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## Conflict Minerals

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Dear Rotork Customer

We have received several enquiries in response to the conflict minerals legislation detailed in Section 1502 of the Dodd-Franks Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act which came into force in September 2013.

Conflict minerals including Tantalum, Tin, Tungsten and Gold which are extensively mined in conditions of armed conflict and human rights abuses in Eastern provinces of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, are primarily used in the manufacture of electronic semiconductor devices.

Rotork does not manufacture any of the electronic semiconductor devices used within our products and instead, we procure these devices from many manufacturers, distributors and suppliers from around the world.

While we fully support the conflict free initiative we consider we are without the practical means of identifying or verifying the origin of these primary raw materials, like many other international users of semiconductors.

We will continue to monitor the issue by reviewing declarations made by the manufacturers of semiconductor devices who will have greater influence in controlling the source of these minerals.

In the meanwhile if you have any questions, please contact Rotork's Group HSE Team at [groupmse@rotork.com](mailto:groupmse@rotork.com)

Thank you for your patience in this matter, we look forward to our continuing partnership.

Yours Faithfully

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