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To the members of the national associations of the European Federation of
Jewellery

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Launch of Due Diligence Ready!

Programme to support your minerals and metals supply chain due diligence efforts

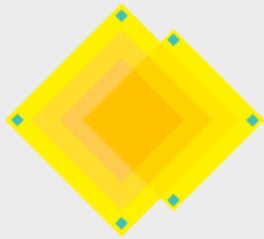
The European Federation of Jewellery welcomes the launch of [Due Diligence Ready!](#), a new European Commission online tool that will benefit your company.

Due Diligence Ready! is dedicated to small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) with minerals and metals in their supply chains, notably tin, tantalum, tungsten and gold. Available in 7 languages, it helps SMEs perform due diligence effectively and ensure responsible sourcing. **For those of you impacted by regulatory requirements, for example by the [EU's 'conflict minerals' regulation](#) which will enter into force on 1 January 2021, the initiative will help you comply with your legal obligations.**

Via the Due Diligence Ready! online portal, you can access materials to guide you through conducting your due diligence in a simple and efficient way, including:

- A series of educational webinars, breaking down key concepts
- 'Frequently Asked Questions'
- A glossary of terms
- A toolbox of useful resources related to due diligence

We encourage you to make good use of the Due Diligence Ready! portal. This will place you in a stronger position to comply with legal requirements, meet market demand and consumers' expectations for responsible sourcing in minerals and metals.



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The European Federation of Jewellery contributed to the creation of the Due Diligence Ready! platform as the Federation was a member of the Advisory Board set up by the European Commission.

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