Date of Release of Financial Statements for the First Quarter Ended 31 March 2010

The Straits Trading Company Limited ('Company') wishes to inform that the Company will be releasing the unaudited financial statements of the Company and of the Group for the first quarter ended 31 March 2010, on 13 May 2010 on SGXNET, as well as on the Company's website at http://www.stc.com.sg.

Submitted by Sng Kiat Huang (Ms) Secretary Dated: 28 April 2010

This Announcement will be available at the Company's website at http://www.stc.com.sg/

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.