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洛陽欒川鉬業集團股份有限公司 China Molybdenum Co., Ltd.*

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

(Stock Code: 03993)

TRADING HALT

At the request of China Molybdenum Co., Ltd.*(the "Company"), trading in the H shares of the Company on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited has been halted with effect from 1:00 p.m. on Monday, 9 May 2016, pending the release of an announcement regarding a signed agreement in relation to a very substantial acquisition of the Company, which constitutes inside information.

By Order of the Board
China Molybdenum Co., Ltd.*
Li Chaochun
Chairman

Luoyang City, Henan Province, People's Republic of China, 9 May 2016

As at the date of this announcement, the Company's executive directors are Messrs. Li Chaochun and Li Faben; the Company's non-executive directors are Messrs. Ma Hui, Yuan Honglin and Cheng Yunlei; and the Company's independent non-executive directors are Messrs. Bai Yanchun, Xu Shan and Cheng Gordon.

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