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RJC CERTIFIES J.K. STAR

LONDON - RJC announced today that J.K. Star has achieved Certification against the 2013 Code of Practices (COP) at its trading and assortment facilities in Mumbai and Surat, India.

"It is a pleasure to announce J.K. Star has been certified against the 2013 COP. The provisions under the 2013 COP address important issues for our Members and their supply chain. We are delighted to see Members achieving Certification against the standard and warmly congratulate J.K. Star," says Andrew Bone, RJC's Executive Director.

The successful verification assessment was led by Manish C. Doshi from SGS United Kingdom Limited, one of the independent third-party auditing firms accredited by the RJC.

"RJC Certification ensures consumer confidence and recognises the ethical practice of the trade. We personally feel proud to be associated with the elite group of RJC certified members," says Shailesh Lukhi Partner at J.K Star.

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About RJC

The Responsible Jewellery Council is an international not-for-profit standards and certification organisation. It has more than 800 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 <u>Full Member of the ISEAL Alliance</u> – the global association for sustainability standards. For more information on RJC Members, Certification, and Standards please visit <u>www.responsiblejewellery.com</u>

About I K Star

Established in 1993 as Partnership firm, we started trading in Rough and Polished diamonds. JK Star started its growth journey since inception. JK Star is supplying polished diamonds to top Jewellery retail chain of Europe and United States of America.

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We strongly believe in setting high quality standards and transparency in our business practices, and such standard will certainly add values and Enhance consumer confidence in entire business Models that leads us to an extremely trusted source of polished diamonds to our customers. Through its corporate social activity, JK Star has ensures environment protection and uplift the living standard of the local community. JK Star owes success to the encouraging trust of their customers, the loyal support of their associates in its growth. The management of JK Star always believes and priorities ethical trade practices and "People First" approach. Through RJC, company has strengthened its business practices at next level. JK Star believes in upholding the guiding principles of trust, integrity and transparency in all aspects of interactions and dealings.

RJC Certification Information – J.K. Star

RJC Certified Members