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Dear Sirs

SembCorp Industries Ltd
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The enclosed is the announcement submitted to the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited being furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on behalf of SembCorp Industries Ltd (the "Company") pursuant to the exemption from the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act") afforded by Rule 12g3-2(b) thereunder.

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Yours faithfully



Linda Hoon Siew Kin
Group Company Secretary



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Solitaire Announcement

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ANNOUNCEMENT RE SOLITAIRE ARBITRATION

SembCorp Industries ("SCI") announces that the English High Court has, on 4 November 2004, heard the appeal of Sembawang Corporation ("Sembawang") in respect of the "Choice of Yard" ruling made by the Arbitration Tribunal in the "Solitaire" ship conversion dispute, and that the High Court has reserved its decision on the appeal.

The Tribunal had ruled in May 2004 that the owner of "Solitaire", Allseas, did not breach its contractual obligation to mitigate costs when it chose a Newcastle-upon-Tyne shipyard to complete the conversion work, rather than use another Singapore shipyard at a significantly lower cost. Sembawang then applied for permission to appeal to the High Court against the standard of mitigation applied by the Tribunal in arriving at its decision. Permission to appeal was granted by the High Court on 15 October 2004.

SCI will issue a further announcement when the High Court delivers its decision on Sembawang's appeal.