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Metal and Wire Products supports cessation to the violence and human rights violations due to the mining of certain minerals from a location known as the “Conflict Region”, which is located in the eastern portion of the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) and surrounding countries. The U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”) has implemented rules for the reporting and disclosure requirements connected to “conflict minerals”, as directed by the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act of 2010.

Metal and Wire Products Company is committed to this initiative and has either obtained, or in the process of obtaining information from our metal suppliers concerning the origin of the metals used in our manufacturing process. Suppliers of metals used at Metal and Wire Products (specifically gold, tin, tantalum, and tungsten) must show that they understand the conflict minerals laws and will not knowingly obtain specified metals that originate from the Conflict Region.

Our suppliers have demonstrated their due diligence and have provided confirmation of the origins of all raw materials. Based upon information provided by our suppliers, Metal and Wire Products Company does not knowingly use materials originating from the Conflict Region in our products. Our goal is to ensure that only “conflict free” materials are used in products that we obtain.