

## NOTIFICATION LETTER 通知信函

26 April 2010

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Yours faithfully,  
For and on behalf of  
**Industrial and Commercial Bank of China Limited**  
Gu Shu  
Company Secretary

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