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Media release

Ad hoc publicity: The SIX Swiss Exchange Ltd. initiates investigation against Global Natural Resources Holding AG

The SIX Swiss Exchange Ltd. has initiated an investigation against Global Natural Resources Holding AG regarding a possible violation of Art. 72 of the Listing Rules, the Directive on Ad hoc Publicity and further provisions contained in the Listing Rules. The investigation being carried out by the SIX Swiss Exchange Ltd. is in connection with the publication of the 2008 semi-annual report and the related media release dated 29 September 2008. The duration of these investigative proceedings has not been determined. The SIX Swiss Exchange Ltd. will release information on the findings of the investigation at the given time although no information will be provided while the proceedings are ongoing.

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