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## CR GAS RANKED THIRD FASTEST GROWING ENERGY COMPANY IN ASIA

China Resources Gas Group Limited ("CR Gas" or the "Group", stock code: 1193) has been recently enlisted among 2013 Platts Top 250 Global Energy Companies Rankings® ("Platts Top 250") and ranked the third fastest growing energy company in Asia.

Platts Top 250 recognises the remarkable financial performance of publicly held energy companies, with rankings based on four metrics: asset worth, revenues, profits and return on invested capital. The list also ranks companies by industry sector and region, and names the 20 fastest-growing companies in Asia, which is based on each company's compounded revenue growth over a three-year period.

"We are honoured to be among the top three fastest growing energy companies in Asia. The award is definitely a recognition of the Group's efforts in enhancing its business growth as well as financial performance. We will continue to strive to become the most respected and leading city gas distribution company in the PRC," said Mr Ken Ong, Executive Director and Chief Financial Officer of CR Gas, at the annual Platts Top 250 Asia Awards Dinner held recently in Singapore.

The Group's revenue for 2012 fiscal year amounted to HK\$19,591 million, with a profit attributable to the Company's equity holders of HK\$ 1,651 million.

As at 30 June 2013, the Group operated 159 city gas projects in 20 provinces, including 11 provincial capitals and 3 direct administrative municipalities with gross gas sales volume of some 6.25 billion m<sup>3</sup> for the six months ended 30 June 2013.

## About CR Gas

CR Gas is principally engaged in downstream city gas distribution business including piped natural gas distribution and natural gas filling stations operation. Its operations are strategically located in areas of China which are economically more developed and densely populated and areas with rich reserves of natural gas. CR Gas aspires to become a respected market leader in downstream city gas distribution business in China.

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