Company Secretariat



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To: Australian Securities Exchange London Stock Exchange

cc: New York Stock Exchange JSE Limited

Retirement of Carlos Cordeiro as independent non-executive Director

Carlos Cordeiro will retire as an independent non-executive Director of BHP Billiton Limited and BHP Billiton Plc with effect as of today, 19 November 2015.

As part of a dual listed company structure, the Group voluntarily notifies all stock exchanges on which either BHP Billiton Plc or BHP Billiton Limited have primary or secondary listings, all those interests of directors of both entities in the securities of both entities (and changes to those interests) which are required to be disclosed under the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX) Listing Rules, the Listing Rules and Disclosure and Transparency Rules of the United Kingdom Listing Authority, the Australian Corporations Act, the United Kingdom Companies Acts and the Group's Securities Dealing document.

The information required to be made available under Section 430(2B) of the UK Companies Act 2006 in relation to Carlos Cordeiro's retirement is on the final page of this document. This information will also be made available on the BHP Billiton website.

Final Notification of Interests of Directors and Connected Persons (Australian Securities Exchange Listing Rules Appendix 3Z)

Name of entities	BHP Billiton Limited	BHP Billiton Plc		
	ABN 49 004 028 077	REG NO 3196209		

We (the entities) advise the following information under ASX Listing Rule 3.19A.3 and as agent for the director for the purposes of section 205G of the Australian Corporations Act and in accordance with the Group's Securities Dealing document.

Name of director	Carlos Cordeiro
Date of last notice	29 August 2005
Date of cessation as a director	19 November 2015

Part 1 - Director's relevant interests in securities of which the director is the registered holder

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

Name of holder and nature of	Number and class of securities		
interest			
N/A	N/A		

Part 2 – Director's relevant interests in securities of which the director is not the registered holder

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

Number & class of securities		
3,275 ADSs (representing 6,550 ordinary		
shares) in BHP Billiton Limited		

Part 3 - Director's interests in contracts

Detail of contract	Nil
Nature of interest	N/A
Name of registered holder	N/A
(if issued securities)	
No. and class of securities to which	N/A
interest relates	

Part 4 – Director's interests in options or other rights granted by the entities

Date of grant	N/A
Period during which or date on	N/A
which exercisable	
Total amount paid (if any) for the	N/A
grant	
Description of securities involved:	N/A
class; number	
Exercise price (if fixed at time of	N/A
grant) or indication that price is to	
be fixed at time of exercise	
Total number of securities over	N/A
which options or other rights held at	
the date of this notice	
Any additional information	N/A

Part 5 - Contact details

Name of authorised officers	Rachel Agnew
responsible for making this	
notification on behalf of the entities	

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The BHP Billiton Group is headquartered in Australia

CARLOS CORDEIRO: SECTION 430 (2B) COMPANIES ACT 2006 STATEMENT

BHP Billiton Limited and BHP Billiton Plc confirm that Mr Cordeiro retired as a non-executive Director of the Company with effect from 19 November 2015. The following information is provided in accordance with section 430 (2B) of the UK Companies Act 2006:

The Company's Remuneration Report for the financial year ending 30 June 2016 will include the remuneration earned by Mr Cordeiro during his appointment as a non-executive Director for the financial year ending 30 June 2016.

Mr Cordeiro has not and will not receive any remuneration payments upon ceasing to be a Director of the Company other than the Company's normal fees for an independent non-executive Director payable for the period from 1 July 2015 to 19 November 2015.

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