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ASAHI PRETEC CORP.

IS A CHAIN OF CUSTODY CERTIFIED ENTITY OF THE
RESPONSIBLE JEWELLERY COUNCIL

NUMBER: C0000 3477
PERIOD: 14 July 2021 - 14 July 2024
STANDARD: Chain of Custody 2017
MATERIALS: Silver,Gold,Platinum,Palladium
ELIGIBLE
DECLARATIONS: Recycled Gold,Recycled Platinum,Recycled Silver,Recycled Palladium

DAVID BOUFFARD
CHAIRMAN

JOHN HALL
INTERIM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Certificate revision date: 5 May 2020 1 of 3



CERTIFICATION OVERVIEW

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| COC CERTIFIED ENTITY | Asahi Pretec Corp. |
| RJC MEMBER WHICH CONTROLS ENTITY | Asahi Pretec Corp. |
| AUDIT DATE | 19 May 2022 |
| AUDIT TYPE | Surveillance |
| APPLICABLE STANDARD | Chain of Custody 2017 |
| ACCREDITED AUDIT FIRM | SGS United Kingdom Limited |
| CERTIFICATION SCOPE | Tokyo HQ, Tokyo, Japan - Trading and Hedging; Nagano Plant, Nagano, Japan - Precision cleaning; Ehime Plant, Ehime, Japan - Refining of precious metals; Amagasaki Plant, Amagasaki, Japan - Refining of precious metals; Fukuoka Plant, Fukuoka, Japan - Removal of precious metals from equipment and jigs; Bando Plant, Bando, Japan - Refining and manufacturing of gold and platinum group metals products. |
| APPLICABLE PROVISIONS | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Due diligence and KYC for responsible sourcing: 1-22. Chain-of-custody management: 3-5, except 53. Systems to confirm eligibility of materials: 6-8, except 6, 84. Issuing of chain-of-custody documentation: 9-11, except 11.1-3 |

AUDITOR STATEMENT OF CONFORMANCE

Based on the scope and findings of the certification audit, the entity has demonstrated a conformance level consistent with a:



3 year certification (with mandatory surveillance audit in 12-24 months from the date of certification)

ABOUT THIS CERTIFICATION

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