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**To:** North America Sales Channel

**TAB 07-001**

**Notice Regarding the Impact of the Daylight Savings Time Change on DSC & Sur-Gard Products**

As per the U.S. Energy Policy Act of 2005, the start and end dates of Daylight Savings Time (DST) are changing, beginning in 2007. The first implementation of this was at 2:00 a.m., March 11, 2007, when clocks moved forward by one hour. Subsequently, clocks will move back one hour November 11, 2007.

**The PC4020 V3.0 and higher has programmable Daylight Savings Time that supports the recent DST changes. All other DSC and Sur-Gard control panels require manual clock adjustment by the user.**

In April, 2007 V4.14 of the new PowerSeries panels (PC1616/PC1832/PC1864) will be released offering a programmable Daylight Savings feature in accordance with the recent Energy Policy changes.

**NT9005/PC1555 CP-01/PC5010 CP-01/PC5020**

These control panels have a toggle option for automatic DST programming. The DST dates are hard coded and cannot be changed. For this reason the DST toggle option should be disabled to prevent the panel from changing the time according to the old standard. If the DST toggle is disabled (disabled by default), the user must reprogram the time manually.

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