

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Depository Trust Company



#: 7057-10
Date: August 30, 2010
To: All Participants
Category: Dividends
From: International Services
Attention: Operations, Reorg & Dividend Managers, Partners & Cashiers
Subject: Depository Fees Notification
NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF FEES
Mechel OAO & Preferred
CUSIP: 583840103 & 583840509
Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas

The Depository Trust Company has received from Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, the attached information regarding depository fees. Charges will be processed through the billing statement on the seventh business day of the following month.

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Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas

Trust & Securities Services
Global Equity Services

DEPOSITARY RECEIPTS

To: Holders of American Depositary Receipts (ADRs)
Issued in respect of equity shares of Mechel OAO

Cusip: 583840103

ISIN: US5838401033

Please be advised that pursuant to the Deposit Agreements, dated as of July 27, 2004, as amended, by and among Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, as Depositary and all registered and beneficial holders of ADRs issued thereunder, and relating to the American Depositary Receipts ("ADRs") issued thereunder in respect of equity shares of Mechel OAO, the Depositary hereby announces that it has established September 24, 2010 as the record date for determining the persons and/or entities liable for the US\$0.02 per outstanding ADR for the operation and maintenance costs associated with the administration of the ADRs.

In connection therewith, Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas hereby confirms that the Record Date of September 24, 2010 announced on August 24, 2010 has been cancelled.

Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas
As Depositary
August 31, 2010

Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas

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Global Equity Services

DEPOSITARY RECEIPTS

To: Holders of American Depositary Receipts (ADRs)
Issued in respect of equity shares of Mechel OAO Preferred

Cusip: 583840509
ISIN: US5838405091

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Deutsche Bank (the "Depositary") hereby represents and warrants to The Depositary Trust Company ("DTC") that it may collect and receive, pursuant to the terms and

conditions of the Deposit Agreement, dated as of July 27, 2004, as amended, by and among Mechel Steel Group OAO, Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, as Depositary (the "Depositary"), an annual Inspection fee per ADR share in accordance with the table below (the "Representation"):

Depositary	DTC #	Security Name	CUSIP	Security Type	Fee	Record Date	Billing Period
Deutsche Bank	2655	Mechel	583840103	ADR	0.01	09/24/10	2010

The Depositary hereby instructs DTC to collect and pass-through such fee(s) to the Depositary (the "Instruction").

Depositary hereby agrees to indemnify and defend DTC and its respective officers, directors, employees, agents and attorneys (the "Indemnities") from and against, and hold the Indemnities harmless from, any and all Losses¹ and/or Legal Actions² suffered or incurred by the Indemnities resulting from, relating to, arising out of, or in connection with the Representation and/or the Instruction.

¹ "Losses" means and includes all losses, liabilities, damages, judgments, payments, litigations, costs and expenses (including without limitation any costs of investigation and legal fees and expenses incurred), regardless of whether or not any liability, payment, obligation or judgment is ultimately imposed against the Indemnities.

² "Legal Action" means and includes any claim, counterclaim, demand, action, suit, counterclaim, arbitration, inquiry, proceeding or investigation before any federal, state or foreign court or other tribunal, or any investigative or regulatory agency or SRO.

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