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## **3M Introduces New Cover Tape for IC Trays**

**AUSTIN, Texas – February 21, 2007** – The 3M Electronic Solutions Division has introduced a new tape to seal electrical and electronic components into carrier tapes. The 3M brand Static Dissipative Heat Activated Cover Tape 2671 is a transparent, two-sided polyester film tape that dissipates static electricity. Its synthetic polymer adhesive is heat-activated. The new cover tape can be used with carriers including the 3M brand Conductive 3000, Static Dissipative 2705, and Non-Conductive 2703 Polycarbonate Carriers.

The 3M brand Static Dissipative Heat Activated Cover Tape 2671 has a simple process window for achieving desirable peel force values. It comes in seven standard widths ranging from 5.3 mm to 49.4 mm on 480 meter rolls and corresponding to carrier tape widths from 8 mm to 56 mm.

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