

## **Luanshya&NFC Winning the Prize of China Nonferrous Metal Industrial Technological of 2013& the Prize of Technological Management of CNMC**

On January 16, 2014, China Nonferrous Metal Mining (Group) Co., Ltd (hereinafter referred as to CNMC) held the Second Technology Conference in Beijing. We learned from the Conference that as the main researcher, Luanshya Cooper Mines Plc in Zambia has won the First Prize of China Nonferrous Metal Industrial Technological Progress of 2013 for Research on Complex Copper Oxide Hydrometallurgy and Industrialization in Muliashi Zambia and its achievement is identified as internationally leading. NFC Africa Plc in Zambia won the Scientific Management Award for its scientific management and R&D.

Previously, Chambishi Copper Smelter Limited in Zambia and NFC Africa Plc, as the main researchers, won the First Prize of China Nonferrous Metal Industrial Technological Progress of 2010 and 2011 for Innovation and Application of Copper Smelting by Isa-smelting Integration in Chambishi and Efficient and Safe Mining Techniques of Hard-to-mine Ore Body in Chambishi respectively. Moreover, NFC Africa Plc, Chambishi

Copper Smelter Limited and Luanshya Cooper Mines Plc won the Second Prize of China Nonferrous Metal Industrial Technological Progress of 2009, 2010 and 2013 for Copper Process Optimization and Its Application in Chambishi, Structure Optimization and Its Application of Copper Smelting Dry Absorption and Copper Process Optimization and Its Application in Baluba Mines of Zambia respectively, and the achievement is identified as internationally leading. All these achievements fully demonstrate that our company heavily emphasizes the role of technology in our company's development and our results.

Luo Tao, General manager of CNMC and Chairman delivered a work report of science named Sound the Trumpets of Reform, Accumulating Positive Energy for Innovation and Making Efforts to Build An Internationally Competitive World First Class Mining Group. According to the report, in 2011, CNMC had become an innovative enterprise and acquired the Technological Innovation Enterprise Prize from 2010 to 2012 by the State-owned Assets Supervision and Administration Commission of the State Council; currently, our company has been equipped with 3 national engineering research centers, 3 national enterprise technical centers, 11 provincial & nonferrous

metal engineering research centers, 5 provincial enterprise technical centers, 6 provincial and nonferrous metal key laboratories, 3 academician workstations, 5 postdoctoral research stations, 6 industry technology innovation strategies alliances, 2 academicians from the Chinese Academy of Engineering, 11 influential people in the circle of China nonferrous metal and 124 State Council experts for special allowance. All of this has provided technological support for us to join the Fortune 500.



Chairman Luo Tao is delivering a work report



Group photo of representatives from contributive companies  
who received Technological Progress Prize

The 3<sup>rd</sup> from the right in the 1<sup>st</sup> row is Mr. LuoXingeng,  
Vice-president of our company



Group photo of representatives from contributive companies  
who received Scientific Management Prize

The 3rd from the right in the 1st row is Mr. Zhang Jinjun,  
Executive Vice-president of NFC Africa Plc