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Statement: Responsible Sourcing of Minerals

In conflict and high risk areas, there is a danger that serious human rights violations will be committed in the generation of income. For example for military conflicts. This occurs in particular in the promotion of 3TG minerals which means tin, tantalum, tungsten, their ores and mineral derivatives and gold.

Sustainability and responsible behavior are top priorities at Rosenberg Ventilatoren GmbH. These principles are also incorporated into our business decisions. Therefore, in addition to compliance with legal requirements and guidelines, we also consider ethical behavior as our duty.

Rosenberg is aware of the problem that products and components procured from suppliers may contain minerals sourced from Conflict Regions. For this reason, we continue to pursue our approach in dealing with conflict minerals to determine the use, the sources and the origin of conflict minerals in our supply chain. In addition, we are strengthening the cooperation with our direct suppliers to continuously reduce risks that conflict minerals are used in materials, procured by Rosenberg.

We require our suppliers to undertake reasonable due diligence with their supply chains to determine if purchased products contain minerals from conflict regions. For this we recommend the „Conflict Minerals Reporting Template“ (CMRT) of the „Responsible Minerals Initiative“ (RMI). This can be used to check whether the found smelters are certified. The template is available on the website: <http://www.responsiblemineralsinitiative.org/>