

MEMORANDUM

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

On January 9, 2012, Kathleen Hanley and Vladimir Ivanov of the Division of Risk, Strategy, and Financial Innovation met with Amol Mehra of International Corporate Accountability Roundtable, Corinna Gilfillan and Jana Morgan of Global Witness, and Darren Fenwick of Enough Project. The participants discussed the Commission's required rulemaking under 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.