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**(Stock Code: 3983)**

## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

### **RESUMPTION OF OPERATION OF CNOOC TIANYE UREA PLANT**

This announcement is made by China BlueChemical Ltd. (the “**Company**”, together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) pursuant to Rule 13.09 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and Inside Information Provisions under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Cap. 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

Reference is made to the announcement dated 20 January 2017 of the Company in relation to, among others, the suspension of operation of the CNOOC Tianye urea plant located in Hohhot, Inner Mongolia of the PRC (“**CNOOC Tianye urea plant**”) due to the extremely low selling prices in the urea market upon the completion of the scheduled maintenance in August 2016 and gas supply shortage in winter. CNOOC Tianye urea plant resumed operation on 24 March 2017 and currently is operating stably.

By order of the Board  
**China BlueChemical Ltd.\***  
**QUAN Changsheng**  
*Company Secretary*

Hong Kong, the People's Republic of China, 28 March 2017

*As at the date of this announcement, the executive Director is Mr. Xia Qinglong, the non-executive Directors are Mr. Chen Bi, Mr. Xie Weizhi and Mr. Guo Xinjun and the independent non-executive Directors are Ms. Lee Kit Ying, Mr. Lee Kwan Hung and Mr. Yu Changchun.*

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