

China Cord Blood Corporation Announces Receipt of Non-Binding Acquisition Proposal

HONG KONG, China, August 6, 2015 — China Cord Blood Corporation (NYSE: CO) ("CCBC" or the "Company"), China's leading provider of cord blood collection, laboratory testing, hematopoietic stem cell processing and stem cell storage services, today announced that its board of directors has received a non-binding acquisition proposal letter from Nanjing Xinjiekou Department Store Co., Ltd. (the "Potential Acquirer"), pursuant to which the Potential Acquirer offered to acquire all the Company's China business, including all of the Company's equity interests in its China subsidiaries and its assets and resources relating to its business in China (the "Proposal"). The purchase price offered is not lower than RMB6.0 billion, to be paid in cash or shares or a combination thereof.

The special committee of the Company's board of directors, in consultation with its legal and financial advisors, will carefully review and evaluate the Proposal. The Company cautions its shareholders and others considering trading its ordinary shares that no decisions have been made with respect to the Company's response to the Proposal. There can be no assurance that any agreement will be executed or that this or any other transaction will be approved or consummated.

About China Cord Blood Corporation

China Cord Blood Corporation is the first and largest umbilical cord blood banking operator in China in terms of geographical coverage and the only cord blood banking operator with multiple licenses. Under current PRC government regulations, only one licensed cord blood banking operator is permitted to operate in each licensed region and only seven licenses have been authorized as of today. China Cord Blood Corporation provides cord blood collection, laboratory testing, hematopoietic stem cell processing and stem cell storage services. For more information, please visit our website at http://www.chinacordbloodcorp.com.

Safe Harbor Statement

This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. These statements relate to future events or the Company's future financial performance. The Company has attempted to identify forward-looking statements by terminology including "anticipates", "believes", "expects", "can", "continue", "could", "estimates", "intends", "may", "plans", "potential", "predict", "should" or "will" or the negative of these terms or other comparable terminology. These statements are only predictions, uncertainties and other factors may cause the Company's actual results, levels of activity, performance or achievements to be materially different from any future results, levels of activity, performance or achievements expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements. The information in this press release is not intended to project future performance of the Company. Although the Company believes that the expectations reflected in the forward-looking statements are reasonable, the Company does not guarantee future results, levels of activity, performance or achievements. The Company expectations are as of the date this press release is issued, and the Company does not intend to update any of the forward-looking statements after the date this press release is issued to conform these statements to actual results, unless required by law.

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