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## **CLOVER FACILITY RECEIVES R2 CERTIFICATION**

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CHICAGO (January 10, 2012) – Clover Technologies Group announced today that it has received R2 certification, the highest industry standard for environmental responsibility and safety.

R2 Certification, also known as Responsible Recycling Certification, provides verification of Clover's environmentally responsible, safe, and transparent management of toner cartridges, cell phones, and other consumer electronics. R2 Certification is facility specific and will be awarded to Clover's Erie, Pennsylvania collections processing operation.

Clover was recommended for this certification after successful completion of a rigorous third party audit of over 50 areas of operational and environmental performance.

"The implementation of R2 at our Erie, PA processing center has been a significant step in Clover's continuous improvement of our environmental impact and should serve as an example to our industry," said Brian Regan, Executive Vice President of Clover Environmental Solutions. "It provides assurance to our customers and potential customers that we will responsibly manage their materials all the way to their final disposition."

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### **About Clover Technologies Group**

Clover Technologies Group is the global leader in providing businesses with total environmental solutions, including the recycling and remanufacturing of imaging supplies. Founded in 1996 and with an annual revenue of over \$650 million, Clover is one of the fastest growing, privately held companies in the United States. Clover is also the world's largest collector and recycler of cell phones, inkjet and laser cartridges. The complete line of Clover's quality toner and ink is available through leading office products distributors and resellers and marketed under a variety of private label brands. To learn more, visit us online at [www.clovertech.com](http://www.clovertech.com).

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