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AIM: ACU
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SHARE TRANSFER INSTRUCTIONS

LONDON, UNITED KINGDOM - African Copper plc (AIM: ACU) (BSE: AFRICAN COPPER) announces the procedure for transferring shares that were previously listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange (“TSX”). As a condition to the Zambia Copper Investments Limited (“ZCI”) equity subscription of new ordinary shares in the capital of ACU (see Press Release dated 21 May 2009) the Company has been required to delist from the TSX (see Press Release dated 20 May 2009). The shares continue to trade on AIM and on the Botswana Stock Exchange. AIM is the London Stock Exchange's international market for smaller growing companies.

Shareholders holding shares registered on the Canadian register can request to have these shares re-registered on the Company's UK or to Botswana share registers.

The cross-border process will be implemented by the Company's Transfer Agent and Registrar – Computershare Canada and Computershare UK.

For additional information on what is required to effect the share re-registration to the UK or to Botswana, please contact:

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ACU will continue to maintain a register in Canada to allow Canadian investors adequate time to have their shares re-registered to the UK or to Botswana.

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