



Declaration Concerning Conflict Metals

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PMC-Sierra strives to be in compliance with all legal, environmental and ethical standards globally.

Regarding the use of metals sourced from the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), PMC-Sierra has conducted a series of surveys confirming sourcing policies and conflict free status. As a result PMC-Sierra has found no evidence that these metals are used in our Integrated Circuit or Printed Circuit Board Assembly product lines. We base that statement on reports from our suppliers, some of whom are EICC members, in response to our requests and surveys regarding conflict metals.

PMC-Sierra does not purchase or source the raw metals used in our product and as the supply chain is complex we do not have direct visibility into the original sources of those metals.

As PMC-Sierra is a company registered in the United States of America, the 2010 Financial Reform Bill (Dodd–Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act) legislation enacted in the USA has a direct effect on us. This legislation requires the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) to provide reporting requirements in order to develop the appropriate due diligence methods needed to identify and confirm all sources of the metals throughout the supply chain. PMC-Sierra's efforts with regards to any additional survey requirements are still pending as the reporting structure requirement from the SEC is in draft at this time.