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(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 disclosures made by PT. Indofood Sukses Makmur Tbk. ("Indofood"), a subsidiary of the Company, to the Indonesian Stock Exchange, in relation to Indofood's Clarification on Material Non-Cash Profit and Loss Item in the 2008 Indofood Agri Resources Ltd. Financial Results and Indofood's related press release.

Dated this 17<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2009

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

Anthoni Salim, *Chairman* Manuel V. Pangilinan, *Managing Director and CEO* Edward A. Tortorici Robert C. Nicholson Ambassador Albert F. del Rosario Napoleon L. Nazareno Prof. Edward K.Y. Chen\*, *GBS, CBE, JP*  Tedy Djuhar Sutanto Djuhar Ibrahim Risjad Benny S. Santoso Graham L. Pickles\* Sir David W.C. Tang\*, *KBE* 

\* Independent Non-executive Directors



#### UNOFFICIAL TRANSLATION

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Jakarta, 17 February 2009

Indonesia Capital Market & Financial Institution Supervisory Agency Gedung Departemen Keuangan RI, 3rd Floor JI, Dr. Wahidin Raya No. 1, Jakarta

### Attn. : Dr. A. Fuad Rahmany, Chairman Drs. Anis Baridwan, MBA, Head of Bureau of PKP – Real Sector

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## Attn. : Erry Firmansyah, President Director Eddy Sugito, Listing Director

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#### Attn. : Ananta Wiyogo, President Director

## Re.: Clarification on Material Non-Cash Profit and Loss Item in the 2008 Indofood Agri Resources Ltd. ("IndoAgri") Financial Results

Dear Sirs/Madam,

Referring to the attached announcement of IndoAgri, a Singapore-based subsidiary of PT Indofood Sukses Makmur Tbk ("Company") on 'Material Non-Cash Profit and Loss Item in the 2008 IndoAgri Financial Results and Goodwill Impairment Assessment', the Company wishes to clarify that the material non-cash loss in IndoAgri 2008 Financial Results **WILL NOT** impact the Company's consolidated financial statements due to the difference in generally accepted accounting principles and practices applied in Singapore and Indonesia.

Under Singapore Financial Reporting Standards ("SFRS") the Plantations account (referred as biological assets under SFRS) is stated at **fair values**. This fair value of the biological assets is subject to periodical assessment and the gain or loss arising from the change in fair value of the biological assets is included in the Income Statement for the period in which they arise.

Under the Indonesian Generally Accepted Accounting Principles and Practices ("Indonesian GAAP"), the Plantations account is stated at **cost** up to the time the trees become commercially productive, subsequently to be amortized over their estimated productive life.



Conclusion :

The Company's consolidated financial statements are prepared under the Indonesian GAAP; hence, there will be no gains or losses arising from the change in fair values of the biological assets.

Thank you for your kind attention.

Sincerely, PT INDOFOOD SUKSES MAKMUR Tbk

Werianty Setiawan Corporate Secretary

For Immediate Release



PRESS RELEASE

# IndoAgri Material Non-Cash Losses WILL NOT Impact Indofood's Consolidated Financial Statements

Jakarta, 17 February 2009 – PT Indofood Sukses Makmur Tbk ("Company", IDX : INDF) clarifies that the material non-cash losses of Rp663 billion for the period ended on Dec 31, 2008, which was announced today by its SGX listed subsidiary, Indofood Agri Resources Ltd ("IndoAgri") WILL NOT impact the Company's consolidated financial statements due to the difference in generally accepted accounting principles and practices applied in Singapore and Indonesia.

Under Singapore Financial Reporting Standards ("SFRS") the Plantations account (referred as biological assets under SFRS) is stated at fair values. This fair value of the biological assets is subject to periodical assessment and the gain or loss arising from the change in fair value of the biological assets is included in the Income Statement for the period in which they arise.

Under the Indonesian Generally Accepted Accounting Principles and Practices ("Indonesian GAAP"), the Plantations account is stated at cost up to the time the trees become commercially productive, subsequently to be amortized over their estimated productive life.

The Company's consolidated financial statements are prepared under Indonesian GAAP; hence, there will be no gains or losses arising from the change in fair values of the biological assets.

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## About PT Indofood Sukses Makmur Tbk

PT Indofood Sukses Makmur Tbk ("Indofood") (IDX: INDF) is a leading processed food company in Indonesia. Indofood provides total food solutions through its four strategic business groups: Consumer Branded Products (CBP), Bogasari (flour producer), Agribusiness, and Distribution. Indofood's strongest legacy today is the strength of its brands, many of which have been companions to the people of Indonesia for nearly two decades. These include a variety of brands of instant noodles (*Indomie, Supermi* and *Sarimi*), wheat flour (*Segitiga Biru, Kunci Biru* and *Cakra Kembar*), cooking oils (*Bimoli*), margarine (*Simas Palmia*) and shortenings (*Palmia*). Indofood brands continue to be the market leaders in their specific segments with a reputation for quality and value for money that remains unrivalled.

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