

Poppe+Potthoff Hungária Kft. Conflict Minerals Policy

Overview

Conflict minerals refers to certain minerals and their derivatives mined in the eastern part of the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) and the adjoining countries where revenues generated by their sale may be directly or indirectly financing armed groups engaged in civil war resulting in serious social and environmental abuses. In July 2010, The United States passed the Dodd-Frank Financial Reform Bill. Section 1502 of this bill requires manufacturers who file certain reports with the SEC to disclose whether the products they manufacture or contract to manufacture contain conflict minerals that are necessary to the functionality or production of those products. Conflict Minerals are defined in the Conflict Minerals Rule as gold, tin, tantalum, and tungsten, the derivatives of cassiterite, columbite-tantalite, and wolframide.

Our commitment

Poppe+Potthoff Hungária Kft. as a sub-supplier of SEC filers fully supports efforts to eliminate the use of these minerals from improper sources that could promote abuses in the DRC Region and is in the process of obtaining information from its current metal suppliers concerning the origin of the metals that are used to manufacture our products.

Poppe+Potthoff Hungária Kft. does not directly source these materials from smelters or mines but uses refined metals in the manufacturing of its products. Therefore, it relies on the information provided by its suppliers regarding their sourcing of metals. We expect our suppliers to source materials from socially responsible suppliers and that all of our suppliers will comply with the Dodd-Frank regulation and provide all necessary declarations.

Based on information currently provided by its suppliers, Poppe+Potthoff Hungária Kft. does not knowingly use Conflict Minerals in any of its products.

Poppe+Potthoff activities

Poppe+Potthoff Hungária Kft. will continue to regularly perform due diligence and survey its suppliers to verify compliance with this policy. From June, 2013 we will take into use the standardized EICC-GeSI Conflict Minerals Reporting Template to continue mapping and to monitor our suppliers' commitment and activities. Suppliers shall define, implement and communicate to sub-suppliers their own policy. More details are requested from suppliers as needed.

To better understand the conflict minerals regulations, key references are noted below.

Additional Key References: Conflict Minerals

Conflict Free Smelter Program (CFS)

http://www.conflictfreesmelter.org/cfshome.htm

SEC Final Ruling

http://www.sec.gov/rules/final/2012/34-67716.pdf

AIAG:

www.aiag.org

Overview Training from EICC/GeSI:

http://www.conflictfreesmelter.org/documents/EICCGeSI_overview_training_10Dec2012L.pdf