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Dear Rich:

On behalf of the Marble Institute of America's Board of Directors and over 1,800 member companies from around the world, we congratulate Booms Stone for becoming one of the first companies in the natural stone industry to be named an Accredited Commercial B Contractor.

In earning this distinction; Booms Stone has demonstrated expertise in natural stone craftsmanship, a true concern for worker and customer safety, and a dedication to business ethics and sound business practice which place it among the upper echelon in the natural stone industry.

MIA Accreditation is very difficult to attain and you and your colleagues should be very very proud. Again, congratulations on what you have accomplished!

Very respectfully,

Garis Distelhorst
Executive Vice President
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Guido Gliori
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