



NEWLY BUILT CARBON-IN-LEACH PLANT ACHIEVES FIRST GOLD POUR

The board of directors of CNMC Goldmine Holdings Limited (the “**Company**” or “**CNMC**”, and together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) is pleased to announce that the Company’s newly built carbon-in-leach (“**CIL**”) plant at its flagship Sokor gold mine in Malaysia’s Kelantan state has successfully completed its first gold pour from trial operation.

The CIL plant showed positive results during two weeks of continuous operation last month, processing more than 500 tonnes of ore daily and producing a total of 863.33 ounces of gold doré bars.¹

Barring unforeseen circumstances, the new plant will enable the Group to process higher-grade gold ore at higher yield ratios, boost gold production and optimize overall gold output. The CIL plant is the Company’s third gold-ore processing facility in Kelantan. CNMC’s heap leaching facility, which has been responsible for most of the Group’s gold output since 2012, is best suited for processing lower-ore grades.

By Order of the Board

Lim Kuoh Yang
Chief Executive Officer

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¹ A crude gold, silver bullion, usually produced at the mine site which is then sent to a refiner where the silver and gold are parted and the gold is refined to commercial-grade gold bullion.