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**江西銅業股份有限公司**  
**JIANGXI COPPER COMPANY LIMITED**

*(a Sino-foreign joint venture joint stock limited company incorporated in the People's Republic of China)*

(Stock Code: 0358)

**ANNOUNCEMENT IN RELATION TO PROVISION FOR  
IMPAIRMENT ON ASSETS FOR THE HALF YEAR OF 2023**

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**PROVISION FOR IMPAIRMENT ON ASSETS FOR THE HALF YEAR OF 2023**

At the twenty-second meeting of the ninth session of the board (the “**Board**”) of directors (the “**Directors**”) of Jiangxi Copper Company Limited (the “**Company**”, together with its subsidiaries collectively, the “**Group**”) convened on 25 August 2023, the “Resolution in relation to Provision for Impairment on Assets for the Half Year of 2023 of Jiangxi Copper Company Limited” was considered and approved. Details of the provision for impairment on assets are disclosed as follows:

In accordance with the provisions of the “Accounting Standards for Business Enterprises” and the relevant accounting policies, in order to provide an objective and fair reflection of the financial position and assets value of the Company as at 30 June 2023, the Company performed impairment test to calculate the recoverable amount on the assets which had indication of impairment within the scope of consolidation, and made corresponding provision for impairment on the assets whose recoverable amounts are lower than their book value based on the impairment test results. The provision for impairment on assets of the Company for the half year of 2023 was RMB251.45 million.

## I. DETAILS OF PROVISION FOR ASSET IMPAIRMENT

| <b>Item</b>   | <b>Provision for<br/>the half year of<br/>2023</b><br><i>(RMB million)</i> |
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| Provision for write-down of inventories                 | 194.05   |
| Provision for impairment of long-term equity investment | <u>57.40</u>   |
| Total   | <u><u>251.45</u></u>   |

Major items of impairment on assets for the half year of 2023 are as follows:

### (I) Provision for write-down of inventories

For the half year of 2023, the Company measured inventories (including raw materials, work-in-progress and finished goods) at the lower of cost and net realisable value, and made provision for inventory impairment of RMB194.05 million, including the provision for write-down of inventories of Shandong Humon Smelting Co., Ltd., a subsidiary of the Company, of RMB57.55 million. The Company purchases inventories for production in accordance with its production plan and in combination with market demand. Inventories are initially measured at cost, and the provision for write-down of inventories is made based on the principle of the lower of cost and net realisable value.

The Company has been implementing a stable business policy in the long run, and has always strictly followed the hedging system to hedge purchased copper raw materials. The Company made the corresponding provision for write-down of inventories in strict compliance with the accounting standards, while paying close attention to the changing trend of metal products such as copper, and strengthening the analysis and research on various factors affecting the product price trends. The raw materials previously purchased at high copper prices were hedged against the risk of price decline, and the strategy was optimised timely on the basis of continuous hedging, effectively resisting the potential adverse impacts of the market price fluctuation on the production and operation efficiency of the Company.

## **(II) Provision for impairment of long-term equity investment**

According to the requirements of the “Accounting Standards for Business Enterprises No. 8 – Assets Impairment”, the Company determined whether there is any indication that assets may be impaired on the balance sheet date. If there is any indication that an asset may be impaired, the Company will estimate its recoverable amount. If the impairment results of the recoverable amount indicates that the recoverable amount of the asset is lower than its book value, the Company shall write down the book value of such asset to its recoverable amount, recognise the impairment loss of such asset into profit and loss for the current period and make corresponding provision for impairment of assets concurrently.

For the half year of 2023, the Company made provision for impairment of RMB57.40 million on the remaining balance of its long-term equity investment in the joint venture, Nesko Metal Sanayive Ticaret Anonim Şirketi (“**Nesko**”) located in Albania due to the continuous losses of Nesko, which is expected to be irrecoverable.

## **II. IMPACT ON PROFIT AND LOSS OF THE COMPANY FROM THE PROVISION FOR IMPAIRMENT**

The provision for asset impairment was recognised in impairment losses on assets of the Company’s income statement. The total amount of provision for impairment on assets of the Company for the half year of 2023 amounted to RMB251.45 million, which affected the net profit attributable to the parent for the half year of 2023 by RMB218.82 million.

## **III. THE INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS’ OPINION ON PROVISION FOR IMPAIRMENT ON ASSETS**

The independent non-executive Directors considered that the provision for impairment on assets was made in accordance and compliance with the “Accounting Standards for Business Enterprises” and the relevant accounting policies of the Company and in accordance with the actual situation of the Company. It was made with sufficient justifications and the decision-making procedures were lawful. It can give a true and fair view of the asset value and financial position of the Company, and provide the investors with more truthful and reliable accounting information. The interests of the Company and its shareholders are not prejudiced. The provision for impairment on assets was agreed by the independent non-executive Directors.

#### **IV. THE OPINION OF THE BOARD ON PROVISION FOR IMPAIRMENT ON ASSETS**

The Board considered that the provision for impairment on assets was made in accordance with the “Accounting Standards for Business Enterprises” and the actual situation of the assets of the Company, with sufficient justifications and fairly reflected the status of the Company’s assets. The Board agreed to the provision for impairment on assets.

#### **V. THE OPINION OF THE SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE OF THE COMPANY ON PROVISION FOR IMPAIRMENT ON ASSETS**

The supervisory committee of the Company considered that the provision for impairment on assets was made in compliance with the relevant provisions of the “Accounting Standards for Business Enterprises”, in accordance with the actual situation of the Company and the decision-making procedures were lawful. The supervisory committee of the Company agreed on provision for impairment on assets.

By Order of the Board  
**JIANGXI COPPER COMPANY LIMITED**  
**Zheng Gaoqing**  
*Chairman*

Nanchang, Jiangxi, the People’s Republic of China, 25 August 2023

*As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors of the Company are Mr. Zheng Gaoqing, Mr. Zhou Shaobing, Mr. Wang Bo, Mr. Gao Jian-min, Mr. Liang Qing, Mr. Liu Fangyun and Mr. Yu Tong; and the independent non-executive Directors of the Company are Mr. Liu Xike, Mr. Zhu Xingwen, Mr. Wang Feng and Mr. Li Shuidi.*