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## NEW FEE SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED BY THE LONDON METAL EXCHANGE

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The London Metal Exchange ("LME"), an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of HKEx, announces today a new fee schedule to support the ongoing programme of investment which is transforming the business. The new simplified tariff provides an all-in transaction fee with trading and clearing components and in a single currency (United States Dollar). The average LME transaction fee will increase by 34 per cent, which will facilitate the continued investment in building better systems and launching new products in coming years. Discounts are offered for some trade types including Ring trades.

The new fee schedule will take effect from 1 January 2015, and details will be available on the LME website at <u>www.lme.com</u>.

By Order of the Board Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited Joseph Mau Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 29 September 2014

As at the date of this announcement, HKEx's board of directors comprises 12 Independent Non-executive Directors, namely Mr CHOW Chung Kong (Chairman), Mr CHAN Tze Ching, Ignatius, Mr Timothy George FRESHWATER, Mr John Barrie HARRISON, Mr HUI Chiu Chung, Stephen, Dr KWOK Chi Piu, Bill, Mr LEE Kwan Ho, Vincent Marshall, Mr LEE Tze Hau, Michael, Mrs LEUNG KO May Yee, Margaret, Mr John Estmond STRICKLAND, Mr John Mackay McCulloch WILLIAMSON and Mr WONG Sai Hung, Oscar, and one Executive Director, Mr LI Xiaojia, Charles, who is also HKEx's Chief Executive.