

Appendix 6: Summary Table of Interviewed Persons (Anonymized)

Participant	Job Title	Workplace	Duration (Minutes)
P1	Waste Recycling Strategist & EU Commission operational expert group	Waste management Company	56
P2	Director General	Company that promotes the metals and minerals mining industry & EU Institution	48
P3	Expert in Critical Raw Materials (Multiple Strategic Roles)	Companies/Institutions in the Critical Raw Materials Value Chain	59
P4	Political Advisor	EU Institution	59
P5	Environment Policy Officer	NGO for Circularity	28
P6	Senior Advisor (Trade & Industry)	Company that Represents the Wind Industry	57
P7	Global Lead Mining and Metals & EU expert group	NGO that Protects Endangered Species and Their Habitats	58
P8	Research Fellow in Geoeconomics	Independent think tank	57
P9	Expert in the field of exploration	Exploration Companies	56
P10	Director of Investment and Development & Board Member	Investment company	47
P11	Senior Policy Officer	Environmental NGO	56
P12	Deputy Head of Unit	EU Institution	55
P13	Coordinator Responsible Sourcing	Independent body of the European Union for raw materials	54
P14	Acting Head of Department Mineral Resources	Geological Survey	56
P15	International Consultant	Independent Consultant Company for Mining companies	60
P16	Director Europe	Chinese Manufacturing Company	59
P17	Europe Regional Lead	Responsible Mining	30

		Certification Company	
P18	Chief Executive Officer	Lithium Developer Company	27
P19	Senior Lecturer in Ecology & Scientific for an activist group	University in Spain & Climate Activists Movement	34
P20	Technical Commercial Engineer	Recycling Company	57
P21	Senior Policy Advisor	Trade Union representative	60
P22	Postdoctoral Researcher & Policy adviser	Belgium University & NGO for Indigenous People	58
P23	Expert in mineral resources for Africa	African Intergovernmental Organization	54
P24	Principal Banker in Natural Resources	European Bank	33