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## CONFLICT MINERALS POLICY STATEMENT

Dear Customers,

The US Securities and Exchange Commission has issued a rule to implement the new detection and disclosure requirements relating to Conflict Minerals required by the 2010 Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act Section 1502.

According to this rule, publicly traded companies must report annually the presence of Conflict Minerals (CM) originating from Central Africa in their products.

The term conflict minerals refers to gold, tin, tantalum, and tungsten; other minerals may be added in the future.

HD Slippers Srl is committed to:

- Avoiding the intentional supply of products containing the above specified CM
- Ensuring compliance with the above requirements and asking its suppliers to set up a suitable evaluation process with their supply chain in order to ensure that their products are CM free.

Sincerely  
Sergio Roveri  
president