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Subject: SIA Communication – Transmitting Programmed Zone Labels

This is to inform you that DSC will be making a change to the SIA format with regards to the Modifier Code Packet when transmitting programmed zone labels. This change is being made in accordance with the SIA Specification, section 5.2.1.2 and section 5.2.1.1.2.

The character used is being changed from the '*' to '^' (ASCII Character 94).

The first panel to incorporate this change will be the PC4020 v3.5.

Please ensure the automation software you are using can recognize and accept this character as a valid Modifier Code Packet when using the SIA format before programming the panel to transmit programmed zone labels.

Please contact the DSC Customer Help Center at 888-888-7838 or <u>info@dsc.com</u> or contact DSC Technical Support at 800-387-3630 or <u>dsctech@dscltd.com</u> if you have any questions.

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