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Dear valued customer,

It is common that counterfeit products are being distributed in market. Situations are the same at our Kamui products. Our KAMUI counterfeit products are observed in certain countries and area, and they reach you against our will. These counterfeits neither meet our quality standard nor provide you the playability we design to improve your game.

We had been engraving serial number on the top of each tip to check its authenticity as shown in the photo A below. However, the serial number was generated in a sequential way and we have confirmed that those who make counterfeit products copy or newly generate serial number which is the same as our authentic number. This is why some counterfeits still remain in market.

To break through this problem and deliver genuine KAMUI tips to all our customers, we have upgraded the number system. Please look at the Photo B below with number label pasted on the side of tip. This random number is highly encrypted by the specific algorithm to prevent those counterfeit serial numbers. All KAMUI tips produced in or after June 2016 have this label and number.

In addition, by imputing this encrypted number on our website [www.kamuibrand.com/sn](http://www.kamuibrand.com/sn), our system tells you if your KAMUI tip is genuine or not. Please refer to the attached manual for more details.

Photo A

Tip in market now



Sequence number (PL898) engraved on top

Photo B

Tip to be introduced in market



Encrypted number is printed on label

\* **This sequence number is not applicable to the new system**

This change does not affect the quality and playability of KAMUI tip at all.

We will pursuit the best possible distribution system to you and provide the excitement to the billiard game with our genuine products. We appreciate your continuous support to the KAMU BRAND.

Sincerely yours,

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