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**Spectrum Quartz Announces Partnership with MSI on South Carolina Slab Production Facility**

(Cranbury, NJ) Spectrum Quartz, a leading quartz surfacing manufacturer and distributor, announces that it has entered into a partnership with MSI, a leading supplier of hard surfacing countertops and flooring, to create a state-of-the-art quartz slab manufacturing facility in the United States.

In May of this year, Spectrum Quartz announced plans to open a quartz manufacturing facility in Latta, South Carolina. The 360,000 square foot facility will be operational later this month. Spectrum Quartz and MSI then entered into discussions to partner on the facility, combining the manufacturing expertise of Spectrum Quartz with the financial backing and distribution capabilities of MSI.

Spectrum Quartz and parent company, Hirsch Glass, will continue to remain independent. Spectrum Quartz will be introducing innovative new designs produced by the South Carolina facility at the Kitchen and Bath Industry Show (KBIS) in January 2020.

Alex Xie, President of Hirsch Glass, states: “Establishing an American slab manufacturing operation has been one of our key goals. Partnering with MSI on the South Carolina facility allows us to achieve this goal while at the same time ensuring adequate supply of quartz for both Spectrum Quartz and MSI’s distribution channels.

“MSI has been a valuable industry partner over the years. We hold a common view of the future of the quartz surfacing industry with MSI President Rup Shah. MSI’s distribution and logistical expertise along with Spectrum Quartz’s manufacturing expertise and patents will allow us to create original and unrivaled quartz surfacing designs.”

**More Information**

Hirsch Glass Corporation is headquartered in Cranbury, NJ. Established in 2005, Hirsch Glass designs and manufactures glass tile and mosaics. In 2014, the Spectrum Quartz brand was established and has since become a leading quartz surface brand.

The new production facility will create more than 150 new jobs in Dillon County, South Carolina. Hiring for the operation has begun and is continuing. Spectrum Quartz currently owns another slab production facility in China and has been producing quartz surfaces since 2014.

For more information, please visit the Spectrum Quartz website at [www.SpectrumQuartz.com](http://www.SpectrumQuartz.com)

MSI, founded in 1975, is the leading supplier of premium surfaces in North America. MSI’s portfolio of products include flooring, countertops, decorative mosaics, and wall tile, and hardscape products. The company offers an extensive selection of quartz, natural stone, porcelain, ceramic, luxury vinyl tile, and glass, among other materials. Headquartered in Orange, California, MSI has over 30 distribution centers across the United States and Canada and maintains over 200 million square feet of inventory.

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