

September 1, 2020

Statement on Use of Conflict Minerals (3TG)

In July of 2010, the United States Congress passed legislation requiring corporations to report the use of "Conflict Minerals" in the manufacture of their products. "Conflict Minerals" in this context refers to the following minerals: Columbite-tantalite (coltan), cassiterite, gold, wolframite, or their derivatives, which are limited to tantalum, tin and tungsten.

The details of the legislation can be found in Section 1502 of HR 4173, signed into law on July 21, 2010.

On 17 May 2017, the EU Parliament and EU Council adopted a new import regulation on "Conflict Minerals" under Regulation 2017/821, which is taking part on January 1st, 2021.

DataApex Ltd. (DA) is committed to comply with this EU legislation.

We, as a downstream company, are working with our suppliers to understand or establish their systems for sourcing of raw materials, including any listed minerals which may be used in parts supplied to DA's products.

DA requests the suppliers will be compatible Conflict Minerals Regulation, maintain a Conflict-Free sourcing policy and comply with our internal policy based on the OECD due diligence guidelines.

As of September 1st, 2020, the following listed products does not include any of known Conflict Minerals in that directly or indirectly finance or benefit armed groups in the Democratic Republic of the Congo or adjoining countries:

Products:	
Colibrick A/D converters	(p/n U31, U32, U34)
Zebrick D/A converter	(p/n B30)
MultiCOM	(p/n MC01)
Validator	(p/n VAL2)
OptUSB	(p/n OPT01)

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