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Don Turvey Appointed to the Board

South African focused coal mining producer Continental Coal Limited (**ASX: CCC**) "**Continental**" or "**the Company**") is pleased to announce the appointment of its Chief Executive Officer ("**CEO**"), Mr Don Turvey, to the Board of the Company.

Mr Turvey, who has held the position of Continental's CEO since May 2010, and has overseen the ramp up of the Company's Vlakvarkfontein Coal Mine, the acquisition by the Company's South African subsidiary Continental Coal Limited ("CCL") of an initial 64.1% interest in Mashala Resources Pty Ltd and the commencement of export thermal coal sales from Ferreira Coal Mine, will take up his position on 9 March 2011.

"*Continental has undergone substantial changes following the appointment of Don Turvey as CEO in May 2010*," Continental's Chairman Andy Macaulay said.

"The Board has prioritised production from its existing operations and is fully focused on the development of its existing project portfolio and Don's appointment to the Board is recognition of the value he brings to the Company as we progress these initiatives as well as his valued input in implementing broader management controls and greater transparency in reporting." he added.

Mr Turvey said he was pleased to be taking up his role on the Board and was looking forward to working with the other directors and in growing the Company further through successful exploration, development and production from its current thermal coal projects.

"This Company is uniquely positioned in South Africa; it has existing operations, a broad portfolio of advanced projects, a highly experienced and proven executive management team and access to the international debt and equity capital markets. This will allow us to deliver on targets and underpins my confidence in our future prospects" said Mr Turvey.

Yours faithfully

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About Continental Coal Limited

Continental Coal Limited (ASX:CCC : US-OTC:CGFAY) 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, and its acquisition of Mashala Resources in October 2010, Continental is targeting production from its portfolio of predominantly export thermal coal mines of 10Mtpa ROM by 2015. Continental was formed to take advantage of the robust domestic and global demand for coal, with particular focus on Southern Africa.

Forward Looking Statement

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