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## NOTICE OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Maanshan Iron & Steel Company Limited (the "Company") hereby announces that a Board of Directors meeting will be held at a.m. on 25 October 2012 to consider and approve, among others, the unaudited third quarterly results of the Company and its subsidiaries prepared in accordance with PRC Accounting Standards for the period starting from 1 July 2012 to 30 September 2012.

By Order of the Board
Ren Tianbao
Company Secretary

16 October 2012 Maanshan City, Anhui Province, the PRC

As at the date of this announcement, the directors of the Company include:

Executive Directors: Su Jiangang, Qian Haifan, Ren Tianbao

Non-executive Director: Zhao Jianming

Independent Non-executive Directors: Qin Tongzhou, Yang Yada