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C. HAFNER GMBH + CO. KG ACHIEVES RJC DUAL CERTIFICATION

LONDON - RJC announced today that C.HAFNER GmbH + Co. KG has achieved dual Certification against the 2013 Code of Practices (COP) and the 2013 Chain-of-Custody (CoC) at its headquarters and production & refining facilities in Wimsheim and Pforzheim, Germany.

“It is a pleasure to announce C.HAFNER GmbH + Co. KG 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 C.HAFNER GmbH + Co. KG,” says Andrew Bone, RJC’s Executive Director.

The successful verification assessment was led by Jürgen Engelbach from KPMG Germany, one of the independent third-party auditing firms accredited by the RJC.

“As a family-run business for more than 165 years C.HAFNER, always thinks about the future. A sustainable business model includes making the world a better place. That includes respecting human rights and preserving nature as the basis of our survival. C.HAFNER endeavors to achieve this goal. RJC’s framework provides an outstanding methodology to live up to such a sustainable business model. We are very proud to have achieved both of RJC’s Certifications according to the Code of Practices and the Chain-of-Custody standards,” says Dr. Philipp Reisert, Executive Partner, C.HAFNER GmbH + Co. KG

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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 C.HAFNER GmbH + Co. KG

C.HAFNER GmbH stands for precious metals and technology. Through its recycling facilities C.HAFNER procures its own raw materials – gold, silver, palladium and platinum. C.HAFNER obtains its precious metal input only from secondary sources – the refining of primary material from mines is ruled out.

The precious metal input is used to produce semi-finished products and components for luxury goods, medical products and technical applications. C.HAFNER believes in technical innovations both of products and processes.

For more information, please visit: www.c-hafner.de

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