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CHINA GOLD INTERNATIONAL RESOURCES CORP. LTD.

中國黃金國際資源有限公司

(a company incorporated under the laws of British Columbia, Canada with limited liability)

(Hong Kong Stock Code: 2099)

(Toronto Stock Code: CGG)

RENEWAL OF EXISTING CONNECTED TRANSACTION

The Board is pleased to announce that on or about December 22, 2020:

A one (1) year term extension deposit services agreement with adjusted cap extending the renewed original Deposit Services Agreement entered into on December 31, 2019 between the Company and China Gold Finance.

BACKGROUND

Reference is made to the announcement of the Company dated 19 December 2017 in relation to, among other things, the Deposit Services Agreement entered into between the Company and China Gold Finance and subsequent renewal announcement dated 18 December 2018 and 31 December 2019.

The Board is pleased to announce the Company and China Gold Finance have entered into a 2021 Deposit Services Agreement to extend the Deposit Services Agreement for one (1) year term with adjusted daily cap of deposit principal and interest, all other terms and conditions of the Deposit Services Agreement remain the same.

THE CONTINUING CONNECTED TRANSACTION

Deposit Services Agreement

Date:

On 22 December 2020, the Company and China Gold Finance entered into an additional agreement to renew the term of the Deposit Services Agreement for one (1) year term commencing 1 January 2021 through 31 December 2021.

Transaction Nature:

China Gold Finance will accept deposits from existing and potential new members of the Group to utilize the deposit services provided by China Gold Finance, up to a maximum amount of daily deposit balance (including interest) not exceeding RMB180 million during the term of the 2021 Deposit Services Agreement.

Term:

The Company and China Gold Finance will enter into the 2021 Deposit Services Agreement on the same basis, terms and conditions provided in the Deposit Services Agreement, with the exception of the Term which will be extended to commence 1 January 2021 through 31 December 2021 and the daily cap which will be adjusted to RMB 180 million.

IMPLICATIONS UNDER THE HONG KONG LISTING RULES

As at the Latest Practicable Date, China National Gold held approximately 40.01% of the 396,413,753 issued Shares of the Company through CNGGHK, its wholly-owned subsidiary, and thus is the ultimate controlling shareholder of the Company. China National Gold holds a 51% interest in China Gold Finance and therefore, China Gold Finance is a connected person of the Company under Chapter 14A of the Hong Kong Listing Rules.

Deposit Services Agreement:

The deposit services are a continuing connected transaction being the provision of financial assistance by the Group to a connected person of the Company. As at least one of the applicable percentage ratios (as defined under Rule 14.07 of the Hong Kong Listing Rules) in respect of the Deposit Services Agreement is greater than 0.1%, but all of the applicable percentage ratios are less than 5%, the transactions contemplated under the Deposit Services Agreement are subject to reporting and announcement requirements, but exempt from independent shareholders' approval requirements under the Hong Kong Listing Rules.

MANAGEMENT OF CONFLICTS

Each of Mr. Liangyou Jiang, Mr. Shiliang Guan, Mr. Weibin Zhang, Mr. Junhu Tong and Ms. Na Tian are considered to have a conflict of interest in the transactions contemplated under the Deposit Services Agreement, due to their positions or affiliations with China National Gold. Each of them abstained from voting on the relevant resolutions at the Board meeting to approve the Deposit Services Agreement. All the remaining Directors have confirmed at such Board meeting that they have no material interest in the transactions contemplated under the Deposit Services Agreement.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE COMPANY

China Gold International Resources Corp. Ltd. is incorporated in British Columbia, Canada and operates both profitable and growing mines, the CSH Gold Mine in Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region, and the Jiama Copper-Polymetallic Mine in Tibet Autonomous Region of the People's Republic of China. The Company's objective is to continue to build shareholder value by growing production at its current mining operations, expanding its resource base, and aggressively acquiring and developing new projects internationally. The Company is listed on

the Toronto Stock Exchange (TSX: CGG) and the Main Board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (HKEx: 2099).

INFORMATION ABOUT CHINA NATIONAL GOLD

China National Gold is the only enterprise directly supervised by the State Council of the PRC that focuses on the exploration, mining, processing, smelting, refining and sales of gold. It also operates other nonferrous mineral assets related businesses. The predecessor of China National Gold was China National Gold Corporation, which was established in 1979 and headquartered in Beijing. China National Gold was the largest gold producer in China in 2016 by gold output, according to the China Gold Association. It is also the only enterprise in the gold industry in China that explores, produces and processes gold with a grade of Au99999. China National Gold is the controlling shareholder of the Company, holding 40.01% of the issued and outstanding Shares of the Company. Therefore, China National Gold is a connected person of the Company for the purpose of Chapter 14A of the Hong Kong Listing Rules.

INFORMATION ABOUT CHINA GOLD FINANCE

China Gold Finance obtained approval for establishment from the CBRC on August 18, 2014. China Gold Finance obtained the Financial License granted by CBRC's Beijing office on May 12, 2015. The principal operations of China Gold Finance include: providing financial and financing advisory, assisting its members in collecting and making transaction payments; handling entrusted loan and entrusted investments among its members; handling bill acceptance and discounting affairs for its members; conducting internal financial transfers between members the corresponding settlement, clearing design; absorbing deposits from its members; providing loans and finance lease to its members; and engaging in inter-bank borrowings.

DEFINITIONS

Definition references are the same as provided in the announcement of the Company dated 19 December 2017 relating to, among other things, the Deposit Services Agreement entered into between the Company and China Gold Finance.

By Order of the Board
China Gold International Resources Corp. Ltd.
Mr. Liangyou Jiang
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Hong Kong, 23 December 2020

As at the date of this announcement, the Board of Directors of the Company comprises of Mr. Liangyou Jiang, Mr. Shiliang Guan, Mr. Weibin Zhang and Ms. Na Tian as Executive Directors, Mr. Junhu Tong as Non-Executive Director, and Mr. Ian He, Mr. Wei Shao, Dr. Bielin Shi and Ms. Ruixia Han as Independent Non-Executive Directors.