Graco Inc. Conflict Minerals Policy Statement

The Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act of 2010 directed the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”) to adopt a rule requiring public companies with conflict minerals (tin, tantalum, tungsten and gold) that are necessary to the functionality or production of products manufactured or contracted to be manufactured by such companies to disclose annually whether any of those conflict minerals originated in the Democratic Republic of Congo (“DRC”) or an adjoining country. The rule is intended to further the humanitarian goal of ending the extremely violent conflict in the DRC which has been financed in part by the exploitation and trade of conflict minerals originating in the DRC.

Graco Inc. and its subsidiaries (“Graco”) are committed to conducting business fairly and ethically, with respect for human rights and in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations. We are committed to complying with the SEC’s rule on conflict minerals and the responsible sourcing of minerals through our global supply chain. We are actively and diligently working with our global supply chain partners to determine the origin of any conflict minerals they may supply to us, and will continue to work with them towards the goal of providing greater supply chain transparency and responsible sourcing.