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RESPONSIBLE JEWELLERY COUNCIL CERTIFIES CLASSIC DIAM BVBA

LONDON - The Responsible Jewellery Council (RJC) announced today that Classic Diam BVBA, the Antwerp - based diamond trader, has achieved certification by meeting the highest ethical, social and environmental standards established by the RJC's Member Certification system.

"RJC warmly congratulates Classic Diam BVBA on its certification. The successful verification assessment was conducted by Stefaan Beirens from FIGURAD Bedrijfsrevisoren, one of the independent third-party auditing firms accredited to the RJC's Member Certification system," says Michael Rae, RJC's Chief Executive Officer.

"Ever since December 20th 2001, when the company came into existence, we have been driven by our strong values. Our objective is to conduct business with a fair and ethical approach meeting all social and moral obligations. Today the RJC certification confirms that our convictions are in line with those of the RJC and acknowledges one of our main values: the aspiration to be a good corporate citizen - socially aware, responsible and open to the world," says Gorabh Jain, Director of Classic Diam BVBA.

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About RJC

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 [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

About Classic Diam BVBA

The Company was founded in 2001 and grew into well-respected medium-sized diamond trading organization. Today the company is managed by Gorabh Jain and has secured a steady supply of rough and polished diamonds which are traded in the Antwerp office. Working within the highly regulated Antwerp Diamond Centre, our Company complies with all regulations imposed on diamonds trade and keep abreast of diamond environment through its affiliation to a number of diamond related organization.

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