

Metech International Limited

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PRESS RELEASE

Collaboration with Ningbo Crysdiam, a Specialised, High-Tech Manufacturer of Large-sized Lab-Grown Diamonds and Diamond-related Industrial Tools and Equipment

- A lab-grown diamond is a diamond: chemically, physically and optically identical to a mined diamond
- Diamond is one of the strongest materials in the world and it is also one of the best thermal conductors known, hence diamond is also commonly used for various industrial applications in medical equipment, aerospace, semiconductors, among others.
- Lab-grown diamonds are considered as a sustainable source and perfect substitute of mined diamonds

Singapore, 18th October 2021 – SGX-listed Metech International Limited ("Metech" or the "Company", "铭泰国际" and together with its subsidiaries, the "Group"), is pleased to announce that its joint venture company, Asian Eco Technology Pte. Ltd. ("AET" or "易高生态科技有限公司") has entered into a collaboration with Ningbo Crysdiam Industrial Technology Co. Ltd. (宁波晶钻工业科技有限公司) ("Ningbo Crysdiam"), which AET will procure lab-grown diamonds from Ningbo Crysdiam as part of its supply chain and production strategy in this specialised and niche market.



Ningbo Crysdiam was established in 2013 and it is one of the first company to specialise in the production of large-sized lab-grown diamonds as well as manufacture diamond-related industrial tools and equipment. Ningbo Crysdiam has set up a R&D centre for lab-grown diamonds with Ningbo Institute of Materials Technology & Engineering, Chiense Academy of Sciences. In addition, Ningbo Crysdiam has established various long-term strategic partnerships and collaboration with several overseas business partners, universities and research institutions. For more information on Ningbo Crysdiam, please visit their website: http://www.crysdiam.com/

Ms. Samantha Hua, Deputy Chief Executive Officer and Executive Director of Metech, said: "With their numerous physical features, diamonds have more uses than just jewellery.

With the growing applications of diamonds within the tech and manufacturing industry, we believe that lab-grown diamonds will be a sustainable source of this important raw material as demand increases.

As part of our overall supply chain and production strategy, we will also leverage on our industry networks to ensure the steady supply of jewellery-grade lab-grown diamonds to our customers."



About Metech International Limited

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Listed on the Singapore Stock Exchange, Metech International Limited ("**Metech**") has a multi-pronged business model that aligns with the macro trends in the area of environmental and sustainability.

While proactively evaluating new business opportunities to broaden its business model, Metech continues to build on its capabilities and extend the value propositions of its business units.

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