

Fitch Teleconf: Chinese Governance Issues and Corporate Ratings, 20 July; 1500 HKT /0800 BST

Fitch Ratings-London/Singapore-17 July 2011: This is an amendment of a release issued earlier today. It includes details for registering for the teleconference in the fourth to sixth paragraphs. The amended text is as follows:

Addressing recent concerns in the capital markets surrounding corporate governance concerns for Chinese corporates, Fitch Ratings will host a teleconference on Wednesday 20 July, 15:00 HKT/08:00 BST, to discuss these issues in greater detail.

The call will be chaired by Richard Hunter, Fitch's Head of Corporate Ratings for Europe & Asia, who will be putting questions to the authors of today's Fitch report: "China Governance and Ratings", John Hatton, Group Credit Officer for Corporates, Andrew Steel, Head of Asia Pacific Corporate Ratings, and Kalai Pillay, Head of Industrial Ratings for Asia Pacific.

During the call, Fitch analysts will answer questions submitted up to 30 minutes in advance of the teleconference. Participants wishing to submit questions for the discussion should email questions ahead of the teleconference to wailun.wan@fitchratings.com.

Participants must also register for the call in advance with name, designation, company and contact details.

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For media participants, please register with: Wai-Lun Wan at +852 2263 9935 / wailun.wan@fitchratings.com or Leslie Tan at +65 6796 7234 / leslie.tan@fitchratings.com.

Teleconference details:

Date: Wednesday 20 July

Time: 15:00 HKT/ 08:00 BST

Duration: 30 minutes

Conference code: 7155619

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A replay of the call will also be available on archive from 21 July on the agency's public website, www.fitchratings.com, under Fitch Events > Teleconferences.

For related research, please see, 'China: Governance and Ratings' dated 18 July 2011, and 'Fitch Withdraws Sino-Forest's 'BB-' Ratings' dated 14 July 2011 - both available at www.fitchratings.com.

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