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GP Batteries' statement in response to Polycom's voluntary recall

Polycom Inc recently announced a voluntary recall of certain lithium ion battery packs sold between December 2007 and May 2008 for use in its SoundStation2W wireless conference phones.

GP Batteries confirmed that these battery packs were assembled and supplied by GP Batteries Group. Per Polycom's request, Japanese cells were specified for these packs, and thus these cells in the pack were not manufactured by GP Batteries Group.

Base on information provided by Polycom, GP Batteries have reason to believe that the outsourced cells could be counterfeits. GP Batteries is currently conducting an investigation into the matter.

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