



## NEWS RELEASE

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### RJC CERTIFIES ARTECAD SA

LONDON - RJC announced today that ArteCad SA, the Swiss Dial Manufacturer, has achieved Certification by meeting the highest ethical, social and environmental standards established by the RJC.

“RJC warmly congratulates ArteCad SA on its Certification,” says Ashish Deo, RJC’s Chief Executive Officer.

The successful verification assessment was conducted by Jean-Baptiste Lescop from Ernst & Young et Associes (France), one of the independent third-party auditing firms accredited by the RJC.

“We are very proud to become an RJC Certified Member. This important step reinforces our commitment to combine business success with employee welfare, protection of the environment and promotion of high ethical standards. Our clients, prestigious watch and jewelry brands, share these values and, in their eyes, this certification represents real added value,” said Christian Francesconi, Co-Director, ArteCad SA.

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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 [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](http://www.responsiblejewellery.com)

#### About ArteCad SA

Founded in 1885, ArteCad SA is one of the leading manufacturers of Swiss watch dials. It is based in Tramelan, Switzerland, and is known for its integrated expertise across all dial manufacturing processes, for its rapid prototyping as well as its unique innovation capability. For further information please visit [www.artecad.ch](http://www.artecad.ch)

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