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Distributor & User Advisory Notice
Product Transition: 742 Cartridges and AV-2000 Facepiece

Dear Valued Customer:

We would like to inform you of some upcoming changes to the 3M Scott product line to enable transitioning to newer products. These changes will help ensure the products you are using offer the best in terms of availability and performance for the long term.

Below is a summary of the product transitions that will take place in 2021 – 2022, including new product introductions and product discontinuations. Additional information, including details on replacement products, can be found at [3M.com/742transition](https://www.3m.com/742transition), which will be updated regularly. Additionally, our dedicated Sales and Technical Teams will support you through these changes by providing training and tools that can use to help ensure a smooth transition.

Model 74 Twin Cartridge Adapter (“742 series adapter”) – Discontinue July 31, 2021
Transition to NEW AV-632 Bayonet Adapter, expected late 2020



In order to provide customers the ability to use the same 3M filters and cartridges on their 3M or 3M Scott APR respirators, 3M Scott is developing the AV-632 Bayonet Adapter to replace the existing 742 series adapter. The AV-632 Bayonet Adapter will be compatible with 3M Bayonet Cartridges 6000 Series and Filters 2000 & 7093 Series and will be approved for use with the AV-3000 with SureSeal or AV-3000 HT facepieces as well as future offerings.

742 Cartridges and Filters– Discontinue July 31, 2021
Transition to current 3M Bayonet cartridges and filters



With the AV-632 Bayonet Adapter available, 3M Scott will discontinue all 742 cartridges and filters as customers transition to the 3M bayonet cartridges and filters. This 3M solution will benefit customers by reducing inventory complexity. Specific information, including a conversion guide for cartridges, can be found at [3M.com/742transition](https://www.3m.com/742transition).

AV-2000 Facepiece – Discontinue March 31, 2022
Transition to newer AV series facepieces



With newer AV series facepieces in place that offer enhanced fit, comfort and voice intelligibility, 3M Scott will not be seeking NIOSH approval for the AV-2000 Facepiece with the AV-632 Bayonet Adapter. 3M Scott will discontinue the AV-2000 March 31, 2022. Customers using the AV-2000 will be asked to transition to either the AV-3000 with SureSeal or the AV-3000 HT facepiece. More information can be found at [3M.com/742transition](https://www.3m.com/742transition).

Discontinuation dates provided are for last orders. Last time buys received on or before those dates will be fulfilled.

All products not mentioned in this letter are not affected by the above and will remain in the portfolio beyond 2022.*

*Retained product plan provided in good faith as of February 2020. 3M reserves the right to modify its product offering at any time but will seek to provide its customers with as much notice as possible of any further changes.

Please contact 3M Technical Service at 1-800-243-4630 if you would like to discuss specific solutions to your individual needs or visit 3M.com/WorkerSafety and 3MScott.com to see further product information and resources.

3M endeavors to provide the highest quality of respiratory protection products in the marketplace, and we regret any inconvenience these product discontinuations may cause. If you have any questions regarding these product discontinuations, please reach out to 3M.

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