

## NEWS RELEASE

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### CHARLES PERROUD SAS – RE-CERTIFIED BY THE RJC

LONDON - RJC announced today that Charles Perroud SAS, the French jewellery manufacturer, has achieved Re-Certification by meeting the highest ethical, social and environmental standards established by the RJC.

“RJC congratulates Charles Perroud SAS on achieving Re-Certification. After a Member has become RJC Certified for the first time, independent verification is required at the end of each certification period to ensure continued conformance and to maintain Certified Member status. The successful verification assessment was conducted by Marguerite Whitwham from SGS, one of the independent third-party auditing firms accredited by the RJC,” says Catherine Sproule, RJC’s Chief Executive Officer - Interim.

“I have recently joined the Charles Perroud Company, and I am delighted to see that the values which are dear to me, and especially the respect for human rights, are also held by all the employees of the company. I am pleased to see that these values are also recognized by the renewal of our RJC Certification and de facto by the whole profession,” says Philippe Barbat, Managing Director, Charles Perroud SAS.

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#### About RJC

The Responsible Jewellery Council is an international not-for-profit standards and certification organisation. It has more than 470 Member companies that span the jewellery supply chain from mine to retail. RJC Members commit to and are independently audited against the RJC Code of Practices – an international standard on responsible business practices for diamonds, gold and platinum group metals. The Code of Practices addresses human rights, labour rights, environmental impact, mining practices, product disclosure and many more important topics in the jewellery supply chain. RJC also works with multi-stakeholder initiatives on responsible sourcing and supply chain due diligence. The RJC’s Chain-of-Custody Certification for precious metals supports these initiatives and can be used as a tool to deliver broader Member and stakeholder benefit.

The RJC is a [Full Member of the ISEAL Alliance](#) – the global association for sustainability standards. For more information on RJC Members, Certification, and Standards please visit [www.responsiblejewellery.com](http://www.responsiblejewellery.com)

#### About Charles Perroud SAS

Founded in 1880, and a subsidiary of the Dalloz Joaillerie Group since 1972, the Charles Perroud Company, is ideally situated between Switzerland and Paris. The Company supports the greatest jewellers in their growth by providing its industrial know-how and production capacity.

Charles Perroud, rich of its experience, allies tradition and new technologies to produce jewels of excellence, and encourages every day the respect for responsible practices and a strict ethical code of conduct.

More than 120 jewellers, put every day all their talent and values at the service of their passion and our customers, scrupulously respecting the DNA of each Maisons for which we work.

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