

Hampton Road's "Premier"
Certified Gemological Laboratory &
Professional Gem & Jewelry Appraisal Services

Hampton Road's 1st & ONLY AGA-Certified Gemological Laboratory AGA/CGL#25 Expires 05-19-2015

# **Jewelry Appraisal:**

Requested by: John & Jane Doe Sr.

**Intended Use:** Insurance Coverage

**Intended Users:** 

Type of Value: Replacement Value New and/or Comparable

Effective Date of Valuation: Thursday, August 30, 2012

Report Date:

Inspection Date: Inspection Location:

Prepared by:

La Shawn Bauer, G, G, GG, ASG/AGA, CGL/AGA, RMV, CM/NAJA



Cover Sheet

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Date of Report: August 30, 2012

John & Jane Doe Sr.

Any Town, Nevada 20202

Dear John & Jane,

123 Any Street



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Scope of Work:
Effective Date of the Valuation:
Type of Value:
Intended Use/Users:
Method of Replacement:
Physical Examination Location:
Date of Examination:
Those present during the examination process:
The Market & Market Levels:
Value Conclusion:

APPRAOCHES TO VALUE	 		
MARKET SELECTION:			
DEFINITION OF VALUE:			
DOCUMENT AND FILES			

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FACTUAL ASSUMPT	TIONS:		
TERMS AND CONDI	TIONS:		

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SPECIFIC LIMITING CONDITIONS:	
CRITICAL LIMITING CONDITIONS:	
LIABILITIES:	
DISCLOSURE OF TOLERANCES:	
TREATMENT AND ENHANCEMENTS	

# CERTIFICATE OF THE APPRAISER



La Shawn Bauer, G, G, GG, ASG/AGA, CGL/AGA, RMV, CM/NAJA













# Gemological Appraiser's Laboratory Equipment List Mr. La Shawn Bauer, GG - AGA-Certified Gemological Laboratory #25 Expires 1-01-2015 Part One

Microscope:

Maker: GIA/GEM binocular microscope

with Bausch & Lomb Optical Head

Mark V Gemolite 10x to 45x Dial Zoom Model Number:

Manufacturing Year: 1960's

Magnification Range: 10x to 45x Dial Zoom

15x W.F. Bausch & Lomb Ocular Lens:

Additional Ocular Lens: Darkfield Illumination: YES Overhead Light Source: YES

LED by Intellighting 5800 Kelvin Daylight Equivalent Doubling Lens: YES

20x to 90x Magnification with Doubler Attached

Polarizing Filter Set: YES Diffusion Plate: YES Immersion Cell: YES Photomicrography Capability: YES

Custom Built Digital Resolution: 3.2 Megapixels

**Additional Comments:** 

Highly modified with new 12v AC 40 watt halogen light source for darkfield illumination

Independent Transformer with On/Off Switch and Sliding Dimmer

Switch added LED Overhead Light Source by Intellighting, 5800-Kelvin Natural

Daylight Equivalent

**Polariscope:** 

GIA/GEM Polariscope

with Condensing Lens and Immersion Cell Photomicrography Capabilities

**Refractometer:** 

GIA/GEM Duplex II Refractometer

with additional polarizing filter attachment

Photomicrography Capabilities

**Utility Light:** 

GIA/GEM Utility Lamp

with sliding bar, Sodium Light Filter, Diffused White Light Filter,

Pin Point Light Source

Dichroscope:

RAYNER, Gem Calcite Dichroscope

Photomicrography Capabilities

**Spectroscopes:** 

GEM LABS, Single Prism Type Spectroscope

Adjustable slit aperture with slide focus,

hand-held unit

Photomicrography Capabilities

OPL Diffraction-Grating Type Spectroscope

Hand-held unit (1/2 inch x 2 inch)

Photomicrography Capabilities

OPL Diffraction-Grating Type Spectroscope

Hand-held unit (1 inch x 4 inch) with stand

Photomicrography Capabilities

**Ultra Violet Light Testing Equipment:** 

SPECTROLINE Ultra Violet (U.V.) Light Source

Model: ENF-24

Long Wave (L.W.) 365nm / Short Wave (S.W.) 254nm

SPECTROLINE Ultra Violet (U.V.) Viewing Cabinet CM-10 Fluorescence Analysis Cabinet

Fluorescent Test Stones to guarantee that both Long Wave and

Short Wave lights are functioning properly

Diamond Proportion "Cut Grading" Analyzing **Tools, Equipment and Systems:** 

GIA/GEM Diamond Proportion Analyzer

Fits GIA/GEM Mark V Gemolite Microscope

Photomicrography Capabilities

AGS ASET (Angular Spectrum Evaluation Tool)

Hand-Held Scope,

Photomicrography Capabilities

Ideal Scope 10x Model

Hand-Held Scope,

Photomicrography Capabilities

Ideal Scope 6x Model

Hand-Held Scope.

Photomicrography Capabilities

Hearts & Arrows Hand-Held Scope

Photomicrography Capabilities

Zeiss Hand-Held Diamond Proportion Analyzing Loupe 10x Magnification

Diamond "Color Grading" Equipment and **Systems:** 

GIA/GEM Diamond Lite viewing cabinet and lights

Controlled lighting equivalent to North Daylight Bulbs changed every two (2) years

Last Changed 01-01-2008

**Diamond Color Master Set:** 

AGS Five (5) Stone Master Set, 1/3ct. to 3/8ct. Size range, **Straight Grades** 

LAB & I.D. Number, GIA Color Grade, AGS Color Grade, and Weight, also laser inscribed by AGSL

	"F"	0.90	0.313ct
	"G"	1.50	0.366ct
	"H"	2.10	0.354ct
	"I"	2.60	0.348ct
	"J"	3.10	0.334ct
		"G" "H" "I"	"G" 1.50 "H" 2.10 "I" 2.60

# Gemological Appraiser's Laboratory Equipment List

## Mr. La Shawn Bauer, GG - AGA-Certified Gemological Laboratory #25 Expires 1-01-2015 Part Two

#### Colored Stone, "Master Color Grading" System:

GIA Gem-E-Wizard / Gem-E-Square Digital Colored Stone "Master Color Grading" Computer Software Program. 31 Primary Numeric Hue, Tone and Saturation Levels = Perceived Color notation and grade.

#### **Specific Gravity Testing Equipment:**

Specific Gravity Liquid Set GIA/GEM (2.57, 2.62, 2.67, 2.85, 3.05, 3.32)

KASSOY, Double Pan Diamond Balance Scale, Glass Enclosed Cabinet with Specific Gravity Attachments, ±0.01 SG Accuracy

#### **Weights and Measurements Instruments:**

Scales: Legal-For-Trade

METTLER TOLADO JB203 Digital Diamond Carat Scale Glass Enclosed, Accuracy ±0.001ct.

KASSOY, Double Pan Diamond Balance Scale Glass Enclosed Cabinet with Specific Gravity Attachments ±0.01ct. Accuracy

OHAUS C305-P, Electronic Gram/Penny Weight Scale Capacity 300 grams, ±0.1gr. Accuracy

#### **Precious Metals Testing Equipment:**

RS MIZAR M24, Electronic Touchstone Gold Tester, capable of testing 9kt., 10kt., 12kt., 14kt., 16kt., 18kt., 20kt., 22kt., 24kt., both white and yellow gold

Standard Acid Test Kit with touchstone and test needles of 8kt., 10kt., 12kt., 14kt., 18kt., 22kt., Can also test the purity of silver, Pure, .925, .800, .500 Can test the difference between Platinum and Palladium

#### Thermal and Electric Conductivity Probes:

PRESIDIUM DiamondMate-A Thermal Conductivity Probe hand-held unit

#### **Color Filters:**

Hanneman:

BRITISH G.A. Chelsea Color Filter, hand-held unit Hanneman-Hodgkinson: Stained Lilac Jadeite Filter Hanneman-Hodgkinson: Synthetic Emerald Filter

Synthetic Emerald "Support" Filter Hanneman-Hodgkinson:

Hanneman: Ruby Filter Hanneman: Aqua-Filter Hanneman: Tanzanite Filter

Hanneman: Alexandrite & Color Shift Filter Yellow Synthetic Sapphire Filter Hanneman: Hanneman: Cape Line Color Filter for Spectroscopy Hanneman: Standard Reference Color Filter Hanneman: Chromium Fluorescence Filter

Red Filter for Crossed Filter Test PMCF Filter Hanneman:

#### **Linear Measuring Devices:**

GIA/GEM Table Gauges

Meleemeeter Micro Gauge System of Transparences

LEVERIDGE Gauge Set, Dial Gauge

with High Setting Attachment and reference book

Electronic Digital Calipers 0 to 21mm

battery operated, ±0.01mm Accuracy,

Electronic Digital Calipers 0 to 100mm

battery operated, ±0.01mm Accuracy

Electronic Digital Calipers 0 to 150mm

battery operated, ±0.01mm Accuracy

Metal Slide Calipers 0 to 100mm ±0.1mm Accuracy

Paper Tape Measure

Retractable Steel Tape Measure

Wooden 18-Inch Ruler

Steel 150mm or 6-Inch Ruler

#### **Fiber Optic Light System:**

Kruss Fiber Optic Light Source 7.5v DC 20w Halogen

Kruss Dual Flex Arm Fiber Light Pipes

Kruss Flexible Pin-Point Light Pipe

Kruss Condensing Lens attachment

Kruss Diffusing Lens attachment

#### **Additional Light Sources:**

Incandescent Pen Light, battery operated

Incandescent Mini Mag Light with Fiber Optic Light Wand with

Third Hand attachment, battery operated

LED Pen Light Five (5) LED's 5800-Kelvin Daylight Equivalent, battery operated

LED Pen Light Three (3) LED's 365nm Long Wave Ultra Violet Equivalent, battery operated

#### Thermal Hot Point Probe:

#### Photographic and Digital Imaging Equipment and Software:

#### Gemological Reference Library:

#### Appraisal Science and Methodology Library:

#### Appraisal Reference Library:

#### **Secondary Microscope:**

GIA/GEM binocular microscope Maker:

with Leica Optical Head

Mark VII Gemolite 10x to 60x Dial Zoom Model Number:

Manufacturing Year: 1990's

Magnification Range: 10x to 60x Dial Zoom Ocular Lens: 15x W.F. Additional Ocular Lens: NO Darkfield Illumination: YES

Overhead Light Source: YES Fluorescent

Doubling Lens: NO Polarizing Filter Set: YES Diffusion Plate: YES YES Immersion Cell: Photomicrography Capability:

# Biographical Background and Professional Qualifications (Abbreviated Listing)

Mr. La Shawn Bauer, G, G, GG, ASG/AGA, CGL/AGA, RMV, CM/NAJA **Senior Bench Jeweler Graduate Gemologist Professional Appraiser of Gems & Jewelry Jewelry Industry Experience:** Gemological and Appraisal Experience: Gemology: **Certificates & Diplomas** Valuation Science and Methodology: Certificates & Diplomas Certified Gemological Laboratory: Certification

123 Any Street

Any Town, Nevada 20202

Item
Lady's Diamond Solitaire Engagement
Lady's Diamond Solitaire Engagement Ring
14K Yellow Gold Shank with Platinum Head







**Date:** 8/30/2012





**Total Diamond Weight:** 0.40 cts. **Inspection Date** 

Weights & Measurements:

Weight: 2.9 gms

Ring Size: 6 1/2 Closed Back

Top of Mounting Measurements: 6.1mm wide x 6.4mm thick Shank, Top of shoulders: 2.5mm wide x 2.6mm thick Shank, Bottom of Ring Shank: 2.0mm wide x 1.3mm thick

**Photographic Documentation:** 

Top View:YesProfile View:YesSide View:YesBack View:YesStamps & Markings:YesLaser Inscription:Yes

**Mounting Attributes:** 

Items Age and/or Period: Modern Condition: As New

Metal: 14K Yellow Gold (585) shank with Platinum Head

Metal Tested: Yes - Visual Identification & Laser

Manufacturing: Cast and Assembled

Quality of Workmanship: Good 5 to 6
Quality of Major Stone Setting: Good 5 to 6
Shank Outline: Round - Standard

Shank Profile: Semi - Knife Edge to Half Round

Finish: Polished

Setting Major Stone: 6-Prong Setting (Die-Struck) (Platinum)

Noticeable Repairs and/or Damage: None Trademark: None

Inside Ring Engraving: Hand Engraved in script Engraving: "2-14-05 My Snookums"

Comments: 14K Yellow Gold Shank & Platinum Head

#### **Diamond Attributes**

**Inspection Date:** 

Nature of Origin: Natural

**Treatment:** No Apparent Treatments **Diamond Type:** Undetermined / Not Tested

Country of Origin: Undetermined -

**Shape and Cut:** Round brilliant

Branded Cut & Make: No

**Measurements:** 

Measurements: 4.65 x 4.61 x 2.92 mm

(actual) stated by GIA

Weight Adjustment Factor % 3% - Slightly thick

Weight: 0.40 Cts. Actual - Loose by GIA

**Grades & Proportions:** 

Weight: 0.40 Cts. Actual - Loose by GIA

Cut Grade: Very Good (7 to 8)

Fluorescence – Long Wave: Medium / Moderate Powder Blue by GIA

Fluorescence – Short Wave: None / Negligible

U.V. Grading Environment: Fully Enclosed Lighting Environment

Color Grade: E - Colorless by GIA

Color Graded by: Cert. AGS 7-Stone Color Master Set, Straight Grade

Color Grading Environment: GIA/GEM Diamond Lite Cabinet WITH U.V. Blocking Filter

Clarity Grade: SI-1 by GIA

**Other Attributes:** 

Proportion Grade: Good (5 to 6)

Symmetry Grade: Very Good (7 to 8) by GIA Laser Inscription: Yes "GIA 13492265 & S 48583"

Girdle Surface: Frosted

Girdle Thickness – Average: Slightly Thick by GIA

Culet Size: None by GIA

Polish: Very Good (7 to 8) by GIA

### Documentation of Photomicrographs, Digital Scans & Diamond Grading Reports:

Photomicrograph: (Top View) Yes
Photomicrograph of Laser Inscription: Yes
AGS ASET Photomicrograph: Yes
Plot Diagram: Yes
Digital Proportion Scan: No

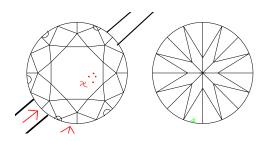
Diamond Grading Report: Yes "GIA 13492265"

Grading Preformed: Loose & Mounted

Data Collected: Combination Actual & Supplied Lab Report

## Legend:

- Pinpoint
- Feather
- Indented Natural Prong



## \*\*\* Special Notation \*\*\*

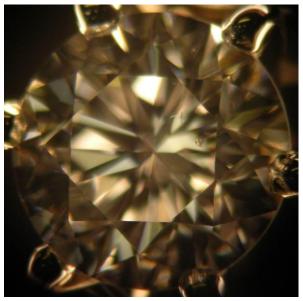
Data collected and reported may differ slightly from the appraiser's grading report and the supplied lab reports. Such differences may include measurements, weights, grades and other notations. Slight differences are normal and common.

Noticeable differences will be noted in (**RED**) in the appraiser's grading report.

Signature of Appraiser:

La Shawn Bauer, G, G, GG, ASG/AGA, CGL/AGA, RMV, CM/NAJA





AGS/ASET – Angular Spectrum Evaluation Tool ------10x Magnification



Laser Inscription on girdle of diamond



# GIA GEM TRADE LABORATORY

#### DIAMOND DOSSIER® GRADING REPORT

REPORT 13492265

May 13, 2004
Laser Inscription Registry GIA 13492265
Shape and Cutting Style ROUND BRILLIANT
Measurements 4.66-4.69 x 2.96 mm
Weight 0.40 carat
Proportions
Depth
Table
GirdleSLIGHTLY THICK
Culet NONE
Finish
Polish VERY GOOD
Symmetry VERY GOOD
Clarity Grade
Characteristics Crystal, Feather
Color Grade
Fluorescence MEDIUM BLUE
Comments NONE

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	INTERNALLY Flawless
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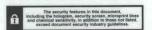
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Laboratory under 10X magnification using the techniques and equipment available to GIA Gem Trade Laboratory, including fully corrected triplet loupe - and binocular microscope, master color comparison diamonds, electronic carat balance, non-contact optical measuring device, and ancillary instruments as necessary, at the time of the examination, and/or has been inscribed by GIA Gem Trade Laboratory.

The recipient of this Report may wish to consult a credentialed Jeweler or Gemologist about the importance and interrelationship of cut, color, clarity and carat weight.



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