

Hambledon Mining plc
(the "Company")

Annual Report and Accounts

The Company announces that its annual report and accounts for the year ended 31 December 2008 will be posted to shareholders today and a copy will be available on the Company's website shortly thereafter: www.hambledon-mining.com.

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