



## Conflict Minerals Compliance

Yarde Metals, Inc. is committed to complying with the Dodd Frank Act\*, which calls for companies to disclose their use of any Conflict Minerals (Tungsten, Tantalum, Tin, or Gold - also known as 3TG). In order to comply, Yarde has adopted a policy to only purchase product that are DRC conflict free. We received certifications from all of our suppliers and had them reviewed by our legal department. A DRC conflict free status determination was made, and Yarde's suppliers were designated as Approved Suppliers, based on the criteria set forth in the 1934 Act Release No. 34-67716.

Please note that all requests for Conflict Free Templates and Letters must be approved by our parent company's legal department. We will do our best to fulfill your request in a timely fashion.

\*<http://www.cftc.gov/LawRegulation/DoddFrankAct/index.htm>

Sincerely,

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