



## Conflict Materials Declaration

In 2010, H.R.4173, the Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Law was signed into law. In addition to financial market regulatory reforms, Section 1502 of this new law places reporting requirements relating to “Conflict Materials” upon manufacturers if their products contain metals derived from minerals defined as “Conflict Minerals” which include columbitetantalite (coltan, niobium, tantalum), cassiterite (tin), gold, and wolframite (tungsten), their derivatives, or other minerals designated by the Secretary of State.

Foster, LLC is committed to remain compliant with this law and is vigilant in surveying our inorganic material suppliers to ensure that they are compliant as well. Although Foster is not a publicly traded company, and therefore not directly subject to this law, we are providing this declaration to our downstream customers to help them comply with any obligations relative to this law.