



**Formosa Plastics®**

**Formosa Plastics Corporation, U.S.A.**  
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**Re: Conflict Minerals Information for Formolene® / Formolon® Products and Caustic Soda**

Dear Valued Customer;

This letter documents Formosa Plastics Corporation, U.S.A.'s compliance with SEC requirement 17 CFR 240 and 249(b) related to conflict minerals reporting. The Dodd-Frank law is a regulatory provision, one targeted at eliminating funding for armed groups in the eastern Democratic Republic of Congo. Armed groups there finance themselves through trade in four main minerals: tin, tantalum, tungsten and gold, used in technological products sold worldwide, including mobile telephones, laptop computers and digital video recorders. The conflict minerals provision is a disclosure requirement that calls on publically-traded companies to determine whether their products contain conflict minerals, by carrying out supply chain due diligence, and to report this to the Securities and Exchange Commission.

**Formosa Plastics Corporation, U.S.A. is not a publically traded company, thus is not subject to SEC reporting requirements under 13(a), or 15(d) and the conflict minerals reporting rule.**

Nevertheless, conflict minerals are not components in our Formolene® polyethylene, Formolene® polypropylene, Formolon® suspension PVC\* and Formolon® specialty (dispersion) PVC products. These products are composed mainly of ethylene, propylene or chlorine, all of which are sourced in the United States and manufactured by Formosa Plastics Corporation, U.S.A. in the United States. Caustic soda produced by Formosa Plastics Corporation, U.S.A. is also sourced entirely in the United States. Please note that we do not conduct routine conflict minerals testing of these products, nor any additives that may be used in their production.

If you have any further questions, please contact your Sales or Customer Service representative. As always, *You expect more. And Formosa delivers.*®

Sincerely,

**Steve Rice**  
Senior Manager, Corporate Communications

\* except some suspension PVC compound products, which may contain tin-based stabilizer additives.