TESLA MOTORS INC

Form SD

May 27, 2016		
UNITED STATES		
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION		
Washington, DC 20549		
FORM SD		
Specialized Disclosure Report		
Tesla Motors, Inc.		
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)		
Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	001-34756 (Commission File Number)	91-2197729 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
3500 Deer Creek Road		
Palo Alto, California 94304		
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip cod	e)	
Philip L. Rothenberg		
(650) 681-5000		
(Name and telephone number, including area code, of the person to contact in connection with this report.)		

Check the appropriate box to indicate the rule pursuant to which this form is being filed,
and provide the period to which the information in this form applies:
_X_ Rule 13p-1 under the Securities Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13p-1) for the reporting period from January 1 to December 31, 2015.

Section 1 – Conflict Minerals Disclosure
Item 1.01Conflict Minerals Disclosure and Report
This Conflict Minerals Report and more information regarding Tesla's Conflict Minerals Policy is available at: https://www.teslamotors.com/about/legal
Item 1.02Exhibit
Section 2 – Exhibits
Item 2.01Exhibits
Exhibit 1.01 – Conflict Minerals Report as required by Items 1.01 and 1.02 of this Form

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the duly authorized undersigned.

TESLA MOTORS, INC.

By:/s/ Greg Reichow Greg Reichow

> Vice President, Production

Date: May 27, 2016

### EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

1.01 Tesla Motors, Inc. Conflict Minerals Report for the reporting period January 1 to December 31, 2015