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RJC CERTIFIES COSTANZO E RIZZETTO S.R.L

LONDON - RJC announced today that Costanzo e Rizzetto S.R.L has achieved Certification against the 2013 Code of Practices (COP) at its manufacturing facility in Valenza, Italy.

"It is a pleasure to announce Costanzo e Rizzetto S.R.L 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 Costanzo e Rizzetto S.R.L," says Andrew Bone, RJC's Executive Director.

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

"We are very pleased to have obtained RJC certification. As a company, we pay a great deal of attention to human rights, labour rights and the environment to ensure we conduct our business in a principled and ethical manner. Our strength comes from our staff, composed of motivated and dynamic experts. We are proud of our ethical business practices," says Davide Costanzo, CEO of Costanzo e Rizzetto S.R.L.

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About RJC

The Responsible Jewellery Council is an international not-for-profit standards and certification organisation. It has more than 900 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>

About Costanzo e Rizzetto S.R.L

Costanzo & Rizzetto company has forty qualified employees, and can rely on modern machines and technologies of the last generation to improve all production processes: project and design, prototyping, casting, machining, laser welding and in

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RJC Certification Information – Costanzo e Rizzetto S.R.L

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