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### SUPPLEMENTAL LETTER RELATING TO EXTENSION OF TIME FOR SATISFACTION OF CONDITIONS

# DISCLOSEABLE TRANSACTION ACQUISITION OF EQUITY INTEREST IN NEW ZEALAND STEEL MINING LIMITED

Pursuant to a supplemental letter ("**Supplemental Letter**") dated 15th December, 2008, the Company, the Purchaser, the Vendor and the Vendor Guarantor have agreed to extend the date for satisfaction of the conditions set out in the Agreement.

#### INTRODUCTION

Reference is made to the announcement of the Company dated 26th August, 2008 and the circular of the Company dated 16th September, 2008 ("Circular") in relation to the acquisition of the entire issued share capital of NZ Steel Mining.

Capitalized terms used in this announcement shall have the meanings as those defined in the Circular unless otherwise defined.

#### SUPPLEMENTAL LETTER

Pursuant to the Supplemental Letter, the parties to the Agreement have agreed that: -

- (a) the date for the satisfaction of the condition to obtain the consent of the Overseas Investment Office under the Overseas Investment Act 2005 and its regulations to acquire the Sale Shares and to carry on the Business in New Zealand ("OIO Consent") by the Purchaser shall be extended to the earlier of (A) the date on which the decision in respect of the OIO Consent is delivered in writing to the Purchaser or its solicitors, and (B) 20th January, 2009;
- (b) the date for the satisfaction of the other conditions set out in the Agreement shall be:
  - (i) if the OIO Consent is obtained, the earlier of (A) the third Business Day after the date on which the Purchaser notifies the Vendor in writing that the OIO Consent has been received, and (B) 20th January, 2009; or

(ii) if the OIO Consent is declined, the Business Day on which the Purchaser notifies the Vendor in writing of receipt of notice that the OIO Consent has been declined.

Save as amended by the Supplemental Letter, all other terms and conditions of the Agreement remain in full force and effect.

#### EXTENSION OF TIME FOR SATISFACTION OF CONDITIONS

The amendments will allow more time for the satisfaction by the Company of the conditions set out in the Agreement.

The Directors believe that the terms of the Supplemental Letter are fair and reasonable and in the interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

## By Order of the Board CHEUNG KONG INFRASTRUCTURE HOLDINGS LIMITED Eirene Yeung

Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 16th December, 2008

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