

# End Of Life

## iWL221 and iWL251GPRS Product Line (PCI-PTS v2.x models)



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# 1\_Announcement

The purpose of this notice is to advise that Ingenico North America is announcing a withdrawal from marketing and sale of the PCI-PTS v2.x models of the iWL221 and iWL251 GPRS in Canada. The product was never released in the USA.

The relevant dates and support commitments are detailed below.

Impacted product models include, but may not be limited to:

- IWL221-01P1790
- IWL221-01P1540
- IWL221-01P1538
- IWL251-01P1542

Please note that all revisions within said part numbers are included in this notice. For example, IWL221-01P1790 includes IWL221-01P1790A, IWL221-01P1790B, etc.

As this is the EOL of the IWL221 and IWL251 product line, please note that any and all IWL221 and IWL251 specific accessories (eg. PIN shields, cables, power supplies, etc.) included as part of this EOL.

# 2\_Rationale

Payment devices (hardware) and POS applications (software) are evolving technologies. They follow a natural product life cycle. Payment hardware is primarily governed by the Payment Card Industry Security Standards Council's (PCI SSC) regulatory compliance requirements, in addition to market activity and market demand.

Ingenico North America is taking the action to EOL the PCI-PTS v2.x iWL221 and iWL251 products listed above due to the impending PCI-PTS v2.x expiration on April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017. This expiration date is consistent for any and all PCI-PTS v2.x products, regardless of manufacturer.

After the expiration date, Ingenico is unable to sell or ship any new products to customers. However, Ingenico may continue to repair said products and provide software updates as required.

## 3\_Key Dates

Key Milestones	Description	Date
<b>Initial EOL (End of Life) Announcement</b>	The date the announcement of the EOL of a product is sent out to partners and customers.	November 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2016
<b>EOL Date</b>	The date the End of Life officially takes effect.	December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2016
<b>LBO (Last Buy Order)</b>	The last date to order the device through Ingenico. This is the final forecast	Not applicable. (Product already removed from sale)
<b>Last Shipping Date</b>	The last possible ship date that can be requested.	Not applicable. (No outstanding orders pending)
<b>EOS (End of Support) Date</b>	The last date to receive support for the device. All customers should refer to their specific warranties and service agreements to determine the level of maintenance and support they are entitled to receive during the EOL period.	December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2016

- Please note that the EOL and EOS dates are one and the same. The iWL221 and iWL251 products have not been shipped for over three years. All existing warranties have expired and have not been extended or renewed.
- Any services after the December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016 date may be requested. Acceptance of said request will be based on the provided business case and parts availability. These services will be provided on a “best-efforts” basis based on existing stock or parts. No new parts will be procured after the EOS date.

## 4\_Migration Options

Customers and business partners are encouraged to migrate to Ingenico’s new Move/5000, part of the Tetra platform or to PCI-PTS v3.x variants of the iWL255 (3G). It should be noted that these new products are 3G, with fallback to GPRS. They are NOT GPRS only.

## 5\_Additional Information

Ingenico is pleased with the customer response we have received regarding our next generation products. We are excited to continue to offer the best in class wireless solutions and service in the market today.

If you should have any questions about this notice, need assistance regarding the marketing withdrawal of the PCI-PTS v2.x models of the iWL221 and iWL251, or wish to discuss Ingenico’s new Tetra platform, please contact your sales executive.