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LINGJIN 灵 金 Lingbao Gold Company Ltd. 靈寶黃金股份有限公司

(A joint stock limited company incorporated in the People's Republic of China) (Stock code: 3330)

GENERAL MANDATE TO ISSUE SHARES RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTOR AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening the annual general meeting ("AGM") of Lingbao Gold Company Ltd. (the "Company") to be held at the office of the Company at Hangu Road and Jingshan Road Intersection, Lingbao, Henan, the PRC on Tuesday, 7 June 2016 at 9:00 a.m. is set out on pages 6 to 10 of this circular. A reply slip and a form of proxy are also enclosed. Whether or not you are able to attend the AGM in person, you are requested to complete the accompanying form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon. In order to be valid, the proxy form must be deposited by hand or by post, for holders of H shares of the Company, to the H share registrar of the Company, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shop 1712–1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong and, for holders of domestic shares of the Company, to the registered address of the Company not less than 24 hours before the time for holding the meeting or any adjournment thereof. If the proxy form is signed by a person under a power of attorney or other authority, a notarially certified copy of that power of attorney or authority shall be deposited at the same time as mentioned in the proxy form. Completion and return of the proxy form will not preclude you from subsequently attending and voting at the AGM if you so wish.

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DEFINITIONS

In this circular, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expression shall have the following meanings:

"AGM" the annual general meeting of the Company to be held

at the office of the Company at Hangu Road and Jingshan Road Intersection, Lingbao, Henan, the PRC

on Tuesday, 7 June 2016 at 9:00 a.m.

"AGM Notice" the notice convening the AGM as set out on pages 6 to

10 of this circular

"Board" the board of Directors

"Company" 靈寶黃金股份有限公司 (Lingblao Gøold Company

Ltd.), a joint stock limited company established in the PRC on 27 September 2002, the H shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange

"Director(s)" the director(s) of the Company

"Domestic Share(s)" domestic share(s) in the ordinary share capital of the

Company, with a nominal value of RMB0.20 each,

which were subscribed for in RMB

"H Share(s)" overseas listed foreign shares in the ordinary share

capital of the Company, with a nominal value of RMB0.20 each, which are listed on the Stock Exchange

"Hong Kong" the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the

PRC

"Latest Practicable Date" 15 April 2016, being the latest practicable date prior to

the printing of this circular for ascertaining certain

information in this circular

"Listing Rules" the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the

Stock Exchange

"PRC" the People's Republic of China

"RMB" Renminbi, the lawful currency of the PRC

"Shareholder(s)" the holder(s) of the shares of the Company

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

LETTER FROM THE BOARD



LINGJIN 灵 金 Lingbao Gold Company Ltd. 靈寶黃金股份有限公司

(A joint stock limited company incorporated in the People's Republic of China)

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Executive Directors:

Mr. Jin Guangcai

Mr. Qiang Shanfeng

Mr. Ji Wanxin

Mr. Xing Jiangze

Mr. Zhang Guo

Mr. Zhou Yudao

Non-executive Director:

Mr. Shi Yuchen

Independent non-executive Directors:

Mr. Yang Dongsheng

Mr. Han Qinchun

Mr. Wang Jiheng

Mr. Wang Guanghua

Registered office:

Hangu Road and

Jingshan Road Intersection

Lingbao

Henan

The PRC

Principal place of business

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Room 1902

19th Floor

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Wanchai

Hong Kong

22 April 2016

To the Shareholders

Dear Sir or Madam,

GENERAL MANDATE TO ISSUE SHARES RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTOR AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this circular is to give you notice of the AGM and to provide you with information regarding the special resolution to be proposed at the AGM relating to the grant to the Directors of general mandate to allot, issue or otherwise deal with shares of up to 20% of the aggregate nominal amount of the Company's issued share capital as at the date of the passing of such resolution and re-election of Director.

LETTER FROM THE BOARD

GENERAL MANDATE TO ISSUE SHARES

At the last annual general meeting of the Company held on 3 June 2015, special resolution was passed whereby general mandate was given to the Directors to allot, issue or otherwise deal with shares of the Company of up to 20% of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of passing of such resolution.

Such mandate will lapse at the conclusion of the forthcoming AGM. In order to increase the flexibility and efficiency in operation of the Company, and to give discretion to the Board in the event that it becomes desirable to issue any shares, the Board will propose a special resolution to grant to the Directors a general mandate to allot, issue and otherwise deal with shares of the Company up to a maximum of 20% of the total nominal value of shares in issue as at the date of passing of the resolution as set out in special resolution No. 1 of the AGM Notice.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Company had in issue an aggregate of 770,249,091 shares, comprising 297,274,000 H Shares and 472,975,091 Domestic Shares. Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution for the approval of the general mandate, the Company will be allowed to allot, issue and deal with up to a maximum of 154,049,818 shares (comprising 59,454,800 H Shares and 94,595,018 Domestic Shares), representing 20% of shares in issue on the date of the passing of the proposed resolution, on the basis that no further shares will be issued by the Company prior to the AGM.

With reference to the proposed general mandate, the Directors, as at the date hereof, wish to state that they have no immediate plans to issue any new shares pursuant to the mandate.

RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTOR

Reference is made to the announcement of the Company dated 30 March 2016.

According to Article 112 of the Articles, any Director appointed by the Board to fill a casual vacancy shall hold office only until the next annual general meeting of the Company and shall then be eligible for re-election. Mr. Wang Guanghua ("Mr. Wang") was appointed by the Board on 30 March 2016 shall retire and being eligible, offer him selves for re-election at the AGM.

Details of Mr. Wang is set out in Appendix I to this circular in accordance with the relevant requirements of the Listing Rules.

AGM

A notice convening the AGM to be held at the office of the Company at Hangu Road and Jingshan Road Intersection, Lingbao, Henan, the PRC on Tuesday, 7 June 2016 at 9:00 a.m. is set out on pages 6 to 10 of this circular.

At the AGM, in addition to the ordinary resolutions for approval of the ordinary business of the Company as set out in the AGM notice, special resolutions will be proposed to Shareholders to consider and, if thought fit, approve, the proposed grant of the general mandate to issue shares of the Company.

A reply slip and a form of proxy are also enclosed.

LETTER FROM THE BOARD

Whether or not you are able to attend the AGM in person, you are requested to complete the accompanying form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon. In order to be valid, the proxy form must be deposited by hand or post, for holders of H Shares of the Company, to the H Share registrar of the Company, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shop 1712–1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong and, for holders of Domestic Shares, to the registered address of the Company not less than 24 hours before the time for holding the AGM or any adjournment thereof. If the proxy form is signed by a person under a power of attorney or other authority, a notarially certified copy of that power of attorney or authority shall be deposited at the same time as mentioned in the proxy form. Completion and return of the proxy form will not preclude you from subsequently attending and voting at the AGM.

If you intend to attend the AGM in person or by proxy, you are requested to complete the accompanying reply slip. In order to be valid, the completed and signed reply slip shall be delivered to the H Share registrar of the Company, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shop 1712–1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong (for holders of H Shares) or to the Company's registered office address at Xin Village, Yinzhuang Town, Daonan Industrial Area, Lingbao, Henan, the PRC (for holders of Domestic Shares) on or before Wednesday, 18 May 2016. The reply slip may be delivered to Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited or the Company by hand or by post.

Pursuant to Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules, all resolutions set out in AGM Notice will be decided by poll. The results of the poll will be published on the websites of the Stock Exchange and the Company.

RECOMMENDATION

The Directors consider that the proposed ordinary resolutions for approval of the ordinary business of the Company and the proposed special resolutions for approval of the grant of general mandate to allot, issue or otherwise deal with shares up to 20% of the aggregate nominal amount of the Company's issued share capital as at the date of passing of such resolution are in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole, and accordingly, recommend all Shareholders to vote in favour of all the resolutions set out in the AGM Notice.

Yours faithfully,
For and on behalf of the Board
Lingbao Gold Company Ltd.
Jin Guangcai
Chairman

The following is the particulars of the Director (as required by the Listing Rules) to be re-elected at the AGM.

INDEPENDENT NON EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Mr. Wang Guanghua

Mr. Wang, aged 64, graduated from Beijing Institute of Chemical Technology (renamed Beijing University of Chemical Technology in 1994) majoring in chemical engineering in July 1974. He worked in Beijing Polyester Fiber Factory as technician from August 1974 to December 1978. Later he served as an engineer in the Comprehensive Planning Bureau of the State Administration of Medicine and chief of the Planning Division, as well as director of the World Bank Credit Office from December 1978 to April 1995. He worked in Chengcheng Import & Export Company of China Tiancheng Group as deputy general manager from May 1995 to December 2005 and worked in New Era New Materials Development Company of China New Era Group Corporation as general manager from January 2006 to February 2012. He served as partner of Elevation China Capital from March 2012 to August 2014 and served as chairman of Ningxia Jiecheng Investment and Management Company Limited and executive partner of Ningxia Jiecheng Venture Capital Fund, which was approved to establish and funded by National Development and Reform Commission and Ministry of Finance from March 2014 to November 2015. Currently he serves as chairman of Nanjing Jingtaiheng Investment and Management Company Limited since July 2015 and is in charge of Nanjing Jingyong Healthcare Venture Capital Fund, which was funded by Zijin Group, a financial platform of Nanjing Municipal People's Government. Mr. Wang has more than 30 years of working experience in investment, government affairs and business operation and management.

As at the date of this announcement, Mr. Wang does not have any interest in the shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Cap. 571 Laws of Hong Kong).

As at the date of this announcement, save as disclosed herein, Mr. Wang (i) has no other relationship with any directors, senior management, substantial shareholders or controlling shareholders of the Company; (ii) does not currently, nor did he in the past three years, held any directorship in other listed public companies; and (iii) does not hold any other positions with the Company. The emolument of Mr. Wang will be determine by the remuneration committee of the Company with reference to the level of responsibility, experience, the Company's performance and the market situation.

Other than those disclosed above, there are no other matters concerning Mr. Wang that need to be brought to the attention of the shareholders of the Company nor any information to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements of Rule 13.51(2) of the Listing Rules.

If Mr. Wang is appointed as the Directors, he will enter into a service contract with the Company and to hold office until the expiry of the term of 5th session of the Board.



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Lingbao Gold Company Ltd.

靈寶黃金股份有限公司

(A joint stock limited company incorporated in the People's Republic of China) (Stock code: 3330)

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting ("AGM") of Lingbao Gold Company Ltd. ("Company") for the year ended 31 December 2015 will be held at the office of the Company at Hangu Road and Jingshan Road Intersection, Lingbao, Henan, the People's Republic of China ("PRC") on Tuesday, 7 June 2016 at 9:00 a.m. for the purposes of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolutions:

I. AS ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

- 1. To consider and approve the report of the board of directors of the Company ("Board") for the year 2015;
- 2. To consider and approve report of the supervisory committee of the Company for the year 2015;
- 3. To consider and approve the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries and the auditors' report for the year ended 31 December 2015;
- 4 To re-elect Mr. Wang Guanghua as independent non-executive director;
- 5. To consider and approve the remuneration of the directors and supervisors of the Company for the year 2015;
- 6. To re-appoint KPMG as the Company's international auditors and KPMG Huazhen LLP as the Company's PRC auditors and to authorise the Board to fix their remuneration;
- 7. To consider and approve any motion proposed by any shareholders of the Company holding 5% or more of the shares with voting rights at such meeting, if any.

II. AS SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS

1. To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following as special resolution:

"THAT:

- (1) There be granted to the Board an unconditional general mandate ("General Mandate") to issue, allot and deal with additional shares in the capital of the Company (whether Domestic Shares or H Shares) and to make or grant offers or agreements in respect thereof, subject to the following conditions:
 - (a) such mandate shall not extend beyond the Relevant Period save that the Board may during the Relevant Period make or grant offers or agreements which might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
 - (b) the aggregate nominal amount of shares allotted, issued and dealt with or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the Board otherwise than pursuant to a Rights Issue or any scrip dividends or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on shares or any share option scheme adopted by the Company in accordance with the articles of association of the Company ("Articles of Association"), shall not exceed:
 - i. 20 per cent of the aggregate amount of Domestic Shares of the Company in issue; and
 - ii. 20 per cent of the aggregate nominal amount of H Shares of the Company in issue,

in each case as at the date of passing of this resolution; and

(c) the Board will only exercise its power under such mandate in accordance with the Company Law of the PRC and the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (as the same may be amended from time to time) and only if all necessary approvals from the China Securities Regulatory Commission and/or other relevant PRC government authorities are obtained.

For the purposes of this resolution:

"Domestic Share(s)" mean the ordinary domestic share(s) with a nominal value of RMB0.20 each in the registered share capital of the Company which were subscribed for in RMB;

"H Shares" mean the overseas listed foreign invested shares with a nominal value of RMB0.20 each in the registered share capital of the Company, which are listed on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and subscribed for and traded in Hong Kong dollars;

"Relevant Period" means the period from the date of passing this resolution until the earliest of:

- (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company following the passing of this resolution; or
- (b) the expiry date of the 12-month period following the passing of this resolution; or
- (c) the passing of a special resolution of the Company in a general meeting revoking or varying the authority set out in this resolution.

"Rights Issue" means an offer of shares open for a period fixed by the directors to holders of shares on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the directors may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of any recognized regulatory body or any stock exchange in any territory outside Hong Kong) and an offer, allotment or issue of shares by way of rights shall be construed accordingly.

- (2) contingent on the Board resolving to issue shares pursuant to paragraph(1) of this resolution, the Board be authorised:
 - (a) to approve, execute and do, or procure to be executed and done all such documents, deeds and matters which it may consider necessary in connection with the issue of such new shares, including but not limited to the time, quantity and place for such issue, to make all necessary applications to the relevant authorities, and to enter into underwriting agreement(s) or any other agreement(s);
 - (b) to determine the use of proceeds and to make necessary filings and registration with the relevant authorities in the PRC, and/or Hong Kong and any other places and jurisdictions (as appropriate);

(c) to increase the registered capital of the Company and make any amendments to the Articles of Association in accordance with such increase and to register the increased capital with the relevant authorities in the PRC and/or Hong Kong and any other places and jurisdictions (as appropriate) so as to reflect the new capital and/or share capital structure of the Company resulting from the intended allotment and issue of the shares of the Company pursuant to paragraph (1) of this resolution."

By order of the Board
Lingbao Gold Company Ltd.
Jin Guangcai
Chairman

Lingbao, Henan, the PRC

22 April 2016

Notes:

- 1 The register of members of the Company will be closed from Monday, 9 May 2016 to Tuesday, 7 June 2016, (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares will be registered. In order for the shareholders to qualify for attending the forthcoming annual general meeting, all transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's H shares registrar in Hong Kong, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shop 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong (for holders of H shares) or the registered office address of the Company at Hangu Road and Jingshan Road Intersection, Lingbao, Henan, the PRC (for holders of domestic shares), no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 6 May 2016.
- 2. Holders of Domestic Shares and H Shares whose names appear on the register of members of the Company at the close of business on Monday, 9 May 2016 are entitled to attend and vote at the AGM and may appoint one or more proxies to attend and, in the event of a poll, vote on their behalves. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- 3. In order to be valid, the proxy form must be deposited by hand or post, for holders of H Share of the Company, to the H Share registrar of the Company, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, Shop 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong and, for holders of domestic shares of the Company, to the registered address of the Company not less than 24 hours before the time for holding the meeting or any adjournment thereof. If the proxy form is signed by a person under a power of attorney or other authority, a notarially certified copy of that power of attorney or authority shall be deposited at the same time as mentioned in the proxy form.
- 4. Shareholders or their proxies shall produce their identity documents when attending the meeting.
- 5. Shareholder who intend to attend the AGM should complete and return the reply slip and return it by hand or by post to the share registrar of the Company (for holders of H Share) or to the registered office address of the Company (for holders of domestic shares) on or before Wednesday, 18 May 2016.
- 6. The registered office address of the Company is as follows: Xin Village

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- 7. The AGM is expected to take half a day. Shareholders attending the AGM shall be responsible for their own travel and accommodation expenses.
- The Board confirms that there is no other matter which should be brought to the attention of the shareholders.
- 9. All resolutions as set out above will be determined by way of poll.
- 10. As at the date of this notice, the Board comprises six executive directors, namely Jin Guangcai, Qiang Shanfeng, Ji Wanxia, Xing Jiangze, Zhang Guo and Zhou Yudao; one non-executive director, namely Shi Yuchen; and four independent non-executive directors, namely Yang Dongsheng, Han Qinchun, Wang Jiheng and Wang Guanghua.