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RJC CERTIFIES J.K. DIAMONDS SUPPLIERS

LONDON - RJC announced today that J.K. Diamonds Suppliers (trading as Jorge Juan Joyeros), the Spanish jewellery retailer, has achieved Certification by meeting the highest ethical, social and environmental standards established by the RJC.

"RJC warmly congratulates J.K. Diamonds Suppliers on its Certification," says Ashish Deo, RJC's Chief Executive Officer.

The successful verification assessment was conducted by UL Responsible Sourcing, one of the independent third-party auditing firms accredited by the RJC.

"At Jorge Juan Joyeros - J.K. Diamonds Suppliers - we consider a corporate milestone achieving the RJC Certification. This accomplishment allows us to move forward in what has always been one of our corporate priorities: sustainable and responsible growth based on best practices in all business areas that concern us. Being a Certified Member of the RJC represents an added value for our customers, reinforced by the increasingly essential academic training in gemmology and jewellery. As a Spanish company, we set an example for other companies in the jewellery industry in our country", said Karina Kawai, Director, J.K. Diamonds Suppliers.

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About RJC

The Responsible Jewellery Council is an international not-for-profit standards and certification organisation. It has more than 500 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 J.K. Diamonds Suppliers

J. K. Diamonds was founded in 2001, being the continuation of a family business dedicated to the marketing of gems from the 70's. Today, under the brand Jorge Juan Joyeros, the company is fully committed in the field of Fine Jewellery with diamonds for engagement and anniversary jewellery. For more information on J. K. Diamonds Suppliers ,S.L. you can visit www.diamantesdecompromiso.com.

RJC Certification Information – J.K. Diamonds Suppliers

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