tsunamis. We are relieved to report that Fairchild employees and offices have come through the natural disasters relatively well. Our thoughts and support go out to all affected by these extraordinary events.

Fairchild has no major production facility in Japan. We use a minor foundry in the southern part of Japan and their production output is stable. There is no disruption to any of our production output. We are evaluating the impact of raw materials supply that comes from Japan. The initial feedback is favorable and we do not foresee any supply disruption short term. We are monitoring the situation very closely and we will bring up alternative supplies if we would identify any potential impact from our suppliers. We will provide regular updates to our customers as the implications of these events are better understood.

Fairchild wishes those that are impacted a speedy recovery.

Please contact your local Fairchild sales office if you have any additional questions.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Allan Lam".

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