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## **Advanced Interconnections Corp. Conflict Minerals/Metals Statement**

In response to customer inquiries regarding compliance with Section 1502 of the Dodd-Frank Act, relating to conflict minerals (also referred to in the marketplace as “conflict metals”) originating from the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) and neighboring countries, Advanced Interconnections Corp. has prepared this statement. The scope of this statement is limited to the Conflict minerals currently defined as Tin, Tantalum, Tungsten, and Gold; also referred to as “3TG minerals.”

**Advanced Interconnections Corp. has contacted our direct suppliers of Gold and Tin, and certifies to the best of our knowledge that our supply chain does not contain any minerals or materials originating from or processed (smeltered) within the Democratic Republic of Congo or adjoining countries. Tantalum and Tungsten are not currently used in the manufacture of our products.**

As a privately held company, we are not subject to the SEC disclosure requirement of the Dodd-Frank Act, however to support our customers worldwide and our corporate commitment to environmental compliance, we are committed to ensuring that our metals suppliers are DRC conflict-free.

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