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From: Benny Shabtai <[REDACTED]>
Date: March 8, 2013 3:59:41 PM EST
To: "[REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]>

Dear Bella,

I feel very confused about what has happened regarding the pair of stud earrings that I had sent to Jeffrey. The price that I gave you of \$71,000 is a Rapaport List price (the price list that comes out weekly to give to the wholesaler) minus 25%. I assure you that you will not be able to get a price like this anywhere else. I am very hurt that I have to defend my credibility, my friendship with Jeffrey and the great relationship we have together. The only choice I have is if you feel I betrayed you, I would be more than happy to take back the diamonds or I would have no problem to accept any amount you feel you want to pay. After all, my friendship with Jeffrey is much more important to me than money. I hope I cleared the issue and if you need to investigate more, I would be more than happy to help clear the air that I was not trying to take advantage of anyone. Looking forward to hearing back from you.

Best,
Benny