## ANNOUNCEMENT ON APPOINTMENT OF ADDITIONAL COMPANY SECRETARY

The Board of Directors of The Straits Trading Company Limited is pleased to announce the appointment of Ms Sng Kiat Huang as an additional Secretary of the Company with effect from 8 March 2010.

Submitted by Maureen Leong (Mrs) Secretary

The Straits Trading Company Limited (Registration No. 188700008D) on 9/3/2010 to the SGX

This Announcement will be available at the Company's website at <a href="http://www.stc.com.sg/">http://www.stc.com.sg/</a>

## **About The Straits Trading Company Limited**

One of the oldest listed public companies in Singapore since 1887, The Straits Trading Company Limited has business interests and investments spanning the Asia Pacific region. Through its listed subsidiary on Bursa Malaysia, Malaysia Smelting Corporation Berhad, Straits Trading engages in tin mining and smelting, and resource investments. Its subsidiary Straits Developments Private Limited is in the property business, which includes property investments, development and management primarily in Singapore and Malaysia. Its hotel business is driven by its subsidiary Rendezvous Hospitality Group Private Limited, which owns, operates and manages its stable of hotels in the Asia Pacific region under the Rendezvous and Marque brands. It also holds a significant stake in WBL Corporation, a technology, automotive distribution, property development, and engineering and distribution company listed on the SGX Main Board.