

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## RESPONSIBLE JEWELLERY COUNCIL CERTIFIES AURIGANE CREATIONS

LONDON - The Responsible Jewellery Council (RJC) announced today that Aurigane Creations, the Saint-Dié - French jewellery manufacturer, has achieved certification by meeting the highest ethical, social and environmental standards established by the RJC's Member Certification system.

"RJC warmly congratulates Aurigane Creations on its certification. The successful verification assessment was conducted by Marguerite Whitwham from SGS, one of the independent third-party auditing firms accredited to the RJC's Member Certification system," says Michael Rae, RJC's Chief Executive Officer.

"Your Best Partner" - Our motto, clearly expresses our commitment to our customers, suppliers and employees satisfaction. Ethics, deontology and environment protection are the pillars on which Aurigane Creations was founded in 1997. Being certified by the Responsible Jewelry Council was therefore a natural move for our company. The RJC certification is a guarantee and an incentive to fulfill our commitment for our values and goals," says Georges BAU, Président of Aurigane Créations SAS.

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## About RIC

The Responsible Jewellery Council is an international not-for-profit organisation bringing together more than 440 member companies. RJC and its Members are committed to promoting responsible ethical, human rights, social and environmental practices in a transparent and accountable manner throughout the jewellery industry from mine to retail. This commitment aims to reinforce consumer and stakeholder confidence in diamond, gold and platinum metals jewellery products. The RJC has developed the RJC Member Certification system which applies to all Members' businesses that contribute to the diamond, gold and platinum metals jewellery supply chain. All Certified Members of the RJC are audited by accredited, third party auditors to verify their conformance with the RJC's Code of Practices. A voluntary Chain-of-Custody Standard has also been developed for gold and platinum group metals.

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 Aurigane Creations**

Since its inception in 1997, Aurigane Creations has specialized in the development and manufacturing of high quality jewels using the most recent technologies such as Internet, Computer Assisted Design, Rapid Manufacturing, High Definition Micro-casting and Laser Welding and Marking.

Today 35 highly skilled collaborators are working with sophisticated equipment in our modern facilities according to ISO 9001 quality management systems to provide the best products and best services "Made in France". For more information please visit <a href="https://www.aurigane.fr">www.aurigane.fr</a>

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