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Central Asia Gold AB publishes the Annual Report for 2010

The annual report can be downloaded from the company's website: www.centralasiagold.se

In connection with the publication of the annual report the company would like to inform about some differences between the annual report and previously published interim report for the twelve-month period January-December 2010. The net income in the annual report is increased to 7,688 TSEK (from 3,894 TSEK in the previously published interim report), equivalent to 1.58 SEK per share (from 0.83 SEK per share in the previously published interim report).

The production forecast after commissioning of the new Tardan plant remains unchanged with a annual gold production capacity of approximately 2 000 kg. Due to delays in the granting of the cyanide permit at Tardan plant the estimated gold production for 2011 has been adjusted to 1 400-1 600 kg.

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