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CONFLICT METALS

History: The U.S. Conflict Minerals Law (Section 1502 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act) became effective on July 21, 2010. The law defines conflict minerals as certain minerals originating from the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) or adjoining countries. Regulations have been implemented regarding the law and SEC registered companies are required to report the use of any conflict minerals/Metals originating from the DRC or adjoining countries. Tri-Angle Precision Reamers is not an SEC registered company however many of Tri-Angle Precision Reamers customers are SEC registered. Therefor Tri-Angle and sub-tiers may be subject to third party audits to verify compliance.

Tri-Angle Policy on Conflict Metals: On products that are or contain, tin, tantalum, tungsten, and/or gold (whether in raw or processed form, and whether or not combined with other materials), Seller must certify either by blanket letter or individually with each shipment that such metals have not been sourced in a manner which directly or indirectly finances or benefits armed groups in the Democratic Republic of the Congo or adjoining countries. In addition, Seller shall have and implement its own Conflict Mineral Policy which at a minimum be aligned with buyers policy, shall include a commitment to legal compliance and shall be communicated to Seller's sub-suppliers. Seller shall ensure that purchased tin, tantalum, tungsten, and/or gold originate from smelters validated/certified by third parties, as being conflict mineral free. Seller shall work with sub-suppliers to ensure traceability of these metals within their products, back down to smelter and mine. Traceability data shall be maintained and recorded for 10 years. Documentation shall be provided to Buyer upon request.