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Conflict-Free Material Policy

As a responsible participant in the metals industry and as a member of the Minor Metals Trade Association (MMTA) we are aware of the seriousness of the humanitarian crisis in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) and adjoining countries.

In accordance with Section 1502 of the U.S. Dodd-Frank Act governing conflict minerals, Advanced Alloys have taken several steps to identify and assess the risks in our supply chain and are making continued efforts to verify that all minerals are from conflict free areas.

We are fully committed to avoiding the use of conflict materials which directly or indirectly finance or benefit the illegal trade in such areas. As a result of this we have implicated the following policies and procedures.

- All our suppliers must support and follow the OECD Due Diligence Guidelines for Responsible supply chains as well as conforming to strict EICC rules.
- To prevent any conflict materials being unknowingly purchased by AAS we instruct all our suppliers to issue a conflict free policy along with confirmation of material origin with every delivery.

These procedures are stipulated in our contractual terms of purchase.

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