

## MEMORANDUM

**To:** File

**From:** John Fieldsend  
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Office of Rulemaking  
Division of Corporation Finance  
U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission

**Date:** August 31, 2010

**Re:** Section 1502 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act Regarding Congolese Conflict Minerals

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On August 31, 2010, Paula Dubberly, Lillian Brown, Steven Hearne, and John Fieldsend of the Division of Corporation Finance met with Catherine Robinson of the National Association of Manufacturers, Charles Uthus of the American Automotive Policy Council, Scott Jacobson of Honeywell Electronic Materials, Don Taylor of Honeywell Specialty Materials, Karl Laskas of Honeywell Automation and Control Solutions, Colin Stackhouse of Siemens, Doug Kealey of Garmin, Bruce Quinn of Rockwell Automation, Norma Rein of The Boeing Company, Christopher Knospe of Greatbatch, Richard Lopez of the Alliance of Automobile Manufacturers, Jean Cecil Frick of Boston Scientific, Jeremy Preiss of United Technologies Corporation, Toni Harrington of Honda, Sandy Merber of General Electric, and Michele Blair of Tyco Electronics. The participants discussed the Commission's required rulemaking in Section 1502 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, which relates to reporting requirements regarding conflict minerals originating in the Democratic Republic of the Congo and adjoining countries.