



17 February 2026

**Central Asia Metals PLC**  
(the 'Group', the 'Company' or 'CAML')

**Transaction in Own Shares**

Central Asia Metals PLC (AIM: CAML) announces that on 16 February 2026, in accordance with the terms of the share buyback programme announced on 10 September 2025 (the 'Buyback Programme'), it purchased the following number of Ordinary Shares of 0.01 each in the Company ('Ordinary Shares' or 'shares') through Peel Hunt LLP ('Peel Hunt'). The shares purchased will be cancelled and delisted from the AIM market of the London Stock Exchange ('LSE').

<b>Date of purchase</b>	<b>16 February 2026</b>
Number of Ordinary Shares purchased:	33,804
Lowest price paid per share (pence per share):	212.50
Highest price paid per share (pence per share):	215.00
Volume weighted average price paid per share (pence per share):	214.35

Following the purchases and pursuant to the cancellation thereof, the Company will have 178,092,632 Ordinary Shares of 0.01 each in issue, of which 193,325 Ordinary Shares are held in treasury.

The figure of 177,899,307 may be used by shareholders as the denominator for calculating whether they are required to notify their interest in, or a change to their interest in, the Company under the FCA's Disclosure Guidance and Transparency Rules.

**Aggregated information**

<b>Trading Venue</b>	<b>Volume-weighted average price paid per share (GBp)</b>	<b>Aggregated number of shares purchased</b>
London Stock Exchange (XLON)	214.35	33,804
Total	214.35	33,804

In accordance with Article 5(1)(b) of the UK version of Regulation (EU) No. 596/2014 which is part of UK law by virtue of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018, the tables below contain detailed information of the individual trades made by Peel Hunt as part of the Buyback Programme.

**Individual Transactions on the LSE**

<b>Number of shares purchased</b>	<b>Transaction price (pence per share)</b>	<b>Execution Venue</b>	<b>Time of transaction</b>	<b>Trade ID</b>
17,882	215.00	AIMX	09:39:38	00189244904TRLO0
7,118	215.00	AIMX	10:15:07	00189248106TRLO0
8,804	212.50	AIMX	15:42:18	00189272947TRLO0

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**Note to editors:**

Central Asia Metals, an AIM-quoted UK company based in London, owns 100% of the Kounrad SX-EW copper operation in central Kazakhstan and 100% of the Sasa zinc-lead mine in North Macedonia. The Company also owns an 80% interest in CAML Exploration, a subsidiary formed to progress early-stage exploration opportunities in Kazakhstan, and a 32.6% interest in Aberdeen Minerals Ltd, a privately-owned UK company focused on the exploration and development of base metals opportunities in northeast Scotland.

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