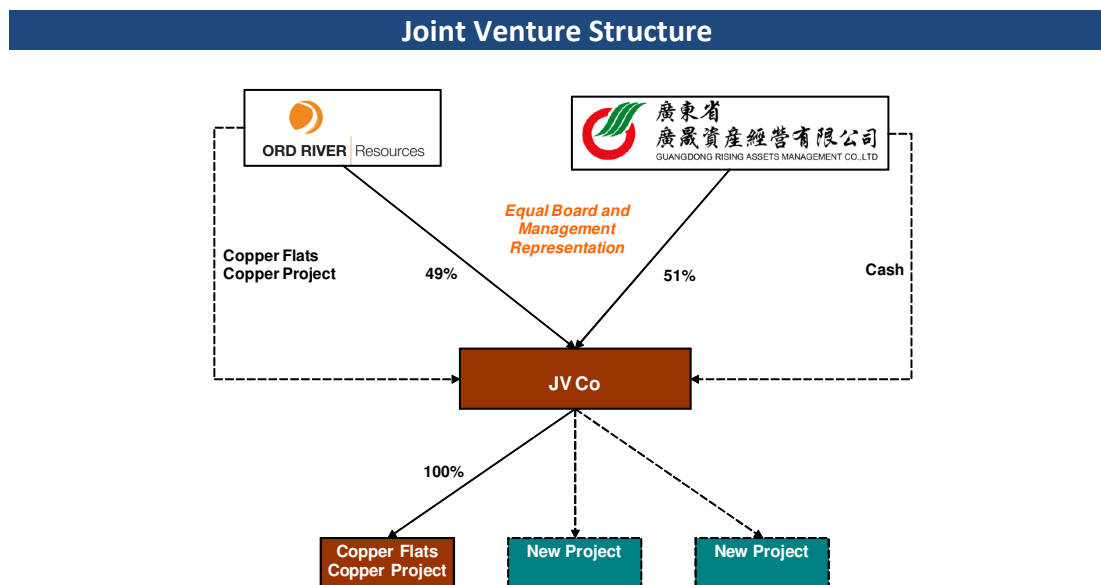


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FIRB Approved Guangdong Rising Assets Management Co., Ltd's JV with ORD

We are pleased to announce that Australian Government's Foreign Investment Review Board (FIRB) has approved Guangdong Rising Assets Management Co., Ltd's announced A\$10.8million investment in a new joint venture company with ORD to invest in ORD's Copper Flats Copper Project.



We look forward to working with GRAM to develop Copper Flats Copper Project in WA. We are now planning for a 2011 exploration program including drilling.

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