

## **Conflict Minerals Policy**

Howell Instruments, Inc.

Howell Instruments, Inc. fully supports the goals and objectives of Section 1502 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, which seeks to prevent the use of Conflict Minerals that could finance or benefit armed groups in The Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) or adjoining countries. Conflict Minerals consist of Tantalum, Tin, Tungsten and Gold.

Howell Instruments is committed to avoiding the use of Conflict Minerals in all of its products. Howell Instruments does not directly purchase or use Conflict Minerals in its products or processes and is working diligently with its suppliers to ensure components they provide are free of these minerals.