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Water
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April 6, 2022

[Name]

[Street Address]

[City, State and ZIP]

Dear Valued Supplier,

In August 2012, the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) adopted final rules implementing §1502 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act. The rules impose disclosure and due diligence requirements on publicly-traded companies that manufacture products containing minerals designated as “conflict minerals¹” that originate in the Democratic Republic of Congo (“DRC”) or adjoining countries² (together, “Covered Countries”).

As a result of the rules, Mueller Group, LLC and its affiliated companies (together, “Mueller”) are required to conduct due diligence inquiries of its supply chain regarding conflict minerals. To comply with the rules, Mueller has determined that it (a) will not purchase material that is not “DRC conflict free” (as defined by SEC rules) from any supplier and (b) will require that all material supplied to Mueller be “DRC conflict free.”

We request your confirmation that, from and after January 1, 2020, all material supplied by your company has been and will be “DRC conflict free.” Please complete the second page of this letter, sign and return it by email to conflictminerals@muellerwp.com **no later than May 6, 2022** to confirm as indicated below that all material you supply to Mueller or its relevant affiliate is “DRC conflict free.” Please contact us immediately if you are not able to make this confirmation. Failure to respond could affect our ability to buy from you in the future.

Thank you in advance for your immediate response to this request. If you have any questions about this request, please contact us at (770) 206-4200.

You are a valued supplier, and we look forward to continuing our relationship with you.

Sincerely,

[Name]

[Title/Position]

¹ Cassiterite, columbite-tantalite, gold, wolframite and their derivatives (tantalum, tin and tungsten).

² Angola, Burundi, Central African Republic, Republic of Congo, Rwanda, South Sudan, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia.

CONFIRMATION OF DRC CONFLICT FREE STATUS

By countersigning below, [insert your company name] (“Supplier”) hereby certifies that all material it has supplied to Mueller Group, LLC and its subsidiaries (together, “Mueller”) from and after January 1, 2020, is “DRC conflict free” as follows (*check applicable option(s)*):

- ☐ The materials supplied by Supplier do not contain or utilize cassiterite, columbite-tantalite, gold, wolframite and their derivatives (tantalum, tin and tungsten) (collectively, the “Conflict Minerals”).
- ☐ The materials supplied by Supplier to Mueller from and after January 1, 2020 that contain or utilize any Conflict Minerals do not originate from any of the following countries: The Democratic Republic of Congo, Angola, Burundi, Central African Republic, Republic of Congo, Rwanda, South Sudan, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia. Supplier has implemented procedures to identify and monitor the origin of materials (other than those from recycled or scrap sources) that are produced with Conflict Minerals.
- ☐ The material supplied by Supplier to Mueller from and after January 1, 2020 that contain or utilize any Conflict Minerals are from recycled or scrap sources.

SUPPLIER:

[insert your company name]

By:

Name:

Title:

Date:

To receive communication in the future via e-mail regarding conflict minerals due diligence, please provide an e-mail address below:
