



Policy for a Conflict Free Supply Chain

Within our business activities, we aim to respect national and international laws and regulations as well as standards. We have already successfully achieved this with the legal regulations issued by the European Union (EU), such as RoHS and WEEE.

SVS-VISTEK GmbH is aware of its responsibility to take care of natural resources and the environment and works according to high ethical values within its certified Quality Management System (QMS). As part of a globalized society, our company is committed to complying with or demanding all national and international laws and regulations relevant to our business activities in our daily work.

Even as a non-member, we support the Codes of Conduct of the EICC (Electronic Industry Citizenship Coalition) and the GeSI (Global e-Sustainability Initiative). We closely follow other initiatives issued by the OECD and/or the EU. The same applies to the recommendations of individual industry associations, e.g. ZVEI (Germany) or the Swiss business agency SECO.

In accordance with the objectives of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act; Section 1502 of 2010, we require our suppliers and delivery partners to provide "DRC Conflict Free" products and materials.

Specifically, this means that we require our suppliers to:

- 1) organize activities in a socially and environmentally compatible manner
- 2) not to use any so-called "Conflict Minerals" from the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) and neighboring countries
- 3) impose the same obligation on their upstream suppliers

In this way, we want to ensure that the goals of the EICC and the GeSI can be achieved.

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