OFFICE OF FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL

DETERMINATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 1(a)(i)(B) OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 14068

Prohibitions Related to Imports of Certain Categories of Diamonds

Pursuant to sections 1(a)(i)(B), 1(b), and 5 of Executive Order (E.O.) 14068 of March 11, 2022 (“Prohibiting Certain Imports, Exports, and New Investment With Respect to Continued Russian Federation Aggression”), as amended by E.O. 14114 of December 22, 2023 (“Taking Additional Steps With Respect to the Russian Federation’s Harmful Activities”), and 31 CFR § 587.802, and in consultation with the Department of State, the Department of Commerce, and the Department of Homeland Security, I hereby determine that the prohibitions in section 1(a)(i)(B) of E.O. 14068 shall apply to the following categories of diamonds that were mined, extracted, produced, or manufactured wholly or in part in the Russian Federation, notwithstanding whether such diamonds have been substantially transformed into other products outside of the Russian Federation:

(1) effective March 1, 2024, non-industrial diamonds with a weight of 1.0 carat or greater;

and

(2) effective September 1, 2024, non-industrial diamonds with a weight of 0.5 carats or greater.

As a result, the importation and entry into the United States, including importation for admission into a foreign trade zone located in the United States, of such non-industrial diamonds is prohibited, except to the extent provided by law, or unless licensed or otherwise authorized by the Office of Foreign Assets Control.

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