



## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

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### **Eurasian Natural Resources Corporation (ENRC)**

#### **ENRC Logistics Employee Awarded by the Ministry of Transport and Communications.**

Eurasian Natural Resources Corporation (ENRC), Kazakhstan's leading integrated natural resources group, today announces that on 28 September 07, Ms. Larisa Smirnova, CEO of TransSistema, a subsidiary of ENRC Logistics, was given an award by the Ministry of Transport and Communications of the Republic of Kazakhstan for her outstanding achievements in the logistics business.

The awards ceremony took place in conjunction with the First International Conference "Logistics Business in Kazakhstan: Problems and Opportunities for Development".

ENRC, one of the leaders in Kazakhstan's transport and logistics industry, was one of the Sponsors of the conference, which became a key platform for discussions of strategic development of the transport & logistics industry of Kazakhstan. Representatives of international logistics associations, heads of leading transport companies and other industry players discussed current industry issues, announced new projects and identified the development directions of the industry.

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### **About ENRC**

ENRC is Kazakhstan's leading diversified natural resources group, with annual sales in excess of US\$3.0 billion and over 60,000 employees. The group is a significant contributor to Kazakhstan's GDP and is the country's chief energy provider. It also owns a quarter of global chromium reserves, and is the world's third largest producer of ferroalloys, and the supplier of two-fifths of the world's gallium.

The group's eight constituent operating companies in mining, processing, energy, transport, marketing and sales are:

- Kazchrome, an extractor of chrome ore and producer of ferroalloys
- Aluminium of Kazakhstan, an extractor of bauxite and producer of alumina
- KAS, state-of-the-art Aluminium Smelter
- Zhairam GOK, an extractor of manganese ore and supplier of manganese and ferromanganese concentrates
- Sokolov-Sarbai Mining Production Association, an extractor and processor of iron ore
- Eurasian Energy Corporation, a coal miner, electricity producer and power equipment repair and maintenance company
- ENRC Marketing, exclusive supplier of group products to customers
- ENRC Logistics, a logistics supplier to group companies and other customers



**About ENRC Logistics:**

ENRC Logistics is Kazakhstan's leading international freight forwarder and one of the country's major railroad operators with transportation volumes of 60m tons per year. ENRC Logistics consists of the following transport companies:

- *TransSistema LLP*. - one of the biggest transport operator in Central Asia offering a wide range of logistics services (including all kinds of cargo transportation, custom procedures etc.);
- *TransKom LLP*. - a railroad operator with more than 5,000 units of rolling equipment;
- *Universal-Service LLP*. - a transportation center, located at the Dostyk frontier railroad station and intended for the overload of loose goods for the metallurgical industry;
- *TransRemVagon LLP*. – a maintenance and repair company for servicing broad gage goods wagons;
- *Bereke 2004 LLP*. - a maintenance and repair company for servicing locomotive and road vehicles;
- *Zhol Zhondeushy LLP*. – a railroad repair company which also specialises in construction of new railway lines.