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To whom it may concern,

We are pleased to announce that Jervoiss Finland Oy is a conformant downstream facility as determined by the Responsible Minerals Initiatives' (RMI). Downstream Assessment Program.<sup>1</sup> Jervoiss Finland Oy is the first cobalt chemical producer to receive such recognition by the RMI.

RMI developed the Downstream Assessment Program (DAP) as a mechanism by which downstream companies, within the cobalt or tin, tantalum, tungsten, gold (3TG) supply chains, can obtain independent validation that their responsible sourcing practices are aligned to OECD Due Diligence Guidance for Responsible Mineral Supply Chains from Conflict-Affected and High-Risk Areas (OECD Guidance).<sup>2</sup> This program is solely for downstream companies that do not meet the definition as a refiner or smelter.

RMI's recognition of Jervoiss Finland is validation that our cobalt sourcing and due diligence activities are aligned with OECD Guidance. Our customers can comfortably rely on RMI's recognition that our products are responsibly sourced. In fact, our conformance provides an opportunity for our customers to continue the chain of responsibility throughout the downstream to the end finished product.

Please see our website at <http://www.jervoissfinland.com/sustainability> for further information regarding Jervoiss Finland's activities on sustainability.

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1. [Responsible Minerals Initiative \(RMI\)'s Downstream Assessment Program](#)
2. [OECD Due Diligence Guidance for Responsible Supply Chains of Minerals from Conflict-Affected and High-Risk Areas](#)