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RJC RE-CERTIFIES JEWELX NEW YORK LTD

LONDON - RJC announced today that Jewelex New York Ltd has achieved Certification against the 2013 Code of Practices (COP) at its Wholesaler facility in New York, USA.

“It is a pleasure to announce that Jewelex New York Ltd has been certified against the 2013 COP. The new 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 Jewelex New York Ltd,” says Andrew Bone, RJC’s Executive Director.

The successful verification assessment was led by Gibson Lemos from Bureau Veritas Italia one of the independent third-party auditing firms accredited by the RJC.

“We are extremely pleased to have received the recertification with RJC. As the jewelry trade continues to evolve, it is enlightening to see trade members come together to form common goals for the betterment of society. Jewelex's identity is deeply connected with ethical business practices and social responsibility, so we are happy to be associated with like-minded organizations. We hope that RJC continues to build its network helps bring best practices throughout the supply chain,” says Sahil Kothari, Executive Vice President of Sales at Jewelex New York Ltd.

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About RJC

The Responsible Jewellery Council is an international not-for-profit standards and certification organisation. It has more than 700 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

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About Jewelex New York Ltd

Started in 1966, Jewelex celebrates its 50th year of business this year. Grown with fundamental family values, Jewelex has evolved into a professional organization with a core belief that its people are the highest valued assets. Like the multiple facets of a diamond, Jewelex goes beyond the value chain by providing superior products, customer care and services that are acknowledged within the global industry. It is amongst the world's leading vertically integrated diamond and jewelry companies. The four pillars of the company are Excellence, Innovation, Care and Integrity. For more information about Jewelex New York Ltd please visit <http://www.jewelexgroup.com/>

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