



## Minera IRL Limited - Press Release

### Holdings in Company

London: 1 September 2008 Minera IRL Limited ("MIRL" or "the Company") announces that on 28 August 2008 it was informed that on the same day the Lima based broker, Seminario SAB, had purchased for a group of its Peruvian and foreign clients a block of 5,012,800 shares from Caystar Holdings Limited, a subsidiary of Golden Star Resources Ltd ("GSR") and one of the first investors in MIRL. Following the transaction GSR had no interest in the ordinary shares of the Company. The market transaction took place on the Lima Stock Exchange.

MIRL would like to express its appreciation for the loyal support of Golden Star Resources Ltd, over the last several years and for the original investment that assisted in launching the Company.

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