



## NEWS RELEASE

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### ITALIAN JEWELLERY MANUFACTURER, LAC ACHIEVES DUAL RJC CERTIFICATION

LONDON - RJC announced today that LAC SPA has achieved Certification against the 2013 Code of Practices (COP) and Certification against the Chain-of-Custody (CoC) at its manufacturing facility in Vicenza, Italy.

"It is a pleasure to announce LAC SPA has been certified against the 2013 COP and CoC. The new provisions under the 2013 COP address important issues for our Members and their supply chain. In addition, CoC Certification provides a mechanism for Members to demonstrate how they are implementing the OECD Due Diligence Guidance for Responsible Supply Chains. We are delighted to see Members achieving Certification against both the RJC standards and warmly congratulate LAC SPA," says Andrew Bone, RJC's Executive Director.

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

"LAC SPA is proud to have achieved dual RJC Certification. This accomplishment confirms our company's commitment to responsible and ethical business practices. Our core value is to drive our business individually and collectively in a sustainable and responsible way to deliver quality client services," says Mr. Giuseppe Disegna founder and CEO of LAC SPA.

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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](http://www.responsiblejewellery.com)

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**About LAC SPA**

LAC SPA was founded by Mr. Giuseppe Disegna in 1974 in Romano d'Ezzelino within the Vicenza jewellery district. LAC specialises in the production of gold and silver chains and components for the jewellery industry. Variety of products, quality and service provided by the company, established LAC as one of the most important chain manufacturers in Italy and a relevant exporter around the world. For more info about LAC Spa contact: [lac@lacspa.it](mailto:lac@lacspa.it) or +39.0424.510348.

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