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[For Immediate Release]

HUANENG POWER INTERNATIONAL, INC.
Unit 3 of Shanghai Combined Cycle Power Plant
Completed Trial Run

(Beijing, China, August 1, 2006) Huaneng Power International, Inc. [NYSE: HNP; HKEx: 902; SSE: 600011] (the "Company") announces that the 390MW gas-fired combined-cycle generating unit (Unit 3) of Huaneng Shanghai Combined Cycle Power Plant of Huaneng Shanghai Combined Cycle Power Co., Ltd., in which the Company owned 70% interests, completed the 168 hours trial run on July 30, 2006, signifying the completion of construction and full operation of the three gas-fired combined-cycle generating units of Shanghai Combined Cycle Power Plant. To date, the Company's total generation capacity on an equity basis has increased to 24,533MW.

Huaneng Power International, Inc. develops, constructs, operates and manages power plants in China nationwide, with a total generation capacity of 24,533MW on an equity basis. The Company wholly owns sixteen operating power plants, and has controlling interests in twelve operating power companies and minority interests in four operating power companies. Today, it is the largest listed power producer in China.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the under-signed, thereunto duly authorized.

HUANENG POWER INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By /s/ Huang Long

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Name: Huang Long

Title: Executive Director

Date: August 1, 2006