

to whom it may concern

Section 1502 of the Dodd-Frank Act requires certain companies to report the use of "Conflict Minerals" in the manufacture of their products. Conflict minerals include tantalum, tin, gold and tungsten which originate in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) or specified adjoining countries.

marco does not file reports with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and as such has no legal obligation to comply with the requirements of section 1502 of the Dodd-Frank Act. We will, however, support our customers in their reporting obligations.

It is our standard policy to source components and materials only from reputable suppliers who comply with applicable European legislation. As an ISO 9001 certified company our procedures are defined and all processes are documented.

We have reviewed our current suppliers of materials that could contain conflict minerals and can confirm that at this date there is no indication that any of our manufactured products contain conflict minerals from the DRC or adjoining countries.

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