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ZHAO JIN

ZHAOJIN MINING INDUSTRY COMPANY LIMITED*

招金礦業股份有限公司

(a joint stock limited company incorporated in the People's Republic of China with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 1818)

CHANGE OF COMPANY SECRETARY AND AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVE

The board of directors (the “Board”) of Zhaojin Mining Industry Company Limited (the “Company”) announces that Mr. Ngai Wai Fung (“Mr. Ngai”) has tendered his resignation (the “Resignation”) as the company secretary and authorised representative under the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance (the “Company Secretary and Authorised Representative”) of the Company with effect from 15 December 2010 due to his personal pursuit and development. Mr. Ngai confirmed that he has no disagreement with the Board and there are no circumstances related to his Resignation which need to be brought to the attention of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “Stock Exchange”) and the shareholders of the Company. The Company would like to thank Mr. Ngai for his contributions to the Company in the past.

The Board is also pleased to announce that Ms. Ma Sau Kuen Gloria (“Ms. Ma”) has been appointed (the “Appointment”) as the Company Secretary and Authorised Representative and the Appointment takes effect on 15 December 2010.

Ms. Ma has almost 30 years of experience in corporate secretarial work that includes acting as company secretary for companies listed on the Stock Exchange, setting up companies in different jurisdictions such as Hong Kong, Cayman Islands and British Virgin Islands. She also has extensive knowledge and experience in corporate restructuring and legal compliance issues.

Ms. Ma is a director and Head of Registration and Compliance Services of KCS Hong Kong Limited, a corporate secretarial and accounting services provider in Hong Kong. She holds a master degree in Business Administration from the University of Strathclyde, Scotland, and is a Fellow member of the Hong Kong Institute of Chartered Secretaries, and the Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators in the United Kingdom.

The Board would like to welcome Ms. Ma to join the Company.

By Order of the Board
Zhaojin Mining Industry Company Limited*
Lu Dongshang
Chairman

Zhaoyuan, the PRC, 15 December 2010

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises two executive Directors, namely Mr. Lu Dongshang and Mr. Weng Zhanbin, five non-executive Directors, namely Mr. Liang Xinjun, Mr. Cong Jianmao, Mr. Wang Peifu, Mr. Wu Zhongqing and Mr. Chen Guoping, and four independent non-executive Directors, namely Mr. Ye Tianzhu, Mr. Yan Hongbo, Ms. Chen Jinrong and Mr. Choy Sze Chung Jojo.

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