

SOCIEDAD QUIMICA Y MINERA DE CHILE S.A.
(SQM S.A.)
Open Corporation
Securities Registry N°0184, Rol 3007

DIVIDEND PAYMENTS

FINAL DIVIDEND PAYMENT

The Board of Directors of Sociedad Quimica y Minera de Chile S.A. (SQM) hereby informs the SQM shareholders that it has agreed to submit for their approval, at the upcoming Annual General Shareholder Meeting to be held on April 26, 2016, the payment of a final dividend of US\$0. 40496 per share on the occasion of the net income obtained during the business year 2015. From such dividend, however, the amount of US\$ 0.31915 which was already paid as an interim dividend must be deducted, and the balance, then, amounts to US\$ 0.08581 per share. This shall be paid and distributed to SQM shareholders who are registered in the respective Registry by the fifth business day preceding the day on which it is to be paid.

SPECIAL DIVIDEND (*DIVIDENDO EVENTUAL*) PAYMENT

The Board of Directors informed the shareholders that it has agreed to propose, subject to the approval of SQM's shareholders at this same Annual General Shareholders' Meeting on April 26th – and after the shareholders resolve to pay the final dividend mentioned above –a special ("*dividendo eventual*") equivalent to approximately US\$0.56992 per share. This dividend will be charged to SQM's retained earnings. If this dividend payment is approved, it will be paid to those shareholders registered as such five business days before the payment of the dividend.

DATE AND DIVIDEND PAYMENT PROCESS

The final dividend and the special dividend shall be paid in its equivalent in national currency (pesos) according to the value of the "Observed Dollar" or "US Dollar" as published in the Official Gazette on April 26, 2015. This shall be carried out in the name of the corresponding shareholders, personally or through their duly authorized representatives, by means of an electronic bank draft and as of 9:00 am on Friday, May 6, 2014 at any of the Banco de Credito e Inversiones offices -Banco BCI-. Later, beginning on June 20, 2015, inclusive, such payment will be made from Monday to Friday between 9:00 am and 05:00 pm at the offices of the Depósito Central de Valores S.A. (DCV) which are located at Calle Huérfanos N°770, 22nd floor, Santiago. Notwithstanding the foregoing, SQM may deposit the appropriate quantities in the

current accounts of the Shareholders who so request in writing prior to April 26, 2015 and on the respective form which is available at the DCV offices.

At the time of collection, the Shareholders, or their duly authorized representatives, shall display their National Identity Card. The Shareholders who are represented by proxies shall grant a special power of attorney for this purpose by a notarized public deed or private instrument. Similarly, all legal agents or representatives must validly accredit that power of representation.

The Board of Directors