

ANNOUNCEMENT

DEREGISTRATION OF SUBSIDIARY

The Board of Directors of The Straits Trading Company Limited (the “**Company**”) wishes to announce that its subsidiary, SRE Investment 1 (Australia) Pty Ltd (“**SRE1A**”), a company registered in Victoria, Australia, has submitted an application for its voluntary deregistration to the Australian Securities and Investments Commission.

The voluntary deregistration of SRE1A is not expected to have any material impact on the net tangible assets or earnings per share of the Group for the financial year ending 31 December 2018.

By Order of the Board

Aldric Tan Jee Wei
Company Secretary
The Straits Trading Company Limited

20 December 2018
Singapore

This Announcement will be available at the Company’s website at <http://www.stc.com.sg>

About The Straits Trading Company Limited

Incorporated in 1887, The Straits Trading Company Limited has stakes in real estate, hospitality, resources and investments that span the Asia Pacific region. It owns a 89.5% stake in Straits Real Estate, a co-investment vehicle that seeks out real estate related investments & opportunities globally. It also owns a 20.95% stake in ARA Asset Management Limited, one of the largest real estate fund managers in the region, and has a 30% interest in Far East Hospitality Holdings, an established international hospitality owner and operator. Straits Trading also engages in tin mining and smelting through its 54.8%-owned subsidiary, Malaysia Smelting Corporation Berhad that is dual listed on Bursa Malaysia and the SGX-ST.