

The Depository Trust Company

IMPORTANT

B#: 3316

DATE: May 07, 2002

TO: All Participants

CATEGORY: Dividends

FROM: Nilesh Desai, Supervisor, Dividend Department

ATTENTION: Dividend Managers, Cashiers & Reorganization Managers

SUBJECT: Rights: EuroZinc Mining Corporation
Common CUSIP#: 298804105 Rights CUSIP#: 298804113
R/D: 4/22/02 Expires: 5/21/02 (4:00 p.m. Toronto time)
Rate: one right for each common share held

***** Warning Time Critical *****

EuroZinc Mining Corporation (the "Company") is issuing transferable rights (the "Rights") to its holders of its outstanding common shares of record as at the close of business on April 22, 2002 (the "Record Date").

The Depository Trust Company ("DTC") credited Rights to participants' accounts on May 6, 2002.

THE DIVIDEND POSITION AND ALLOCATION HISTORY (DPAL) OPTION, ACCESSED VIA THE PTS DIVIDEND ANNOUNCEMENTS INQUIRY (DIVA) FUNCTION, SHOULD BE USED TO CONFIRM YOUR RECORD DATE POSITION HISTORY AND PAYMENT INFORMATION.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT PARTICIPANTS REFER TO THE DTC REORGANIZATION INQUIRY FOR PARTICIPANTS (RIPS CODE 59) FOR INFORMATION REGARDING THE SUBSCRIPTION PRIVILEGE AND ANY EXTENSIONS TO THE EXPIRATION DATE. THE RIPS FUNCTION SHOULD BE AVAILABLE SHORTLY.

If participants have any questions concerning this Important Notice, please contact Mr. John Pastorino or Mr. Ray Lew of DTC's Stock Dividend Department at (212) 855-4517/4523.

If participants have any questions regarding the Rights Offering, they may contact Computershare Trust Company of Canada (the "Subscription Agent") 1-800-663-9097.