

NOTICE 835 OF 2013**COMPETITION TRIBUNAL****NOTIFICATION OF DECISION TO APPROVE MERGER**

The Competition Tribunal gives notice in terms of rule 35 (5) (b) (ii) of the “Rules for the conduct of proceedings in the Competition Tribunal” as published in Government Gazette No. 22025 of 01 February 2001, that on 3 July 2013 it approved the merger between Industrial Development Corporation of South Africa Ltd, Hebei Iron and Steel Group Co Ltd, Maritius SPV (yet to be formed special purpose vehicle owned by Smart Union Resource (Hong Kong) Co Ltd and Rio Tinto South Africa Ltd subject to conditions.

(CDM case no.: 016329)

**The Chairperson
Competition Tribunal**