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**Explanation of H.R. 4173 “Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act”  
Section 1502 “Conflict Minerals”**

Dear Sir or Madam

Thank you for your inquiry regarding our obligations under H.R. 4173 “Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act” Section 1502 on “Conflict Minerals”, effective July 21, 2010. Our company is closely monitoring U.S. efforts to prohibit and control the extraction and trade of minerals originating from the Democratic Republic of the Congo and adjoining countries. This also applies to the Dodd-Frank implementation regulations issued in August 2012.

As a German company, we do not fall directly within the scope of this law, but as a supplier to US-listed companies, we also have a duty to provide information.

We have obtained the relevant information from our suppliers and, to the best of our current knowledge, our suppliers do not use any conflict materials originating from the countries covered by the regulation.

We will be happy to send you a CMRT / EMRT file on request, please contact info “at ”siko-global.com .

Kind regards

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