

INDEX ANNOUNCEMENT**S&P Indices to remove Extract Resources Limited from the
S&P/ASX 200 Index**

March 21, 2012 – S&P Indices announced today that it will remove Extract Resources Limited (ASX: EXT) from the S&P/ASX 200, as a result of Taurus Mineral Limited's cash takeover offer being unconditional and receiving greater than 70% of acceptances.

S&P Indices will remove Extract Resources Limited from the S&P/ASX 200 after the close of trading on March 28, 2012. Extract Resources Limited will be replaced by Super Retail Group Limited (ASX: SUL) in the S&P/ASX 200 after the close of trading on March 28, 2012.

About S&P Indices

S&P Indices, a leading brand of the McGraw-Hill Companies (NYSE:MHP), maintains a wide variety of investable and benchmark indices to meet an array of investor needs. Over \$1.45 trillion is directly indexed to our indices, which includes the S&P 500, the world's most followed stock market index, the S&P/Case-Shiller Home Price Indices, the leading measure of U.S. home prices, the S&P Global BMI, an index with approximately 11,000 constituents, the S&P GSCI, the industry's most closely watched commodities index, and the S&P National AMT-Free Municipal Bond Index, the premier investable index for U.S. municipal bonds. For more information, please visit: www.standardandpoors.com/indices.

It is not possible to invest directly in an index. S&P Indices does not sponsor, endorse, sell, or promote any S&P index-based investment product. This document does not constitute an offer of services in jurisdictions where S&P Indices or its affiliates do not have the necessary licenses. S&P Indices receives compensation in connection with licensing its indices to third parties.

For more information:

Douglas Beem

Index Manager

S&P Indices

douglas_beem@standardandpoors.com

61-2-9255-9807

David Blitzer

Managing Director and Chairman of the Index Committee

S&P Indices

david_blitzer@standardandpoors.com

212-438-3908