Green Procurement Guideline

1. 1. Introduction

Minami supports the important initiative of Environment Protection such that "in the processes of development of technology and development of products, the impact to the environment" are considered. Therefore, using parts and materials that produce the effect of environmental load reduction is a must. Such parts and materials are preferably procured, so that the "Green procurement" initiative for non-use and reduction of harmful substances is promoted.

Minami, abiding on this guideline, promotes green procurement with our business partners.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation in our efforts for environmental conservation.

2. Scope of application

This guideline applies to all products (materials, parts, units, accessories, packaging materials) procured by our company. Special standards may be set upon customer's request.

3. Target chemical substance

Chemical substances described by as target substance group under the following laws and regulations

- (1) RoHS Directive
- (2) REACH Regulation
- (3) Existing Japanese Chemical Substances Control Laws

4. Requests to business partners

Minami ask for your cooperation if inspection is requested in compliance of Section 3 of this guideline under the non-use and non-inclusion of the "target chemical substances" specified for all products, parts, units, etc. delivered to us.

In addition, please advise us in writing if "target chemical substances" are used or contained in a newly developed products.

5. Non-Disclosure

We will manage your answers and information carefully and cautiously, preventing information leaks through our strict business processes.