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To: Empire Resources, Inc.

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Re: Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC)"Conflict Minerals "Statement

In response to your request concerning the use of the "Conflict Minerals" under the new SEC rule, we understand that the "Conflict Minerals" are commonly referred to as "3TG- tantalum, tin, tungsten, and gold) originating from Democratic Republic of Congo or DRC and adjoining countries.

We further understand that the disclosure is required if "Conflict Minerals" is utilized in our products supplied to you. With such understanding that our chemical analysis has not found any inclusion of "Conflict Minerals" in our products supplied to you subject to SEC rule. The products we supplied to you are "DRC conflict free".

We shall continue working with our metal supplier and assure that our products will remain DRC conflict free. We shall continue to comply with the SEC's new reporting requirements for "Conflict Minerals".

Yours faithfully

Benny Chen
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