

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

**FORM SD**  
**Specialized Disclosure Report**

**UNIFIRST CORPORATION**  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Massachusetts

(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation)

001-08504

(Commission File Number)

04-2103460

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

68 Jonspin Road, Wilmington, Massachusetts 01887  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Shane O'Connor  
Chief Financial Officer  
(978) 658-8888

(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:

- Rule 13p-1 under the Securities Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13p-1) for the reporting period from January 1 to December 31, 2017.

## **Section 1 - Conflict Minerals Disclosure**

### **Item 1.01 Conflict Minerals Disclosure**

This disclosure for the calendar year ended December 31, 2017 is presented to comply with Rule 13p-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the “Rule”).

UniFirst Corporation (the “Company”) manufactured uniforms and non-garment items in calendar year 2017 solely for the purpose of providing these goods to its uniform rental and cleaning operations. The Company has determined that conflict minerals (as defined in Item 1.01(d)(3) of Form SD) are necessary to the functionality or production of some of these manufactured products. Specifically, the Company has determined that some of the zippers which are necessary to the functionality of its manufactured uniforms include conflict minerals. All of these zippers were purchased by the Company from a single supplier.

In accordance with the Rule, the Company performed a reasonable country of origin inquiry in good faith to determine whether the conflict minerals in materials supplied to the Company may have come from the Democratic Republic of the Congo (the “DRC”) or any adjoining country (as defined in Item 1.01(d)(1) of Form SD) or were from recycled or scrap sources (as defined in Item 1.01(d)(6) of form SD). This inquiry consisted of obtaining a written assurance from the Company’s sole supplier of zippers that the supplier had performed in good faith its own reasonable country of origin inquiry on a global basis and concluded that it has no reason to believe that any conflict minerals in its materials may have originated from the DRC or an adjoining country or may not be from scrap or recycled sources. As a result, the Company has concluded the same.

#### Disclosure on Company website

In accordance with the Rule, a copy of UniFirst Corporation’s Conflict Minerals Disclosure is also publicly available at [www.unifirst.com](http://www.unifirst.com).

### **Item 1.02 Exhibit**

Not Applicable

## **Section 2 Exhibits**

Not Applicable

**SIGNATURES**

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

**UNIFIRST CORPORATION**

Date: May 31, 2018

By: /s/ Steven S. Sintros

Name: Steven S. Sintros

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Shane O'Connor

Name: Shane O'Connor

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer