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**Central Asia Gold AB (publ)**

**Central Asia Gold AB (publ) changes name to Auriant Mining AB (publ)**

Central Asia Gold AB (publ) ("CAG" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that following the passing of the resolution to change the name of the Company at the General Meeting held on 24 May 2012, the Company's name has been changed to Auriant Mining AB. The Company will begin trading under its new name Auriant Mining AB and new short name AUR on 25 June 2012.

New company name: Auriant Mining AB

New short name: AUR

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Central Asia Gold AB is a Swedish mining company focused on gold production and exploration in Russia in the central parts of Asia. In 2011, totally 410 kg of gold was produced. As of the beginning of April 2012, the company's assets were estimated to encompass some 1,000,000 oz of C1/ C2 Russian gold reserves (around 32 tons).

Since July 19, 2010, Central Asia Gold's shares are traded on First North Premier at the NASDAQ OMX Nordic Exchange under the short name CAG. For more information please visit [www.centralasiagold.se](http://www.centralasiagold.se). Mangold Fondkommission is Certified Adviser to CAG, for more information please call +46 8 503 015 50 or visit [www.mangold.se](http://www.mangold.se).

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