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Ladies and gentlemen,

as you know, the governmental authorities in the People's Republic of China have undertaken drastic measures in order to curtail the expansion of the novel coronavirus, like the suspension of public and inter-province transportation, including the closure of highways, train stations and airports. Furthermore, the State Council of China has ordered that the New Year Festival holiday will be extended at least to February 09th 2020 in the majority of provinces. Due to the impact of these measures to our own as well as the production and delivery schedules of our sub-suppliers, we anticipate delays in our deliveries.

As this disruption is due to reasons out of our control and not caused by Bosch, but rather by a situation regarded by the International Health Regulations Emergency Committee as a Public Health Emergency of International Concern, the Bosch Group (including all businesses affiliated to the Group) is hereby declaring Force Majeure.

We are currently evaluating all available options to minimize shipment disruption and will inform you about the concrete shipments concerned as well as the predicted duration of the disruption as soon as we are able to.

In parallel our logistics specialists are in direct communication with your material planners in order to minimize impact to your production

If you have questions or concerns, please contact your local Bosch contact for additional information.

Yours sincerely