Revision Information

Revision 1.0 - Original release August 29, 2000

Purpose:

To advise customers of a solution to problems with the connector on the ORION Profibus Adapter card.

Description:

During February 2000 the ORION ProfiBus Adapter card was revised by the vendor, eliminating the Phoenix connector on the card, thus forcing connections to be made through the DB-9 connector on the card.

Products Affected:

ORION Profibus Adapter cards shipped after February 2000.

Solution:

Revision 1.0b of the ORION ProfiBus Adapter card includes an external plug (Siemens 6GK1500-0FC00, or equivalent) that connects to the DB-9 connector on the card. The external plug attaches to the customer’s Profibus cable using insulation displacement, and requires no special tools or soldering. Installation instructions are included with the plug.

Warranty Status:

Plugs have been provided for all existing ORION Profibus Adapter cards that lack Phoenix connectors, and all future Adapter cards will include the plug.