



## NEWS RELEASE

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### RJC CERTIFIES CAPSA, CAMILLE PIQUEREZ SA

LONDON - RJC announced today that CAPSA, Camille Piquerez SA has achieved Certification against the new 2013 Code of Practices (COP) at its watch manufacturing in La Neuveville, Switzerland. The new 2013 COP was released in November 2013.

“It is a pleasure to announce CAPSA, Camille Piquerez SA 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 thrilled to see Members achieving these early Certifications against the new standard and warmly congratulate CAPSA, Camille Piquerez SA.” says Ashish Deo, RJC’s Chief Executive Officer.

The successful verification assessment was led by Michel Mooser from SGS, one of the independent third-party auditing firms accredited by the RJC.

“CAPSA, Camille Piquerez SA has always been very attached to ethical management and our policy is closely aligned to the RJC values. This audit was an opportunity to go through all the various requirements attached to this certification. CAPSA offers its workforce well refurbished factories, including a factory which holds a wide park of machines that have been steadily improved and renewed for the production of high level watch components.” says Cornelia Laubscher, Assistant Director and RJC Manager, CAPSA, Camille Piquerez 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)

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## **About CAPSA, Camille Piquerez SA**

Presently located in La Neuveville (Switzerland) CAPSA, Camille Piquerez SA was founded in 1951 and has got presently 200 workers and a park of 400 machines. Passion and quality of its SWISS MADE products makes a company in constant evolution, for many years, successfully applies its know-how at the service of watch parts like straps, cases or movements.

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