

Santiago, Chile, June 6, 2014 – We inform you that today the Board of Directors of Sociedad Química y Minera de Chile S.A. (SQM or the Company), met today in an extraordinary Board meeting to discuss the following:

- Partially modify the current "Dividend Policy for the 2014 fiscal year" that was approved at the Company's Annual General Shareholder meeting that took place on April 25, 2014, with the essential purpose of incorporating in said "Policy" an eventual dividend payment of US\$230 million – equivalent to approximately US\$0.87387 per share. This dividend will be distributed during 2014 and charged to SQM's retained earnings.
- 2. To convene an Extraordinary General Shareholder meeting at 10:00am on July 7, 2014, with the purpose of presenting the dividend payment presented above.

We notify the above to you as an essential fact pursuant to that established for this purpose in Articles 9 and 10, second paragraph, of Chilean Law N°18,045.

Additionally, it conforms to what was indicated in the "SQM Dividend Policy for the 2014 Fiscal Year" and in the circulars 660,687, and 1,062 and in the general law number 30 of the SVS.



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