

Conflict Minerals

Elektron Technology UK Limited is implementing processes for its Arcoelectric, Bulgin and Sifam brands to comply with the conflict minerals reporting obligations of Section 1502 of the U.S Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform Act, which was published on 22 August 2012 by Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). Elektron Technology UK Limited is committed to be a socially responsible organisation and among other requirements, is Conflict Free. To this end we are taking measures to work with our supply chain to ensure only "DRC Conflict Free" minerals are used.

Elektron Technology UK Limited does not purchase tin, tantalum, tungsten or gold directly from smelters or mines. Furthermore there are multiple supply chain layers that separate us from smelters and mines from which these minerals are sourced. Consequently, we require our suppliers to determine the sources from which these minerals are sourced and are in the process of gathering this information from our major suppliers.

Please be assured that we are focused on providing our Customers with an Elektron Technology UK Limited Conflict Mineral declaration in accordance with the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development guidance. We fully understand the importance of this issue. We will continue gathering information from our suppliers in order to declare Elektron Technology UK Limited a Conflict Free supply chain, and our intentions are to be compliant before the initial reporting date of 31 May 2014.

Yours faithfully
For Elektron Technology UK Limited



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