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# Gross Generation and Net Generation of China Power Increased by 60.55% and 58.59% in the first half of 2006 compared with the corresponding period of 2005

China Power International Development Limited (the "Company", Stock Code: 2380) today announced its gross generation and net generation for the six months ended 30 June 2006.

According to its preliminary statistics, the consolidated gross generation of the power plants of the Company (excluding the power plant of its associated company) for the six months ended 30 June 2006 amounted to 11,884,930MWh, representing an increase of 60.55% compared with the same period of last year. Consolidated net generation was 10,988,071MWh, representing an increase of 58.59% compared with the same period of last year.

The increase in the gross generation of the Company for the first half of 2006 was mainly attributable to (1) the acquisition of Shentou I Power Plant and technical upgrades in the first quarter of 2005, as a result of which total installed capacity of the Company increased by 1,260MW compared with the same period of last year; (2) the strong demand for electricity in regions where the power plants of the Company are located; (3) the strengthened management of the production and improved operating conditions of the power generation units. The decrease in the gross generation of the Company for the second quarter of 2006 over the same period of 2005 was mainly attributable to the repair and maintenance work of power plants that were mostly scheduled in the second quarter of the year.

# The respective gross generation of the power plants of the Company and its associated company for the six months ended 30 June 2006 was as follows:

	First half of 2006	First half of 2005	Changas
	(MWh)	(MWh)	<u>Changes</u>
Power plants of the Company			
Pingwei Power Plant	3,842,640	3,777,960	1.71%
Yaomeng Power Plant	3,982,220	3,624,856	9.86%
Shentou I Power Plant	4,060,070	N/A	N/A
Sub-total	11,884,930	7,402,816	60.55%
Power plant of the associated company	7_		
Changshu Power Plant	3,205,540	3,617,660	-11.39%



The respective gross generation of the power plants of the Company and its associated company for the second quarter ended 30 June 2006 was as follows:

	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter of 2006	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter of 2005	Chaman
	(MWh)	(MWh)	<u>Changes</u>
Power plants of the Company			
Pingwei Power Plant	1,964,960	2,008,110	-2.15%
Yaomeng Power Plant	1,757,880	1,888,279	-6.91%
Shentou I Power Plant	2,090,263	N/A	N/A
Sub-total	5,813,103	3,896,389	49.19%
Power plant of the associated company	<u>ny</u>		
Changshu Power Plant	1,661,570	2,021,620	-17.81%

## CHINA POWER INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT LIMITED

The shares of the Company have been listed on the Main Board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited since 15 October 2004. The Company is the flagship company of China Power Investment Corporation, one of the leading independent power generating groups in China, and its principal business is to develop, construct, own, manage and operate large power plants in China.

The Company had 100% ownership in three of its four high-capacity coal-fired power plants under commercial operation, namely, Pingwei Power Plant, Yaomeng Power Plant and Shentou I Power Plant, and 50% ownership in the remaining one, Changshu Power Plant. These four power plants had a total installed capacity of 4,870MW, and the installed capacity attributable to the Company's ownership in these four power plants is 4,255MW.

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