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# **Company Update**

Kogi Iron Limited (ASX: KFE) ("Kogi", "Kogi Iron" or the "Company") and its 100% owned Nigerian operating company, KCM Mining Limited ("KCM") are pleased to provide an update to shareholders in respect of the Company.

The Company has previously advised that it has been actively pursuing a value realisation process for its 100% owned Agbaja iron ore project in Nigeria ("Agbaja Project").

On 3 June 2015, Kogi advised shareholders it had received an incomplete, confidential and non-binding offer to purchase KCM, holder of the Agbaja Project, and that it was the Board's view at the time that a binding transaction was unlikely to result.

Since this time the Company has worked closely with the relevant counterparty with the objective of securing an offer capable of being put to Kogi shareholders, which reflected fair value for the Agbaja Project.

Based on recent discussions and notice received from the counterparty, Kogi now advises that the counterparty has decided not to proceed with the transaction at this time. As a result, The Board intends to review the alternatives for the Company, which includes further technical and economic studies, taking further costs out of the business and pursuing other sale and/or joint development opportunities.

The Company will continue to keep shareholders informed of any further developments.

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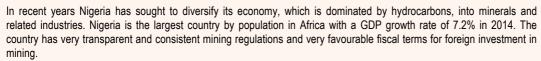
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## About Kogi Iron (ASX: KFE)

Kogi Iron Limited is a Perth-based company which owns 100% of the Agbaja iron ore project located in Kogi State, Republic of Nigeria, West Africa ("Agbaja" or "Agbaja Project"). The Company has completed a Preliminary Feasibility Study which determined that the development and operation of a mine and processing plant at Agbaja to produce 5 Mtpa of iron ore concentrate is technically feasible, economically viable and socially and environmentally acceptable. Concentrate from Agbaja is initially proposed to be transported via river barge along the Niger River to the Gulf of Guinea and world export markets. The Company will continue to advance access and usage agreements for an existing underutilised heavy haulage railway that runs from near the Agbaja Project to Port Warri. This existing railway remains an important part of a longer term transport solution for an expanded production profile.





The Company holds a land position of approximately 400km<sup>2</sup> covering 16 tenements, with the main focus being EL12124 which covers a large part of the Agbaja Plateau. The Agbaja Plateau hosts an extensive, shallow, flat-lying channel iron deposit with an Indicated and Inferred Mineral Resource of 586 million tonnes with an in-situ iron grade of 41.3% reported in accordance with the JORC Code (2012). This mineral resource covers approximately 20% of the prospective plateau area within EL12124.

#### Forward-looking Statements

This announcement contains forward-looking statements which are identified by words such as 'anticipates', 'forecasts', 'may', 'will', 'could', 'believes', 'estimates', 'targets', 'expects', 'plan' or 'intends' and other similar words that involve risks and uncertainties. Indications of, and guidelines or outlook on, future earnings, distributions or financial position or performance and targets, estimates and assumptions in respect of production, prices, operating costs, results, capital expenditures, reserves and resources are also forward looking statements. These statements are based on an assessment of present economic and operating conditions, and on a number of assumptions and estimates regarding future events and actions that, while considered reasonable as at the date of this announcement and are expected to take place, are inherently subject to significant technical, business, economic, competitive, political and social uncertainties and contingencies. Such forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties, assumptions and other important factors, many of which are beyond the control of our Company, the Directors and management. We cannot and do not give any assurance that the results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements contained in this announcement will actually occur and readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements. These forward looking statements are subject to various risk factors that could cause actual events or results to differ materially from the events or results estimated, expressed or anticipated in these statements.

#### **Competent Persons' Statements**

The information in this announcement that relates to Mineral Resources at Agbaja is extracted from the ASX announcement entitled "Mineral Resources at Agbaja Increase 20% to 586MT includes an Indicated Resource of 466MT" and is available to view on <a href="www.kogiiron.com">www.kogiiron.com</a>. The Company confirms that it is not aware of any information or data that materially affects the information included in the original market announcement and, in the case of estimated Mineral Resources or Ore Reserves, that all material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the estimates in the relevant market announcement continue to apply and have not materially changed. The Company confirms that the form and context in which the Competent Person's findings are presented have not been materially modified from the original market announcement.