

**** AGL IS NOT CHANGING ITS POLICY ON COMPOSITE RUBIES ****

Thank you for visiting the American Gemological Laboratories' website. It has come to our attention that there has been some confusion regarding our most recent press release dated 3 May 2010.

This release is in regards to our disclosure of a new ruby treatment (independent of Composite Rubies) that has been in the market for the past year. This "new" treatment is very different from Composite Rubies – and Composite Rubies have been in the market since 2003. Please see the complete press release on our website; and we would just like to re-iterate that **we are not changing our policy regarding Composite Rubies.**

For questions regarding our disclosure of this new treatment, Composite Rubies or other treatments please feel free to contact us at 212 704 0727.