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Anglia strengthens passive portfolio with AVX

Wisbech, UK, 19 May 2009 – Anglia has significantly strengthened its passive component portfolio with the signing of a franchise agreement with AVX, one of the world’s leading manufacturers, covering the UK and Ireland for its full product portfolio.

Commenting, Katie Pooley, Business Development Manager, Anglia said, “AVX not only expands the already very broad range of capacitors that we offer, but also gives us access to exciting new ranges of components. These include a very extensive portfolio of High Reliability capacitors and the innovative Transguard® circuit protection, EMI filters, frequency control and connector products.”

Tak Koutsoumanis, AVX Distribution Manager, Northern Region added, “We believe that Anglia has the ability to open a new base of customers beyond those that we are reaching at the moment. Their service model and design-in capability is extremely impressive, and we believe that they can identify new opportunities for our innovative technologies.”

Under the agreement, Anglia will have access to the complete portfolio of AVX component products, and will support them to its’ UK and Ireland customer base. This spans ceramic and tantalum capacitors, thick and thin film capacitors, timing devices and integrated passive components as well as EMI filters, circuit protection and connectors. AVX offers solutions to address applications from demanding military and medical systems through telecommunications to general consumer and industrial electronics.

About Anglia

Anglia is the UK’s leading independent authorised distributor of semiconductors, optoelectronics, interconnect, and passive and electromechanical components. Anglia’s

exceptional technical support spans a fast sampling service, telephone advice from product specialists, on-site visits from field applications engineers and, ultimately, electronics design. An in-house team of designers adds expert resources to customers' design teams; helps reduce final product costs and accelerates development times. Anglia stocks over 700 million components from 500,000 product lines in the UK, and streamlines its customer's logistics and reduces through KAN-BAN, EDI, and customer-dedicated inventory.

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