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New Market Member joins globalCOAL

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Peabody COALTRADE Asia Pte. Ltd. is the latest company to join the globalCOAL trading platform.

While Peabody Coaltrade International Limited, a UK subsidiary, is an established globalCOAL Market Member, now Peabody's Asian entity is joining the globalCOAL community as they expand their operations in the Asia Pacific area.

Peabody is one of the largest coal producers in the world and has a vast global presence serving customers in nearly 30 countries.

"I am pleased to welcome Peabody COALTRADE Asia Pte. Ltd. as a globalCOAL market member" said Eoghan Cunningham, globalCOAL CEO. "Their decision to join the growing ranks of Asian members is further proof of just how influential the Pacific Asian market has become".

About globalCOAL®

globalCOAL was founded by leading members of the world coal industry to promote screen trading of standardised coal products. The company has developed the world's leading electronic marketplace for thermal coal, as well as a range of standardised coal quality specifications, a Standard Coal Trading Agreement (SCoTA®), and robust methodology for coal price index calculation. globalCOAL is also cooperating with leading energy exchange ICE Futures Europe to develop the coal Futures market. For more information, please visit www.globalcoal.com

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