

TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING CO LTD  
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May 28, 2015

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**Form SD**

**Specialized Disclosure Report**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company Limited**

**(Translation of Registrant's Name Into English)**

**No. 8, Li-Hsin Road 6 Hsinchu Science Park Hsinchu, Taiwan Republic of China**

**(Address of principal executive offices)**

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**(Name and telephone number, including area code, of 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:

- Rule 13p-1 under the Securities Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13p-1) for the reporting period from January 1 to December 31, 2014.

**Section 1 - Conflict Minerals Disclosure**

**Items 1.01 and 1.02 Conflict Minerals Disclosure and Report, Exhibit**

**Conflict Minerals Disclosure**

Attached as Exhibit 1.01 hereto please see the Conflict Minerals Report for Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company Limited ( TSMC ) for the reporting period January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014 which is also publicly available at [http://www.tsmc.com/english/investorRelations/sec\\_filings.htm](http://www.tsmc.com/english/investorRelations/sec_filings.htm) or [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov).

TSMC's conflict minerals disclosure and the description of its due diligence framework, are included in its Conflict Minerals Report and incorporated by reference herein.

**Section 2 Exhibits**

**Item 2.01 Exhibits**

**Exhibit 1.01 TSMC Conflict Minerals Report for the reporting period January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014.**

**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.**

**Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing  
Company Limited**

**/s/ Steven Tso**

**Steven Tso**

**Senior Vice President and Chief  
Information Officer**

**Date: May 22, 2015**

**/s/ Sylvia Fang**

**Sylvia Fang**

**Vice President and General Counsel**

**Date: May 22, 2015**

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

**Exhibit**

**Number**

**Description**

**1.01 TSMC Conflict Minerals Report for the reporting period January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014.**