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Dear Customer,

In its continuous effort of optimizing its global capacity and reach, Xycarb Ceramics is announcing a next step to service future growth. On 20th of Augustus China Quartz, with its operation in Taiwan, Hsinchu area and Xycarb Ceramics have signed an Epitaxial Quartz Ware Repair Cooperation.

By the agreement Xycarb Ceramics will provide Taiwan customers a local Epitaxial repair service and strengthen this service by a technical transfer of Xycarb Ceramics unique repair methods. Both China Quartz and Xycarb Ceramics are convinced by the technology transfer and know-how sharing Xycarb Ceramics can offer a unique value to our local Taiwanese customer base.

The creation of this cooperation creates the unique opportunity for the Taiwanese customer base to have a local partner actively supporting the extend of the life time of the epitaxial quartz ware and provide a complete package of epitaxial consumable parts, both new and repaired ones. Being the manufacturer of new parts, the objective is to bring repair parts back into the original OEM condition and specification. Only Xycarb Ceramics has this unique capability to give our customer base the optimum quality.

This establishment of the cooperation is our commitment to our customer's requirements and our excitement about the future. It is our commitment to continue to supply our customers with high quality products and customer service.