Proterial Group's policy for Responsible Supply Chain of Minerals

The Proterial Group is committed to responsible procurement activities as its policy to ensure that the procurement of materials containing conflict minerals (tin, tantalum, tungsten, and gold) and cobalt does not encourage the activities of armed groups, human rights violations including child labor, corruption, and environmental destruction in the conflict and high-risk regions.

The Group also respects the OECD Due Diligence Guidance for Responsible Supply Chains of Minerals from Conflict-Affected and High-Risk Areas and conducts more detailed investigations based on the Guidance while understanding social issues and the expected roles of companies in the regions.

For its procurement partners, the Group will continue to inquire into their minerals' country of origin and supply chains using the Conflict Minerals Reporting Template (CMRT) and the Extended Mineral Reporting Template (EMRT) issued by the Responsible Minerals Initiative (RMI) and request its procurement partners to procure minerals from smelters certified under RMI's Responsible Minerals Assurance Program (RMAP).

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