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ANNOUNCEMENT ON EXECUTION OF ASSET MANAGEMENT CONTRACT REGARDING THE THIRD PHASE OF EMPLOYEE SHARE OWNERSHIP PLAN

At the 15th meeting of the seventh session of the board of directors and the 18th meeting of the seventh session of the supervisory committee held on 20 March 2018, and the 2017 annual general meeting held on 15 May 2018 of Chongqing Iron & Steel Company Limited (the "**Company**"), the proposals including the Proposal in relation to the Employee Share Ownership Plan (draft) from 2018 to 2020 of Chongqing Iron & Steel Company Limited and its Summary 《關於<重慶鋼鐵股份有限公司2018年至2020年員工持股計劃(草案)>及其摘要的議案》 and the Proposal in relation to Management Measures on Employee Share Ownership Plan of Chongqing Iron & Steel Company Limited 《關於<重慶鋼鐵股份有限公司員工持股計劃管理辦法>的議案》 were considered and approved.

For details of the above-mentioned matters, please refer to the relevant announcements of the Company published on the China Securities Journal, Shanghai Securities News, Securities Times and Securities Daily and the website of the Shanghai Stock Exchange (http://www.sse.com.cn) on 22 March 2018, 16 May 2018, 28 December 2019 and 23 January 2020, respectively.

Recently, Chongqing Iron & Steel Company Limited (on behalf of the third phase of employee share ownership plan and as asset entrustor), Huatai Securities (Shanghai) Asset Management Co., Ltd. (as asset manager) and China Merchants Bank Co., Ltd., Suzhou Branch (as asset custodian) executed the Asset Management Contract between Huatai Asset Management and Chongqing Iron & Steel Regarding Employee Share Ownership Plan No. 3 Single Asset Management Plan (《華 泰 資 管 重 慶 鋼 鐵 員 工 持 股 計 劃 3 號 單 一 資 產 管 理 計 劃 資 產 管 理 合 同)》 based on the principle of equality, voluntariness and good faith. The contract sets out detailed explanations and provisions on the condition and investment of the entrusted assets as well as the rights and obligations of the parties thereto. For details, please refer to the Asset Management Contract between Huatai Asset Management and Chongqing Iron & Steel Regarding Employee Share Ownership Plan No. 3 Single Asset Management Plan (Chinese version only) disclosed by the Company in the form of overseas regulatory announcement on the same date hereof.

The aforesaid contract does not constitute a notifiable transaction under Chapter 14 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and this announcement is made by the Company on a voluntary basis.

> By order of the Board Chongqing Iron & Steel Company Limited Meng Xiangyun Secretary to the Board

Chongqing, the PRC, 21 April 2020

As at the date of this announcement, the Directors of the Company are: Mr. Zhou Zhuping (Non-executive Director), Mr. Song De An (Non-executive Director), Mr. Zhang Shuogong (Non-executive Director), Mr. Li Yongxiang (Executive Director), Mr. Tu Deling (Executive Director), Mr. Wang Li (Executive Director), Mr. Xu Yixiang (Independent Non-executive Director), Mr. Xin Qingquan (Independent Nonexecutive Director) and Mr. Wong Chunwa (Independent Non-executive Director).