

Statement regarding the fulfillment of due diligence to promote responsible supply chains for minerals from conflict and high risk areas

Dear Sir or Madam,

our company adheres to a code of conduct that obligates our employees to act ethically both internally and externally. We also motivate our suppliers to follow these guidelines.

Furthermore, with a view to conformity with the OECD Guidelines and the EU Supply Chain Due Diligence Regulation (EU 2017/821) and the Act Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/821, we strive to meet the requirements of our customers in matters of responsible minerals in the supply chain.

We have set up a process in our supply chain to determine if minerals (tin, tungsten, tantalum, gold, cobalt) from conflict and high risk areas (CAHRA) be supplied to us. Following feedback from our suppliers, there is no indication that our suppliers' products contain minerals from CAHRA.

Susann Müller
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