BI SPECTRA Premium Pharmaceutical Ingredients

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## **CONFLICT MINERALS STATEMENT**

Dextran Sulfate GMP

Conflict Minerals are defined in 2010 United States legislation, Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, Section 1502(e)(4) as columbite-tantalite (coltan), cassiterite, gold, wolframite, or their derivatives, or any other mineral or its derivatives determined to be financing conflict in the Democratic Republic of the Congo or an adjoining country. 3TG is defined as Tantalum, Tin, Tungsten, and Gold. Regulations have been established pertaining to the responsible sourcing of minerals.

BioSpectra does not intentionally add or use any conflict minerals or 3TG in the manufacturing process of Dextran Sulfate. BioSpectra has evaluated the source of the raw materials used in its production through the Supplier Qualification Program, and can state that materials are not sourced from Conflict Minerals Nations. Metal catalysts or metal reagents are not used in the manufacture of Dextran Sulfate, or its raw materials.

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