

NEWS RELEASE

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RJC CERTIFIES PERRIER PRESTIGE SAS

LONDON - RJC announced today that Perrier Prestige SAS has achieved Certification against the 2013 Code of Practices (COP) at its trading offices in Paris and London.

"It is a pleasure to announce Perrier Prestige SAS 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 Perrier Prestige SAS," says Andrew Bone, RJC's Executive Director.

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

"Perrier Prestige SAS is delighted and proud to have obtained RJC Certification and to belong to this community of confidence. As a business, we are advocates of fair trading which is why we have always strictly adhered to the Kimberly process and do our utmost to ensure the traceability of our diamonds, both as a matter of principle and in order to guarantee our customers perfect provenance. We take pride in the quality of our product and in the service we provide our customers," says Arnon Meizels, President of Perrier Prestige 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 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>

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About Perrier Prestige SAS

Established nearly half a century ago, Perrier Prestige SAS belongs today to the elite club of the great diamond houses of Paris. It owes its reputation to its expertise and professionalism. Perrier Prestige focuses on the best white diamonds from 1/100 to 3 carats and more as well as color diamonds and FANCY SHAPE DIAMONDS: Pear shape, marquise, cushion, emerald cut, etc.

Arnon Meizels, President of Perrier Prestige SAS, is a third generation diamond merchant. He travels the world to search for the best stones, in terms of size and quality. Our experiences and highly qualified team of sorters is on hand to assist our customers and help them assort the best gems and stones for the jewels designed by our prestigious clientele.

RJC Certification Information – Perrier Prestige SAS

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