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### POSITIVE PROFIT ALERT

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# I. Estimated results of the period:

- 1. Period to which the estimated results apply: 1 January 2015 to 30 June 2015.
- 2. Estimated results: the Company preliminarily estimated the interim results of 2015 in accordance with the "China Accounting Standards for Business Enterprises" and expects to turn losses into profits for the first half of 2015 as compared with the corresponding period in the previous year and the net profits attributable to equity holders of the Company for the first half of 2015 is expected to be RMB 3.4 billion to RMB3.6 billion.
- 3. The estimated results have not yet been audited.

# II. Results for the corresponding period in the previous year:

- 1. Net profit attributable to equity holders of the Company: RMB -1.018 billion.
- 2. Earnings per share: RMB -0.10.

# III. Reasons for estimated profit in the results:

During the first half of 2015, the demand of civil aviation transportation market showed a strong trend, and the operating revenue of the Company recorded an increase as compared with the corresponding period in the previous year. The fluctuation of the international crude oil price at a lower level has substantially decreased our cost of jet fuel price. The Company has improved its cost control capability, and our cost decreased as compared with the corresponding period in the previous year with the substantial increase in our profit margin.

# IV. Other matters

The above estimated results are only the preliminary estimation. The specific and accurate financial figures will be disclosed in the unaudited 2015 interim report to be published by the Company. Investors are reminded to consider the risks involved in making investment decisions.

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By order of the Board China Southern Airlines Company Limited Xie Bing and Liu Wei

As at the date of this notice, the Directors include Si Xian Min, Yuan Xin An and Yang Li Hua as nonexecutive Directors, Tan Wan Geng, Zhang Zi Fang and Li Shao Bin as executive Directors; and Ning Xiang Dong, Liu Chang Le, Tan Jin Song, Guo Wei and Jiao Shu Ge as independent non-executive Directors.