



MARKET RELEASE

18 October 2010

Continental Coal Limited

SUSPENSION FROM OFFICIAL QUOTATION

The securities of Continental Coal Limited (the "Company") will be suspended from quotation immediately, at the request of the Company, pending the release of an announcement.

Security Code: CCC
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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Hewitt', is positioned below the security codes.

Jill Hewitt
Senior Adviser Issuers (Perth)



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ABN 13 009 125 651 ASX Code CCC

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Via E-mail

Attention: Jill Hewitt

REQUEST FOR VOLUNTARY SUSPENSION

Pursuant to Listing Rule 17.2, further to the Company's current trading halt, the Company requests a voluntary suspension pending the release of an announcement pertaining to the finalisation of the financing to complete the acquisition of Mashala Resources. The Company is not aware of any reason why the securities should not be voluntarily suspended.

Thank you for your assistance.

Yours sincerely

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Continental Coal Limited (ASX:CCC) is a new Junior South African coal producer. Continental has a portfolio of producing and advanced coal projects located in South Africa's major coal fields. Following the commencement of production at the Vlakvarkfontein coal mine in May 2010, Continental concluded the final agreements in September 2010 to acquire unlisted South African coal production company Mashala Resources. The acquisition provides Continental with immediate export coal production from the Ferreira open cast mine, Richards Bay Coal Terminal (RBCT) allocation and Transnet rail contracts in place and a broad project portfolio with a further five coal projects with the potential to be developed into production by 2015. Continental was formed to take advantage of the robust domestic and global demand for coal, with particular focus on South Africa, Botswana, Mozambique and Zimbabwe.

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