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Object: RoHS exemption demand

To whom it may concern,

I, the undersigned, support the exemption request made by the concerned companies regarding electric appliances made with lead bound in crystal glass in the framework of the ROHS Directive.

As a design expert, I declare that crystal luminaires are fine and prestigious items, which fit with contemporary design trends. They allow unique design achievements, especially because of the light refraction properties which are unmatched by standard glass.

Moreover, crystal luminaires never die: when a luminaire needs repair, the customers bring it back to the shop or crystal manufacturer for reparation and give it a second life.

Finally, crystal luminaires are a key leverage for the notoriety of the European know-how and excellence.

I sincerely hope that my voice will be heard.

Yours faithfully,

José Lévy

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of several loops and a long horizontal stroke at the bottom, representing the name José Lévy.