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CNMC GOLDMINE HOLDINGS LIMITED

中色金礦有限公司

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QUALIFIED PERSON'S REPORT ON THE UPDATED MINERAL RESOURCES AND ORE RESERVES ESTIMATES AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2015

The board of directors of CNMC Goldmine Holdings Limited (the “**Company**” or “**CNMC**”, and together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) wishes to announce that CNMC has received an updated Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves estimate as at 31 December 2015 (“**QPR 2015**”) from the Company’s independent resources and reserves estimation consultant, Optiro Pty Ltd, required under Rule 1204(23) of the Listing Manual (Section B: Rules of Catalist) of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (“**Catalist Rules**”).

This announcement should be read in conjunction with the QPR 2015.

According to the QPR 2015, the total Measured, Indicated and Inferred gold resources for the Sokor Project (Table A) (above a 0.3 gram/tonne (“**g/t**”) gold cut-off grade at Rixen, a 0.4 g/t gold cut-off grade at New Discovery and a 0.5 g/t gold cut-off grade at Manson’s Lode and Ketubong) are 13,830,000 tonnes at 1.4 g/t gold grade, which would amount to 618,000 ounces of contained gold. In addition, Mineral Resources at Manson’s Lode contain significant amounts of silver, lead and zinc, each amounting to 1,210,000 tonnes ore with an average grade of 44 g/t of silver, 1.7% lead and 1.6% zinc. This comes to a total of 1,717,000 ounces of contained silver, 20,802 tonnes of contained lead and 19,615 tonnes of contained zinc.

Compared to the previous Mineral Resources estimate as at 31 December 2014, there has been an increase in gold Mineral Resources of 3,022,000 tonnes at 1.2 g/t gold¹. This represents an increase of 22% in contained gold in the Mineral Resources. The silver, lead and zinc Mineral Resources at Manson’s Lode have risen by 274,000 tonnes (with an average grade of 26 g/t silver, 3.1% lead and 2.4% zinc¹) an increase of 15% of contained silver, 67% of contained lead and 51% of contained zinc.

¹ These average grades are for the additional tonnes and are calculated as follows: $[(2015 \text{ tonnes} \times \text{grade}) - (2014 \text{ tonnes} \times \text{grade})] / (2015 \text{ tonnes} \text{ minus the } 2014 \text{ tonnes})$.

Table A: Sokor Project – Summary of Mineral Resource Statement as at 31 December 2015 (inclusive of Ore Reserves)

Category	Mineral type	Gross attributable to licence			Gross attributable to CNMC			Change from previous update (%)
		Tonnes (millions)	Grade (Au g/t, Ag g/t, Pb%, Zn%)	Contained metal (Au koz, Ag koz, Pb t, Zn t)	Tonnes (millions)	Grade (Au g/t, Ag g/t, Pb%, Zn%)	Contained metal (Au koz, Ag koz, Pb t, Zn t)	
Measured	Gold	0.56	3.1	56	0.45	3.1	45	-2%
Indicated	Gold	7.14	1.3	297	5.78	1.3	241	+4%
Inferred	Gold	6.13	1.4	265	4.95	1.4	215	+63%
Total	Gold	13.83	1.4	618	11.18	1.4	501	+22%
Measured	Silver	0.33	63	674	0.27	63	546	+2%
Indicated	Silver	0.17	73	398	0.14	73	322	+10%
Inferred	Silver	0.71	28	645	0.57	28	522	+36%
Total	Silver	1.21	44	1,717	0.98	44	1,391	+15%
Measured	Lead	0.33	1.7	5,632	0.27	1.7	4,562	+1%
Indicated	Lead	0.17	1.7	2,925	0.14	1.7	2,370	+11%
Inferred	Lead	0.71	1.7	12,245	0.57	1.7	9,918	+188%
Total	Lead	1.21	1.7	20,802	0.98	1.7	16,850	+67%
Measured	Zinc	0.33	1.7	5,535	0.27	1.7	4,483	+1%
Indicated	Zinc	0.17	2.0	3,299	0.14	2.0	2,672	+8%
Inferred	Zinc	0.71	1.5	10,781	0.57	1.5	8,733	+142%
Total	Zinc	1.21	1.6	19,615	0.98	1.6	15,888	+51%

The primary focus of CNMC's operations in FY2015 was expanding gold production and adding new Mineral Resources to the Company's portfolio through exploration activities to replace depleted resources. The Company's ongoing exploration programme has yielded positive results so far, and it will continue to replenish resources depleted through mining.

After taking into account the depletion from mining at Rixen during FY2015, the additional drilling from 69 diamond drill holes within the Sokor Project has increased the Mineral Resources for gold, silver, lead, and zinc.

The Mineral Resource estimates for the Sokor Project have been prepared and classified in accordance with the guidelines of the Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves prepared by the Joint Ore Reserves Committee of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, Australian Institute of Geoscientists and Minerals Council of Australia, December 2012 (the JORC Code 2012).

In reporting the Ore Reserves as at 31 December 2015, the Sokor Project registered a 19% increase in Ore Reserves compared to the previous update report (Table B below). The total Ore Reserves as at 31 December 2015 have been reported in accordance with the JORC Code 2012.

Table B: Sokor Project Ore Reserves (Manson's Lode, New Discovery and Rixen) and Mineral Resources (at Ketubong and in additional to Ore Reserves at Manson's Lode, New Discovery and Rixen) as at 31 December 2015

Category	Mineral type	Gross attributable to licence			Gross attributable to CNMC			Change from previous update (%)
		Tonnes (kt)	Grade (Au g/t)	Contained Au (koz)	Tonnes (kt)	Grade (Au g/t)	Contained Au (koz)	
Ore Reserves								
Proved	Gold	327	3.68	39	262	3.68	31	+73
Probable	Gold	4,781	1.14	183	3,864	1.14	148	+12
Total	Gold	5,107	1.07	222	4,127	1.07	179	+19
Additional Mineral Resources								
Measured	Gold	210	2.8	29	170	2.8	23	-30%
Indicated	Gold	2,346	1.5	144	1,900	1.5	117	+25%
Inferred	Gold	6,166	1.4	279	4,994	1.4	226	+126%
Total	Gold	8,722	1.2	311	7,065	1.2	252	+11%

Competent Persons Statement

The information in this announcement that relates to Mineral Resources is based on information compiled and reviewed by Christine Standing and Ian Glacken. Christine Standing is a Member of The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and Ian Glacken is a Fellow of The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Both are full-time employees of Optiro Pty Ltd. Christine Standing and Ian Glacken have sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity being undertaken to qualify as Competent Persons as defined in the 2012 Edition of the Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves'. Both Competent Persons consent to the inclusion in this announcement of the matters based on the information in the form and context in which it appears.

The information in this announcement that relates to Ore Reserves is based on information compiled by Michael Leak and Andrew Law. Michael Leak is a Member of The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and Andrew Law is a Fellow of The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr Law is a full-time employee of Optiro Pty Ltd while Mr Leak is an Associate of Optiro Pty Ltd. Michael Leak and Andrew Law have sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity being undertaken to qualify as Competent Persons as defined in the 2012 Edition of the Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves'. Both Competent Persons consent to the inclusion in this announcement of the matters based on the information in the form and context in which it appears.

By Order of the Board

Lim Kuoh Yang
Chief Executive Officer

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