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Dear Customer,

21 July 2010 The Dodd Frank Act and related directives of the US Commission on the Securities and Exchange requires US companies listed on the stock exchange to declare the origin of certain materials in their products (and in the means of production), and to document it in a specific way. Under the **Dodd Frank Act** the US companies listed on the stock exchange must declare in its annual accounts if their products or production tools contain **tin, tantalum, tungsten and gold** from the region which includes the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), the Central African Republic, South Sudan, Zambia, Angola, Republic of Congo, Tanzania, Burundi, Rwanda and Uganda. To check the veracity of the declaration, the certificate must be presented even if the products do not contain minerals from conflict. Indirectly, this also applies to suppliers of American companies, particularly in the electrical and electronics industry, aviation and aviation, automotive, in jewelry, in the production of medicines and industrial products.

At the European level is discussed on the obligation to provide certificates of origin for the so-called conflict minerals. The **European Commission** has carried out a consultation and it is expected that in the near future, European companies will be obliged to proceed in this sense: the situation to date in July 2013, remain to be clarified only the details of the form. The European initiative rests on the Dodd Frank Act concerning conflict minerals. This law wants to prevent the use of so-called conflict minerals, which are an important source of funding for armed groups of Eastern Africa

Reer SpA, a manufacturer of electronic equipment and distributor of electrical and electronic equipment, **it promotes the traceability of these minerals and the transparency of the supply chain.**

Reer firmly believes that its customers should be well informed about the products purchased; although they cannot directly certify the country of origin of the minerals in the products produced by its suppliers Reer is committed to working with its customers to provide the information they require on the issue Conflict Minerals.

Reer SpA. Commits itself therefore to implement initiatives for its logistics chain to obtain products free of minerals from conflict zones.

Reer not buy, directly, any minerals from conflict zones and try not to buy products that contain minerals from conflict zones with which are supported and funded, directly or indirectly, armed groups in the affected areas, encouraging their suppliers to support these efforts and to inform us about the origin of their components.

We remain available for any further information and application.

The company responsible for the Conflict Minerals

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