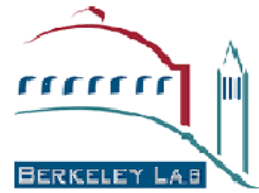


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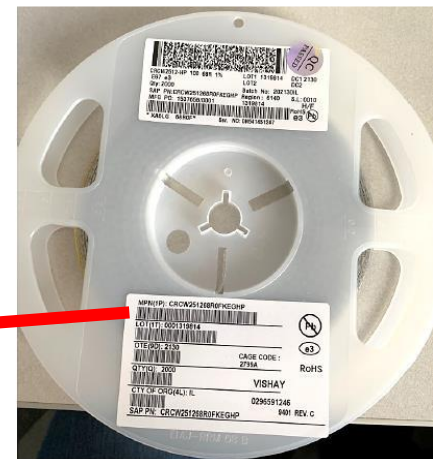
- **No changes in masking or entry requirements!!**
- **Domestic Travel** – including for some conferences, training, and meetings is being approved
 - **Plan for at least two weeks before getting approval and authorization to book the travel**
- **Travelers should:**
 - **Be vaccinated (with booster) or an approved exemption**
 - **Expect to take PCR test on fifth day after return**

Lessons Learned



Suspect / Counterfeit Items

- 2 Incidents reported at LLNL in the last 4 months
 - Ratchet straps from an approved supplier
 - No manufacturers mark on the bolt head
 - Vishay chip resistors
 - Purchased from the grey market (CPlus Electronics) because of supply chain shortages
 - Ordered CRCW-HP but received CRCW (packaging was marked as CRCW-HP)



Lessons Learned



Suspect / Counterfeit Items

- LLNL's are not isolated incidents
 - NRC Office of the Inspector General Investigation

Found that U.S. Department of Energy staff identified more than 100 incidents in FY 2021 alone, including five incidents involving safety-significant components in its nuclear facilities

Be vigilant and check all purchases even if from an approved supplier