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FIRST PACIFIC COMPANY LIMITED

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*(Incorporated with limited liability under the laws of Bermuda)
Website: <http://www.firstpacific.com>*

(Stock Code: 00142)

OVERSEAS REGULATORY ANNOUNCEMENT

(This overseas regulatory announcement is issued pursuant to Rule 13.09(2) of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited.)

Please refer to the attached filing made by Indofood Agri Resources Ltd. (“IndoAgri”) to the Singapore Stock Exchange, in relation to the clarification made by PT Salim Ivomas Pratama, IndoAgri’s 90% owned subsidiary relating to the news in the mass media.

Dated this the 3rd day of February, 2010

As at the date of this announcement, the board of directors of First Pacific Company Limited comprises the following directors:

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Announcement is submitted by *	Mak Mei Yook
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Description

The Board of Directors of Indofood Agri Resources Ltd (the "Company") wishes to announce that the Company's 90% owned subsidiary, PT Salim Ivomas Pratama ("PT SIMP"), has today released the attached letter to the Indonesia Stock Exchange in relation to the clarification on the news in a local newspaper in Indonesia under the caption of "Rp17.5 trillion Tax Owed, the Director General of Tax Threats Freezing the Accounts of 100 Companies."

Please refer to the attached letter issued by PT SIMP today for more details.

Attachments

 [PTSIMPClarification.pdf](#)
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No. SIMP/001/CS/EXT/I/10

Jakarta, 1 February 2010

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Attn.: Mr. Ananta Wiyogo, Direktur Utama

Dear Sirs,

Subject: Clarification on the News in the Mass Media

With reference to the letter Ref No. S-00585/BEI.PPS/01-2010 from the Indonesia Stock Exchange dated 29 January 2010 requesting for clarification on the news in '*Harian Neraca*' newspaper dated 29 January 2010, which mentioned PT. Salim Ivomas Pratama (the "Company") in the article titled "Rp. 17.5 Trillion Tax Owed; the Director General of Tax Threats Freezing the Accounts of 100 Companies", please be informed as follows:

- 1) The Company has submitted a letter requesting for clarification to the Head of Tax Office of Large-scale Tax Payer One, Ref No. 005/SIMP/JKT/2010, dated 29 January 2010, a copy is attached.
- 2) Pursuant to the clarification letter from the Tax Office of Large-scale Tax Payer One, Ref No. S-614/WPJ.19/KP.01/2010 dated 29 January 2010, a copy is attached:
 - (i) Based on the data record of the Tax Office of Large-scale Tax Payer One as of 31 December 2009, the Company has taxes in arrears amounting to Rp. 21,517,022 in respect of the Domestic VAT as stated in the letter Ref No. 00057/107/07/091/09 dated 22 December 2009.
 - (ii) The said arrears have been paid on 21 January 2010
 - (iii) Based on the data record of the Tax Office of Large-scale Tax Payer One as 29 January 2010, there are taxes in arrears amounting to Rp. 274,898 relating to the Income Tax article 21 as stated in the letter Ref No. 00002/101/09/091/10 dated 25 January 2010.
- 3) In relation to point 2(iii) above, we are still waiting for the invoice from the Tax Office of Large-scale Tax Payer One.

We thank you for your kind attention.

Sincerely yours,
PT Salim Ivomas Pratama

Ira Sawitri
Corporate Secretary

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