

**Date: January 10, 2016**  
**To: Air conditioning disconnect customers**  
**Subject: End-of-life notice and recommended replacement products**

Eaton is proud to announce our new line of Bussmann™ series HVAC disconnects featuring self-testing ground fault circuit interrupters (GFCI). These new disconnects comply with the latest UL® 943 requirement for periodic diagnostic testing to ensure the GFCI receptacle is functioning properly and continues to provide protection against ground faults.

With the launch of these new HVAC disconnects, we are discontinuing the older versions that feature a GFCI receptacle. The new disconnects are drop-in replacements with the same dimensions, voltage, amperage and wire ratings as the units they replace. The only change is to the internal self-testing electronics necessary to meet the new NEC® requirement. As such, the GFCI receptacles on the new units will have two LED indicators to indicate: 1) when the GFCI has tripped and 2) when the GFCI has failed a self-test. The affected catalog numbers are listed in the table below, along with their recommended replacements.

Inventory of existing product is saleable and should not be returned. The re-design of the electronic components of the new self-test HVAC disconnects with GFCI carries an increased manufacturing cost, and the new catalog numbers will carry a price increase over the discontinued units they replace.

Description	Discontinued HVAC disconnects		Replacement HVAC disconnects	
	Old catalog numbers	UPCs	New catalog numbers	UPCs
60 A Non-Fused with GFCI	B222-60NFGF	051712550062	B222-60NFGFST	051712688253
60 A Non-Fused with WRTR GFCI	B222-60NFGFWRTR	051712245630	B222-60NFGFWTST	051712688260
30A Fusible with GFCI	B221-30FGF	051712631655	B221-30FGFST	051712691420
60A Fusible with GFCI	B222-60FGF	051712631679	B222-60FGFST	051712691444
30 A Fusible with WRTR GFCI	B221-30FGFWRTR	051712245616	B221-30FGFWTST	051712688277
60 A Fusible with WRTR GFCI	B222-60FGFWRTR	051712245623	B222-60FGFWTST	051712688284

If you have any questions regarding this end-of-life notice and recommended replacements, please contact your local Bussmann series product representative.

Kind Regards,

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