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ASC'S CONFLICT MINERALS POLICY

This document contains American Standard Circuits (ASC) statement regarding the content of Conflict Mineral in our products. The content of this document is based upon information collected from ASC's supply chain.

There has been an increased awareness of violence and human rights violations in mining of certain minerals (Gold, Tin, Tungsten & Tantalum) from a location termed as a "Conflict Region" which is situated in the eastern region of the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) and surrounding countries. The Electronic Industry Citizenship Coalition (EICC) and the Global e-Sustainability Initiative (GeSI) have requested that companies undertake reasonable due diligence with their supply chain to assure that specified metals are not being sourced from mines in conflict areas which are controlled by non-government military groups, or unlawful military factions.

ASC has supported the action of the EICC & GeSI since it is initiated and has obtained information from its current metal suppliers concerning the origin of the metals that are used in the manufacture of ASC products. Out of the four conflict metals, ASC uses only Gold & Tin in their production. There is no use of Tungsten & Tantalum in our manufacturing process. The information that we have obtained from our suppliers indicates that the metals used in the manufacturing of our products does not originate from Conflict Region.

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