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Our ref.:

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Your ref.:

Subject: **Conflict Minerals Declaration**

Dear Sirs,

with reference to your request regarding compliance of our products to the Conflict Minerals US legislation (the SEC Dodd-Frank Act), and to the future European Regulation (EU) 2017/821, please note the following.

We herewith declare that our standard series of multipole connectors and all series of connector enclosures do not include components with parts of the following substances:

- Tantalum
- Tin
- Tungsten
- Gold

(the so-called 3T+G conflict minerals) which come from the Democratic Republic of Congo or its neighbour countries (Angola, Burundi, Central African Republic, Rwanda, South Sudan, Tanzania, Uganda and Zambia).

The exceptions are:

- CIMD ... and CIFD ..., CDMD ... and CDFD ..., CCMD ... and CCFD ... "standard" gold plated crimp contacts;
- CIM2D ... and CIF2D ..., CDM2D ... and CDF2D ..., CCM2D ... and CCF2D ... "high thickness" gold plated crimp contacts;
- CIMJD ... and CIFJD ..., CDMJD ... and CDFJD ..., CCFJD ... and CCMJD ..., CXMJD ... and CXFJD ... "essential" JEI® gold plated crimp contacts;
- RIM2D ... and RIF2D ..., RDM2D ... and RIF2D ..., RCF2D ... and RCF2D ..., RXF2D ... and RXM2D ... "HNM" (High Number of Matings) gold plated crimp contacts;
- CDMS ... and CDFS ..., CCMS ... and CCFS ... tin plated crimp contacts;
- RX 02 /03 /04 /06 TF /TM "HNM" (High Number of Matings) version of series MIXO frames (w/ PE gold plated contacts);
- series JEI® connector inserts with tin plated contacts (JNE, JSE, JSH, JSH ... S, JDS, JDSH, JSAH, JK, JKS, JKSH);
- special versions of screw-type or spring-clamp type connector inserts with gold plated contacts (letter "D" in the pre-code) e.g. CKMD /FD ..., CKSMD /FD ..., CNEFD /MD ..., CSHFD /MD



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As confirmed by our suppliers both the tin and the gold employed in the electroplating baths for the above mentioned contact tin plating or gold plating are not originating from minerals extracted in the Democratic Republic of Congo or in the above listed neighbour countries, in compliance with Section 1502 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act and of the relevant regulation of the US SEC, and with the forthcoming European Regulation (EU) 2017/821 on the subject matter.

Best regards,

I.L.M.E. S.p.A.
per procura

A handwritten signature in dark ink, written over the text 'per procura'.