

Ploče, Trg kralja Tomislava 21

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## **ZAGREB STOCK EXCHANGE**

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Subject: Response in concern to the publication of article "The silo in Ploče port returned to Aluminij (Mostar)," released on November 02<sup>nd</sup> 2011. in Privredni Vjesnik.

Dear Sirs,

In the article published on November 02<sup>nd</sup> 2011. in Privredni Vjesnik, it is not clear who could have return the ownership of the silo for alumina loading to Aluminij dd Mostar, because the silo is built in the maritime domain, which is the public property, whereon the right of ownership may not be acquired, but only the right of usage.

Luka Ploče d.d. is the concessionaire for the entire built-up area - the existing port, and has acquired the right to carry out port activities and all other economic activities in that area until August 13<sup>th</sup> 2037., pursuant to the Agreement on extension of the Priority Concession (built-up area - the existing port) of May 24th 2010.

Luka Ploče d.d. has an exclusive concession for the port area to carry out port activities (loading, unloading, handling and storing of cargoes) and the use of existing built infrastructure and superstructure.

Sincerely,

Capt. Ivan Pavlo

Director: