

## Conflict Minerals Statement

The US federal law (Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, Sec. 1502) defines the handling of the conflict minerals columbite-tantalite, cassiterite, wolframite and gold as well as their derivatives originating from the region of the DRC and neighboring countries (DRC region).

SAXONIA Technical Materials GmbH is a materials technology company with the following scope: Development, manufacturing and sales of contact materials, soldering and brazing alloys, pastes, fluxes and metallurgical specialties. SAXONIA Technical Materials GmbH is committed to conducting its business in compliance with all relevant applicable laws, amongst others, concerning the US regulation Dodd-Frank-Act Sec. 1502, as well as the EU Regulation 2017/821.

We will not give nor tolerate any direct or indirect support to non-state armed groups or to public or private security forces who illegally control mine sites, transportation routes and upstream actors in the supply chain. We request that our suppliers comply with this policy when extracting, sourcing, transporting, trading, handling or exporting minerals from conflict-affected and high-risk areas.

We will support efforts, or take steps to contribute to the effective elimination of money laundering where we identify a reasonable risk of money-laundering resulting from or connected to the extraction, trade, handling, transport or export of minerals derived from illegal taxation.

We use the RMI Conflict Minerals Reporting Template to inform our customers about smelters and refiners in our supply chain.

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