

Press Release

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UM withdraws from TCI copper project

Thai Copper Industries Public Company Limited (TCI) and the Union Minière Group (UM) have mutually agreed to cancel all previous obligations and agreements between TCI on the one hand, and Union Minière and Sogem on the other hand.

As of December 6, 1996 Union Minière is no longer a shareholder of TCI.

Existing shareholders of Thai Copper Industries have taken up UM's 10% stake in TCI.

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