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GLOBAL DIGITAL CREATIONS HOLDINGS LIMITED

環球數碼創意控股有限公司*

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 8271)

PROPOSED GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE SHARES AND REPURCHASE SHARES, RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice of the annual general meeting (the "Meeting") is contained in this circular. Whether or not you are able to attend the Meeting, please complete and return the enclosed form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it to the Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company, Tricor Standard Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong as soon as practicable and in any event not later than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the Meeting or any adjournment thereof (as the case may be). Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the Meeting or any adjourned meeting (as the case may be) should you so wish.

This circular, for which the directors of the Company (the "Directors") collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on GEM of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Company. The Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that to the best of their knowledge and belief the information contained in this circular is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this circular misleading.

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CHARACTERISTICS OF GEM

GEM has been positioned as a market designed to accommodate small and midsized companies to which a higher investment risk may be attached than other companies listed on the Stock Exchange. Prospective investors should be aware of the potential risks of investing in such companies and should make the decision to invest only after due and careful consideration.

Given that the companies listed on GEM are generally small and mid-sized companies, there is a risk that securities traded on GEM may be more susceptible to high market volatility than securities traded on the main board of the Stock Exchange and no assurance is given that there will be a liquid market in the securities traded on GEM.

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DEFINITIONS

In this circular, the following expressions shall have the following meanings unless the context indicates otherwise:

"Annual General Meeting" the annual general meeting of the Company to be held

at United Conference Centre, 10/F, United Centre, 95 Queensway, Admiralty, Hong Kong on Friday, 22 May 2020

at 11:00 a.m. or any adjournment thereof

"Board" the board of Directors of the Company

"Bye-laws" the bye-laws of the Company

"CG Code" the Corporate Governance Code as set out in Appendix 15

to the GEM Listing Rules

"Close Associate(s)" has the same meaning ascribed to it under the GEM Listing

Rules

"Company" Global Digital Creations Holdings Limited, a company

incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability, the shares of

which are listed on GEM

"controlling shareholder(s)" has the same meaning as ascribed to it under the GEM

Listing Rules

"core connected person(s)" has the same meaning as ascribed to it under the GEM

Listing Rules

"Director(s)" the director(s) of the Company

"GEM" GEM of the Stock Exchange

"GEM Listing Rules" the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on GEM of

the Stock Exchange as amended from time to time

"Group" the Company and its subsidiaries

"HK\$" the lawful currency of Hong Kong

DEFINITIONS

"Hong Kong" the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC

"Independent Non-executive Director(s)"

the independent non-executive director(s) of the Company

"Latest Practicable Date"

27 March 2020, being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this circular for ascertaining certain information

contained herein

"Nomination Committee"

the nomination committee of the Board

"PRC"

the People's Republic of China, for the purpose of this circular, does not include Hong Kong, Macao Special

Administrative Region and Taiwan

"Repurchase Mandate"

a general mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors at the Annual General Meeting to exercise the power of the Company to repurchase Shares up to a maximum of 10% of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of passing of the resolution approving the repurchase mandate

"SFO"

Securities and Futures Ordinance, Chapter 571 of the Laws

of Hong Kong

"Share(s)"

the ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.01 each in the share capital

of the Company

"Shareholder(s)"

the holder(s) of the Shares

"Shougang Holding"

Shougang Holding (Hong Kong) Limited, a company

incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability

"Stock Exchange"

The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"substantial shareholder(s)"

has the same meaning as ascribed to it under the SFO

"Takeovers Code"

The Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share Buy-backs

"%"

per cent



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Executive Directors:

Ms. Cheng Xiaoyu (Chairman)

Mr. Wang Hongpeng (Managing Director)

Mr. Xu Liang

Mr. Xiao Yong

Non-executive Director:

Mr. Chen Zheng (Deputy Chairman)

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Mr. Kwong Che Keung, Gordon

Prof. Japhet Sebastian Law

Mr. Lam Yiu Kin

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31 March 2020

To the Shareholders

Dear Sir or Madam,

PROPOSED GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE SHARES AND REPURCHASE SHARES, RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

1. INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this circular is to provide you with information relating to the resolutions to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting, among other things, (i) granting of general mandates to the Directors to issue Shares and repurchase Shares; and (ii) re-election of retiring Directors. These resolutions will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting and are set out in the notice of the Annual General Meeting as contained in this circular.

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2. GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE SHARES AND REPURCHASE SHARES

At the annual general meeting of the Company held on 23 May 2019, the general mandates were granted to the Directors authorising them, inter alia, (a) to exercise the power of the Company to allot and issue Shares not exceeding 20% of the issued share capital of the Company as at 23 May 2019; (b) to exercise the power of the Company to repurchase Shares not exceeding 10% of the issued share capital of the Company as at 23 May 2019; and (c) to extend the general mandate to issue Shares by the number of Shares purchased under the repurchase mandate mentioned in (b) above. Such general mandates will expire at the conclusion of the Annual General Meeting.

At the Annual General Meeting, separate ordinary resolutions will be proposed to renew the general mandates given to the Directors (i) to allot, issue and otherwise deal with Shares not exceeding in aggregate 20% of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company at the date of passing of such resolution; (ii) to repurchase Shares comprising the aggregate nominal amount of which does not exceed 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company at the date of passing of such resolution; and (iii) to add the aggregate nominal amount of the Shares repurchased by the Company to the general mandate to the Directors to allot new Shares of up to 20% of the issued share capital of the Company.

Based on 1,517,135,540 Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date and assuming that no further Shares are repurchased or issued prior to the Annual General Meeting, subject to the passing of the relevant ordinary resolutions to approve the mandate to issue Shares at the Annual General Meeting, the Directors will be authorised to allot and issue up to a limit of 303,427,108 Shares under the general mandate to issue Shares.

If approved by the Shareholders at the Annual General Meeting, the general mandate to issue Shares will expire at the earliest of (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company; (ii) the expiration of the period within the next annual general meeting of the Company as required by the Bye-laws or any applicable laws to be held; or (iii) the revocation or variation of the ordinary resolution to approve the mandate to issue Shares by any ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in a general meeting.

An explanatory statement, required by the GEM Listing Rules to be sent to the Shareholders in connection with the Repurchase Mandate, is set out in Appendix I to this circular. The explanatory statement contains all the information reasonably necessary to enable the Shareholders to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the relevant proposed ordinary resolution for the grant of the Repurchase Mandate at the Annual General Meeting.

3. RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS

Pursuant to clause 87(2) of the Bye-laws, Mr. Xu Liang, Mr. Chen Zheng and Mr. Kwong Che Keung, Gordon shall retire from office by rotation at the Annual General Meeting. Mr. Xu Liang and Mr. Chen Zheng, being eligible, shall offer themselves for re-election. Mr. Kwong Che Keung, Gordon has informed the Board that he will not offer himself for re-election.

Pursuant to clause 86(2) of the Bye-laws, Mr. Wang Hongpeng, Mr. Xiao Yong and Mr. Zheng Xiaodong shall retire from office at the Annual General Meeting and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election at the Annual General Meeting.

Recommendations to the Board for the proposal for re-election of each of Mr. Wang Hongpeng, Mr. Xu Liang and Mr. Xiao Yong as an executive Director; Mr. Chen Zheng as a non-executive Director; Mr. Zheng Xiaodong as an Independent Non-executive Director were made by the Nomination Committee, after having considered a range of diversity perspectives including but not limited to gender, language, cultural and educational background, professional experience and length of service, as set out in the board diversity policy and the nomination policy of the Company.

At the Annual General Meeting, ordinary resolutions will be put forward to the Shareholders in relation to the proposed re-election of each of Mr. Wang, Mr. Xu and Mr. Xiao as an executive Director; Mr. Chen as a non-executive Director; Mr. Zheng as an Independent Non-executive Director.

Details of the retiring Directors to be re-elected at the Annual General Meeting are set out in Appendix II to this circular.

Recommendation of the Nomination Committee with respect to the Independent Non-executive Director subject to Re-election at the Annual General Meeting

The Nomination Committee had assessed and reviewed the annual confirmation of independence provided by Mr. Zheng Xiaodong, who has offered himself for re-election at the Annual General Meeting, based on the factors for assessing the independence as set out in Rule 5.09 of the GEM Listing Rules and is satisfied that he remains independent.

In addition, the Nomination Committee had evaluated his performance and is of the view that he has provided valuable contributions to the Company and has demonstrated his ability to provide independent, balanced and objective view to the Company's affairs. Mr. Zheng has also brought to the Board his own perspective, skills and experience, as further described in his biography in Appendix II to this circular.

Based on the board diversity policy adopted by the Company, the Nomination Committee considers that Mr. Zheng can contribute to the diversity of the Board with his educational background and professional experience in his expertise.

Further information about the process used for identifying the individual as well as the attendance records of the retiring Director at the meetings of the Board is disclosed in the corporate governance report of the Company's annual reports.

Therefore, the Board, with the recommendation of the Nomination Committee, considers that Mr. Zheng should be re-elected as Independent Non-executive Director at the Annual General Meeting.

4. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Set out on pages 17 to 22 of this circular is the notice of the Annual General Meeting. At the Annual General Meeting, resolutions will be proposed to approve, inter alia, the general mandates to issue Shares and repurchase Shares, re-election of retiring Directors and re-appointment of the auditor of the Company.

A form of proxy for the Annual General Meeting is enclosed herewith. Whether or not you are able to attend the Annual General Meeting, you are requested to complete the form of proxy and return it to the Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company, Tricor Standard Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong in accordance with the instructions printed thereon as soon as practicable but in any event not later than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the Annual General Meeting or any adjournment thereof (as the case may be). Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the Annual General Meeting or any adjourned meeting (as the case may be) should you so wish.

5. VOTING BY POLL

Pursuant to Rule 17.47(4) of the GEM Listing Rules, any vote of Shareholders at a general meeting must be taken by poll. Therefore, all resolutions proposed at the Annual General Meeting shall be voted by poll.

6. RECOMMENDATION

The Directors consider that (i) granting of general mandates to the Directors to issue Shares and repurchase Shares; and (ii) re-election of retiring Directors are in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Accordingly, the Directors recommend all Shareholders to vote in favour of the relevant resolutions to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

Yours faithfully,
For and on behalf of
Global Digital Creations Holdings Limited
Cheng Xiaoyu
Chairman

This is an explanatory statement given to all Shareholders relating to a resolution to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting for approving the Repurchase Mandate.

This explanatory statement contains all the information required pursuant to Rule 13.08 and other relevant provisions of the GEM Listing Rules which is set out as follows:

1. SHAREHOLDERS' APPROVAL

All proposed repurchases of shares by a company with a primary listing on GEM must be approved in advance by an ordinary resolution, either by way of general mandate or by special approval of a particular transaction. The Company's sole listing is on GEM.

2. SOURCE OF FUNDS

Repurchases must be funded out of funds legally available for the purpose in accordance with the Bye-laws and the applicable laws of Bermuda. It is presently proposed that any Shares repurchased under the Repurchase Mandate would be purchased out of the capital paid up on the repurchased Shares, the profits of the Company which would otherwise be available for dividend and the Company's share premium reserve.

3. EXERCISE OF THE REPURCHASE MANDATE

The Shares proposed to be repurchased by the Company must be fully paid up. Under the GEM Listing Rules, the total number of shares which a company is authorised to repurchase on GEM is up to a maximum of 10% of the existing issued share capital as at the date of the resolution granting such general mandate. Exercise in full of the Repurchase Mandate, on the basis of 1,517,135,540 Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date and assuming no Shares are issued and repurchased by the Company prior to the Annual General Meeting, could result in up to 151,713,554 Shares, which represents 10% of the issued share capital of the Company as at the Latest Practicable Date, being repurchased by the Company during the period from the passing of the resolution granting the Repurchase Mandate up to the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company or the expiration of the period within the next annual general meeting of the Company as required by the Bye-laws or any applicable laws to be held, or when revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in a general meeting, whichever occurs first.

4. REASONS FOR REPURCHASE

Although the Directors have no present intention of repurchasing any Shares, they believe that it is in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders to have a general authority from the Shareholders to enable the Directors to repurchase Shares on the market. Such repurchases may, depending on the market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net value of the Company and its assets and/or its earnings per Share and will only be made when the Directors believe that such repurchases will benefit the Company and the Shareholders.

5. FUNDING OF REPURCHASES

In repurchasing Shares, the Company may only apply funds legally available for such purpose in accordance with the Bye-laws and the applicable laws of Bermuda.

The exercise in full of the Repurchase Mandate might have a material adverse impact on the working capital or gearing position of the Company as compared with the position disclosed in its most recent audited accounts for the year ended 31 December 2019. However, the Directors do not propose to exercise the Repurchase Mandate to such an extent as would, in the circumstances, have a material adverse effect on the working capital or gearing position of the Company.

6. GENERAL

- (a) None of the Directors nor, to the best of their knowledge having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their close associates have any present intention, in the event that the Repurchase Mandate is approved by the Shareholders to sell the Shares to the Company or its subsidiaries.
- (b) The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange that, so far as the same may be applicable, they will exercise the Repurchase Mandate in accordance with the GEM Listing Rules and the applicable laws of Bermuda.
- (c) If as a result of the share repurchase, a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases, such increase will be treated as an acquisition of voting rights for purposes of the Takeovers Code. As a result, a Shareholder or a group of Shareholders acting in concert could obtain or consolidate control of the Company and thereby, become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Shougang Holding through its subsidiary was interested in approximately 40.81% of the issued share capital of the Company. In the event that the Repurchase Mandate is exercised in full and no further Shares are issued during the proposed repurchase period, the interest held by Shougang Holding through its subsidiary in the issued share capital of the Company will increase to approximately 45.35%. On the basis of the current shareholding in the Company held by Shougang Holding, the Directors are not aware of any consequences which the exercise in full of the Repurchase Mandate would have under the Takeovers Code.

(d) The Company had repurchased a total of 1,120,000 Shares on the Stock Exchange during the six months immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date, details of which are as follows:

| | Total number of | | |
|-------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | ordinary shares | Highest price | Lowest price |
| Date of the repurchases | repurchased | paid per share | paid per share |
| | | HK\$ | HK\$ |
| | | | |
| 11 December 2019 | 100,000 | 0.115 | 0.115 |
| 12 December 2019 | 100,000 | 0.120 | 0.115 |
| 17 December 2019 | 334,000 | 0.125 | 0.108 |
| 27 December 2019 | 88,000 | 0.150 | 0.140 |
| 13 January 2020 | 10,000 | 0.157 | 0.157 |
| 23 January 2020 | 32,000 | 0.154 | 0.154 |
| 29 January 2020 | 120,000 | 0.149 | 0.135 |
| 11 February 2020 | 60,000 | 0.132 | 0.125 |
| 14 February 2020 | 140,000 | 0.130 | 0.130 |
| 18 February 2020 | 136,000 | 0.150 | 0.149 |
| | | | |
| Total: | 1,120,000 | | |
| | | | |

Save as disclosed above, the Company had not repurchased any of its Shares (whether on GEM or otherwise) in the six months preceding the Latest Practicable Date and will not repurchase its Shares if public float is less than 25%.

- (e) No core connected person has notified the Company that he or she has a present intention to sell Shares to the Company, and no core connected person has undertaken not to sell any Shares held by him or her to the Company, in the event that the Repurchase Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.
- (f) The highest and lowest prices at which the Shares have traded on GEM during each of the previous twelve months and up to the Latest Practicable Date were as follows:

| | Highest | Lowest |
|---|---------|--------|
| | HK\$ | HK\$ |
| | | |
| 2019 | | |
| March | 0.210 | 0.153 |
| April | 0.199 | 0.154 |
| May | 0.161 | 0.121 |
| June | 0.144 | 0.102 |
| July | 0.103 | 0.100 |
| August | 0.141 | 0.100 |
| September | 0.140 | 0.103 |
| October | 0.132 | 0.098 |
| November | 0.128 | 0.096 |
| December | 0.150 | 0.115 |
| | | |
| 2020 | | |
| January | 0.158 | 0.118 |
| February | 0.155 | 0.132 |
| March (up to the Latest Practicable Date) | 0.150 | 0.113 |

The details of retiring Directors who are proposed to be re-elected at the Annual General Meeting are set out as follows:

Executive Directors

Mr. Wang Hongpeng (王宏鵬先生), aged 46, graduated from Nankai University in Tianjin in 1996 majoring in business English and obtained a degree of executive master of business administration from Shanghai Advanced Institute of Finance of Shanghai Jiao Tong University in 2017. Mr. Wang was appointed as an Executive Director, the Managing Director and a member of the Executive Committee of the Company in December 2019. He is currently an executive director and an executive member of the Regional Development and Service Group of Beijing Shougang Fund Co., Ltd., which is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Shougang Group Co., Ltd. ("Shougang Group"). Shougang Group is a substantial shareholder of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO. Mr. Wang served as the minister of Foreign Liaison Department of Well-off Promotion Committee of State Commission for Economic Restructuring in Beijing* (北京國家經濟體制改革委員會小康促進委員會), a media supervisor of the Beijing branch of Saatchi & Saatchi Great Wall Advertising Co., Ltd.* (盛世長城國際廣告有限公司北京分公司) and the managing director of Ogilvy Century (Beijing) Advertising Co., Ltd.* (奧美世紀 (北京)廣告有限公司), possessing extensive experience in fields including internet media and customer relationship management and marketing.

Mr. Wang has entered into a service contract with the Company for a term commencing from 31 December 2019 and expiring on 31 December 2021. His term of office is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Bye-laws. Under the service contract, Mr. Wang is entitled to receive a salary of HK\$1,080,000 per annum, which is determined with reference to his experience and duties as well as the then prevailing market conditions. He is also entitled to a discretionary bonus as may be determined by the Board or its delegated committee(s) from time to time with reference to the prevailing market conditions, the performance of the Group as well as his individual performance. Mr. Wang has not received any discretionary bonus for the year ended 31 December 2019.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Wang has no other relationship with any Directors, senior management, substantial or controlling Shareholders and has not held any directorships in other public companies listed on the Stock Exchange or overseas in the last three years. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Wang did not have any interests in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

In relation to Mr. Wang's re-election as a Director, there are no other matters which need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders and there is no information to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements of the provisions under Rules 17.50(2)(h) to (v) of the GEM Listing Rules.

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Mr. Xu Liang (徐量先生), aged 54, is a senior accountant, graduated from Fudan University and obtained a bachelor degree in statistics and a master degree in business administration from Tsinghua University, Mr. Xu was appointed as an Executive Director and the Chairman of the Board, the Chairman of each of the Executive Committee and the Nomination Committee and the Vice Chairman of the Remuneration Committee of the Company in June 2017. Mr. Xu ceased to be the Chairman of the Board, the Executive Committee and the Nomination Committee and the Vice Chairman of the Remuneration Committee of the Company and remained as an Executive Director and a member of each of the Executive Committee, the Nomination Committee and the Remuneration Committee of the Company in July 2018. Mr. Xu joined Shougang Group in 1988 and held various senior positions. He is the managing director of Shougang Holding, an executive director and the chairman of Shougang Concord Grand (Group) Limited ("Shougang Grand") and an executive director of Shougang Concord International Enterprises Company Limited ("Shougang International"). Both Shougang Grand and Shougang International are listed on the Stock Exchange. Shougang Group and Shougang Holding are substantial shareholders of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO. Mr. Xu has extensive experience in management.

Mr. Xu has entered into a service contract with the Company for a term of three years commencing from 1 January 2020. His term of office is subject to retirement by rotation and reelection at the annual general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Bye-laws. Under the service contract, Mr. Xu is entitled to a discretionary bonus as may be determined by the Board or its delegated committee(s) from time to time with reference to the prevailing market conditions, the performance of the Group as well as his individual performance. Mr. Xu has not received any discretionary bonus for the year ended 31 December 2019.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Xu has no other relationship with any Directors, senior management, substantial or controlling Shareholders and has not held any directorships in other public companies listed on the Stock Exchange or overseas in the last three years. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Xu did not have any interests in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

In relation to Mr. Xu's re-election as a Director, there are no other matters which need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders and there is no information to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements of the provisions under Rules 17.50(2)(h) to (v) of the GEM Listing Rules.

Mr. Xiao Yong (肖勇先生), aged 42, graduated from the College of Economics of Hubei University with post-secondary qualification in business administration in July 1999. Mr. Xiao was appointed as an Executive Director and a member of the Executive Committee of the Company in June 2019. After completing the Three-dimensional Video and Animation Training Course jointly organized by Shenzhen University and Institute of Digital Media Technology (Shenzhen) Limited* (環球數碼媒體科技研究 (深圳)有限公司) ("Shenzhen IDMT"), an indirect whollyowned subsidiary of the Company, in August 2001, he served as one of the first group of character animators in Shenzhen IDMT. Since then, he served various positions in animation production department in Shenzhen IDMT and accumulated 19-year of experience in related fields of animation industry. Mr. Xiao serves as a director and the general manager of Shenzhen IDMT since March 2013. He is also a standing member of the Cartoon Artists Committee of the China Television Artists Association.

Mr. Xiao has entered into a service contract with the Company for a term commencing from 24 June 2019 and expiring on 31 December 2021. His term of office is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Byelaws. Under the service contract, Mr. Xiao is entitled to a discretionary bonus as may be determined by the Board or its delegated committee(s) from time to time with reference to the prevailing market conditions, the performance of the Group as well as his individual performance. Mr. Xiao is also entitled to receive a salary of RMB36,000 per month from the Group, which is determined with reference to his experience and duties as well as the then prevailing market conditions. Mr. Xiao has received a discretionary bonus of RMB352,600 from the Group for the year ended 31 December 2019.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Xiao has no other relationship with any Directors, senior management, substantial or controlling Shareholders and has not held any directorships in other public companies listed on the Stock Exchange or overseas in the last three years. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Xiao has beneficial interests of 380,000 Shares, representing approximately 0.03% of the total number of issued Shares, within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

In relation to Mr. Xiao's re-election as a Director, there are no other matters which need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders and there is no information to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements of the provisions under Rules 17.50(2)(h) to (v) of the GEM Listing Rules.

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Non-executive Director

Mr. Chen Zheng (陳征先生), aged 60, is an engineer and senior economist. He holds a bachelor degree in chemical engineering and a master degree in business administration. Mr. Chen was appointed as an Executive Director and the Chief Executive Officer of the Company in February 2005. He was re-designated as the Deputy Chairman of the Board and a Non-executive Director of the Company in December 2018. He also serves as an independent non-executive director of Jiu Rong Holdings Limited, which is listed on the Stock Exchange. Mr. Chen was the managing director of operations of Shougang Grand. He has extensive experience in investing business and corporate management.

Mr. Chen has entered into a letter of appointment with the Company for a term of one year commencing from 11 December 2019. His term of office is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Bye-laws. Under the letter of appointment, Mr. Chen is entitled to receive a Director's fee which is determined with reference to his experience and duties as well as the then prevailing market conditions. For the year ended 31 December 2019, the Director's fee received by Mr. Chen amounted to HK\$720,000.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Chen has no other relationship with any Directors, senior management, substantial or controlling Shareholders and has not held any directorships in other public companies listed on the Stock Exchange or overseas in the last three years. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Chen has beneficial interests of 185,988,200 Shares, representing approximately 12.26% of the total number of issued Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

In relation to Mr. Chen's re-election as a Director, there are no other matters which need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders and there is no information to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements of the provisions under Rules 17.50(2)(h) to (v) of the GEM Listing Rules.

Independent Non-executive Director

Mr. Zheng Xiaodong (鄭晓東先生), aged 43, obtained a bachelor's degree in international economics in July 1998 and a master's degree in world economics in June 2006 from Fudan University. Mr. Zheng was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in June 2019. He serves as a director and the deputy general manager of Leo Group Co., Ltd., a company listed on Shenzhen Stock Exchange (stock code: 002131), the president of marketing and chief executive officer of Leo Digital Network and the president of Shanghai MediaV Advertising Co., Ltd., in which he is responsible for operation and agency businesses. Mr. Zheng served as the marketing manager of Great Wall Broadband Network and the general manager of eastern China region and the vice president of Allyes AdNetwork. He has extensive experience in the internet industry and marketing field.

Mr. Zheng has entered into a letter of appointment with the Company for a term commencing from 24 June 2019 and expiring on 31 December 2021. His term of office is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Bye-laws. Under the letter of appointment, Mr. Zheng is entitled to receive a Director's fee which is determined with reference to his experience and duties as well as the then prevailing market conditions. For the year ended 31 December 2019, the Director's fee received by Mr. Zheng amounted to HK\$77,917.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Zheng has no other relationship with any Directors, senior management, substantial or controlling Shareholders and has not held any directorships in other public companies listed on the Stock Exchange or overseas in the last three years. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Zheng did not have any interests in the shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

In relation to Mr. Zheng's re-election as a Director, there are no other matters which need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders and there is no information to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements of the provisions under Rules 17.50(2)(h) to (v) of the GEM Listing Rules.



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GLOBAL DIGITAL CREATIONS HOLDINGS LIMITED

環球數碼創意控股有限公司*

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 8271)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual general meeting of Global Digital Creations Holdings Limited (the "Company") will be held at United Conference Centre, 10/F, United Centre, 95 Queensway, Admiralty, Hong Kong on Friday, 22 May 2020, at 11:00 a.m. for the following purposes:

ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

AS ORDINARY BUSINESS

- 1. To receive and consider the Company's audited consolidated financial statements, report of the directors and the independent auditor's report for the year ended 31 December 2019;
- 2. To re-elect Mr. Wang Hongpeng as an executive director of the Company;
- 3. To re-elect Mr. Xu Liang as an executive director of the Company;
- 4. To re-elect Mr. Xiao Yong as an executive director of the Company;
- 5. To re-elect Mr. Chen Zheng as a non-executive director of the Company;
- 6. To re-elect Mr. Zheng Xiaodong as an independent non-executive director of the Company;
- 7. To authorise the board of directors (the "Board") to fix the remuneration of the directors of the Company (the "Directors");
- 8. To re-appoint PricewaterhouseCoopers as the auditor of the Company and to authorise the Board to fix its remuneration;

^{*} For identification purpose only

AS SPECIAL BUSINESS

9. To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution of the Company:

ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

"THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with shares in the capital of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such power be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) above shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such power after the end of the Relevant Period;
- the aggregate nominal amount of share capital allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as defined below); (ii) the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any warrants issued by the Company or any securities which are convertible into shares of the Company; (iii) any option scheme or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the grant or issue to officers and/or employees of the Company and/or any of its subsidiaries of shares or rights to acquire shares of the Company; or (iv) any scrip dividend on shares of the Company in accordance with the bye-laws of the Company, shall not exceed 20% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing this resolution; and

(d) for the purposes of this resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the bye-laws of the Company or any applicable laws to be held; or
- (iii) the revocation or variation of this resolution by any ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting.

"Rights Issue" means an offer of shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of shares of the Company or any class thereof on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares or any class thereof (subject to such exclusion or other arrangements as the Directors may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of any territories outside Hong Kong)."

10. To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution of the Company:

"THAT:

(a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all the powers of the Company to repurchase issued shares in the capital of the Company on GEM of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") or on any other stock exchange on which the shares of the Company may be listed and recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong (the "Securities and Futures Commission") and the Stock Exchange for such purpose, subject to and in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Securities and Futures Commission, the Stock Exchange or any other stock exchange as amended from time to time and all applicable laws in this regard, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (b) in addition, the approval in paragraph (a) above shall authorise the Directors on behalf of the Company during the Relevant Period to procure the Company to purchase its shares at a price determined by the Directors;
- (c) the aggregate nominal amount of shares repurchased or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above during the Relevant Period shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing this resolution, and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) shall be limited accordingly; and
- (d) for the purposes of this resolution;

"Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the bye-laws of the Company or any applicable laws to be held; or
- (iii) the revocation or variation of this resolution by any ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting."

11. To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution of the Company:

"THAT conditional upon the passing of resolution no. 10 as set out in the notice convening this meeting of which this resolution forms part, the aggregate nominal amount of the shares in the Company which are repurchased by the Company pursuant to and in accordance with the said resolution no. 10 shall be added to the aggregate nominal amount of the shares in the Company that may be allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted by the Directors pursuant to and in accordance with resolution no. 9 as set out in the notice convening this meeting of which this resolution forms part."

By Order of the Board Cheng Xiaoyu Chairman

Hong Kong, 31 March 2020

Notes:

- (1) A shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the above meeting (or at any adjournment thereof) is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote instead of him/her. A proxy needs not be a shareholder of the Company.
- (2) The instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing under the hand of the appointor or of his attorney duly authorized in writing or, if the appointor is a corporation, either under its common seal or under the hand of any officer or attorney duly authorised to sign the same.
- (3) The register of members of the Company will be closed from Monday, 18 May 2020 to Friday, 22 May 2020, both dates inclusive, during which period, no transfer of shares will be registered. In order to qualify for attend and vote at the above meeting, all properly completed transfer forms accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged for registration with Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company, Tricor Standard Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong, not later than 4:30 p.m. (H.K. time) on Friday, 15 May 2020.

- (4) In order to be valid, the form of proxy, together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy of such power or authority, must be deposited with the Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company, Tricor Standard Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong, not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the above meeting or any adjourned meeting thereof (as the case may be).
- (5) Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude members from attending and voting in person at the above meeting or at any adjourned meeting thereof (as the case may be) should they so wish, and in such event, the form of proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.
- (6) Where there are joint registered holders of any share, any one of such joint holders may vote at the above meeting, either in person or by proxy, in respect of such share as if he/she was solely entitled thereto, but if more than one of such joint holders are present at the above meeting, whether in person or by proxy, the joint registered holder present whose name stands first on the register of members of the Company in respect of the shares shall alone be entitled to vote in respect thereof.
- (7) Shareholders of the Company are kindly reminded that should the coronavirus continue to affect Hong Kong at or around the time of the annual general meeting, shareholders should assess for themselves whether they should actually attend. Depending on the circumstances, the Company may need to take certain precautionary measures at the annual general meeting, such as (but not limited to) requiring all attendees to have body temperature measurement and wear masks to enter the meeting venue. Should anyone seeking to attend the annual general meeting decline to follow these requirements or be found to be suffering from a fever (temperature over 37.2°C) or otherwise unwell, the Company reserves the right to refuse such person's admission to the annual general meeting.

As at the date of this notice, the Board comprises Ms. Cheng Xiaoyu (Chairman), Mr. Wang Hongpeng (Managing Director), Mr. Xu Liang and Mr. Xiao Yong as Executive Directors; Mr. Chen Zheng (Deputy Chairman) as Non-executive Director; Mr. Kwong Che Keung, Gordon, Prof. Japhet Sebastian Law, Mr. Lam Yiu Kin and Mr. Zheng Xiaodong as Independent Non-executive Directors.