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Dear Business & Human Rights Resource Centre,

For over a decade all of Intel’s sales in Russia had been through distributors who are required to comply with US export controls. Intel [has suspended](https://urldefense.com/v3/__https:/www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/newsroom/news/intel-statement-war-ukraine.html__;!!GFN0sa3rsbfR8OLyAw!eMJ8FPWDjs0EO11MmNQPFKN_7yXo5vCpYUdRfalS2CoRfGjYjMx_nVik6aP14vSCYm3yLXXCmmk2sqs5wxCfonk$) all shipments destined for customers in either Russia or Belarus and Intel will continue to comply with all applicable export regulations and sanctions in the countries in which it operates. This includes compliance with the sanctions and export controls against Russia and Belarus issued by the US and allied nations. Intel has a clear policy that its distributors and customers must comply with all export requirements and international laws as well.

[Intel’s commitment to human rights](https://www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/policy/policy-human-rights.html) embodies common principles laid out in external guidelines such as the UN Guiding Principles for Business and Human Rights. While we do not always know nor can we control what products our customers create or the applications end-users may develop, Intel does not support or tolerate our products being used to violate human rights. Where we become aware of a concern that Intel products are being used by a business partner in connection with abuses of human rights or in violation of export control laws, we will restrict or cease business with the third party until and unless we have high confidence that Intel’s products are not being used to violate human rights or export controls.

Should you have any further questions, please reach out to our Corporate Responsibility Office at [corporate.responsibility@intel.com](mailto:corporate.responsibility@intel.com).

Sincerely,

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