

Conflict Minerals Policy

As a privately held company, Rugged Science, LLC is not required to submit Conflict Minerals Disclosure reports to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) as directed by the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act of 2010, Section 1502. Rugged Science recognizes that many of our customers are required to file SEC disclosure reports and will support them in their efforts.

Rugged Science specializes in ruggedized COTS computer parts and resale of industrially hardened computer products. The use of tin, tungsten, tantalum and gold are necessary to the functionality or production of these products. Rugged Science does not directly source any of these metals and makes no claims about the source of supply of these metals used in our products. The Rugged Science supply chain includes numerous suppliers that are either private companies or international companies, neither of which are subject to SEC filing regulations; consequently, Rugged Science has little or no influence over the sourcing of the materials, parts, ingredients, or components our suppliers use in their products, but will make reasonable efforts to gather information about sourcing of conflict minerals to support our customers obligations.

Our Commitment

- Solicit information about the presence and origin of Conflict Minerals in our suppliers' products using the Conflict Minerals Reporting Template (CMRT) published by the Responsible Minerals Initiative (RMI).
- Support our customers in their objectives to comply with SEC reporting obligations under Dodd-Frank, Section 1502 by compiling Conflict Minerals information provided by our suppliers.
- Encourage our suppliers to exercise due diligence with their suppliers consistent with the OECD Due Diligence Guidance for Responsible Supply Chains of Minerals from Conflict-Affected and High-Risk Areas.

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