



PRESS RELEASE

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Notice of IRC Announcement

Petropavlovsk PLC (the "Company") wishes to notify that IRC, a producer and developer of industrial commodities in which the Company is a significant shareholder, has today made an announcement, the full text of which may be found on the website of IRC, www.ircgroupp.com.hk

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