
CONFLICT MINERALS POLICY

Since Brexit, the UK does not have a comprehensive, standalone equivalent to the EU's Conflict Minerals Regulation for Great Britain, but it maintains strict due diligence requirements for Northern Ireland. Under the Northern Ireland Protocol, NI importers of tin, tantalum, tungsten, and gold (3TG) must comply with EU Regulation 2017/821.

While no similar mandatory, comprehensive law applies to Great Britain, as a business operating in the UK with overseas customers following OECD (Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development) due diligence guidelines are recommended. This enables a business to co-operate with the regulation which has been enforced in Europe since 1st January 2021.

OUR POLICY COMMITMENT

Verotec endeavors to undertake a responsible approach and not knowingly procure materials listed in the regulation for the purpose of Economic co-operation and development.

As such we request during evaluation of suppliers that they confirm they have a Conflict Materials Policy that is aligned with either the regulation itself, the OECD guidelines or other local requirements depending on what is geographically applicable to them. In each case, no sourcing of listed materials from CAHRAs (Conflict-affected and high-risk areas) from them or their sub tier suppliers shall be tolerated.

Signed:



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