PMV Positioners

STATEMENT

Conflict minerals

This statement is for positioners and switch boxes.

In politically unstable areas, armed groups often use forced labour to mine minerals. They then sell those minerals to fund their activities, for example to buy weapons. These minerals can as example find their way into our mobile phones, cars and jewellery.

These so-called 'conflict minerals' are, gold, wolframite, casserite, columbite-tantalite and their derivative metals, which include tin, tungsten and tantalum – no matter where they are mined or smelted.

Several countries and organizations, including the United States, European Union, and OECD have designated conflict minerals connected to conflicts in different areas in the world.

- Tantalium is used in capacitors on PCBA
- Tin is used in the soldering in order to assembly PCB
- Gold is used in gold plated spool valves and contacts on PCBA
- Wolframite is used as contact surface for our switches from company HIS. According to HIS homepage/product data sheet they fulfil the conflict minerals requirements.

According to our suppliers, they are today only sourcing the above minerals from non - conflict areas.

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