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Over 200 fibreglass eggs, each measuring two-and-a-half foot in height, are being uniquely crafted and decorated by some of the world's leading artists, architects, jewellers and designers including Vivienne Westwood, the Chapman Brothers, Zandra Rhodes, Diane Von Furstenberg, Sophie Dahl, Rob Ryan, and Polly Morgan.

The Candy & Candy egg is an exquisite work of art with attention focused on combining beautiful, luxurious and unusual materials with the finest craftsmanship to create a unique sculpture. The exterior is finished in a Green Blade Bahamas timber veneer with a high gloss decorative pattern. A geometric crack in the front of the egg reveals a beautifully lit Celestite crystal positioned on a mirrored plinth inside the egg, surrounded by a high gloss black lacquer interior shell. The Candy & Candy design team employed the specialist help of joinery firm EE Smith to bring the egg design to life. London fossil and mineral gallery Ammonite 2000 also kindly donated the Celestite crystal for the piece.

All of the eggs, which are destined to become highly collectible works of art, will be available to buy once the hunt is over at three specially arranged auctions.

Nick Candy, CEO of Candy & Candy commented: "The Fabergé Big Egg Hunt is a fun and innovative fundraising event which will engage people across London and raise vital funds for two great causes. The team at Candy & Candy are delighted to be able to contribute to making this event a huge success - I like the design of the egg so much that I plan to be in the front row bidding at the auction!"

Members of the public will be encouraged to take part in the massive Easter egg hunt across central London which will see all 200 eggs strategically placed throughout the capital. Entrants have the 40 days and 40 nights of Lent to hunt down as many eggs as possible. The Fabergé Big Egg Hunt is also looking to achieve a Guinness World Record for the most participants in an Easter egg hunt.

For more information on The Fabergé Big Egg Hunt please visit www.thebigegghunt.co.uk.

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About Candy & Candy:

Candy & Candy is recognised internationally as a pioneer of bespoke and innovative design, creating sumptuous homes in some of the world's most coveted locales, as well as designing yachts, jets, luxury cars and a wide range of commercial environments. Candy & Candy also apply its remarkable design and project management skills to delivering boutique residential developments in central London, including One Hyde Park in Knightsbridge and 21 Chesham Place in Belgravia. www.candyandcandy.com



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