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## PROPOSALS FOR (1) RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS AND CONTINUOUS APPOINTMENT OF INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR WHO HAS SERVED FOR MORE THAN NINE YEARS AND

## (2) GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND REPURCHASE SHARES, AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening the 2021 Annual General Meeting of Alco Holdings Limited to be held at 11/F, Metropole Square, 2 On Yiu Street, Sha Tin, New Territories, Hong Kong, on Wednesday, 8 September 2021 at 11:00 a.m. is appended to this circular.

If you do not propose to attend the Meeting, you are requested to complete the accompanying form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return the same to the Company Secretary at the Company's principal place of business in Hong Kong at 11/F, Metropole Square, 2 On Yiu Street, Sha Tin, New Territories, Hong Kong as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the Meeting or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the Meeting or at any adjourned meeting should you so wish.

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#### **DEFINITIONS**

In this circular, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the following meanings:-

"AGM"

the annual general meeting of the Company to be held on Wednesday, 8 September 2021 at 11:00 a.m. and any adjournment thereof

"Benchmarked Price"

the price which is higher of:

- the closing price of the Shares as stated in the Stock Exchange's daily quotations sheet on the date of signing of the agreement to which the transaction relates; and
- (ii) the average closing price of the Shares as stated in the Stock Exchange's daily quotations sheet for the five trading days immediately preceding the earliest of:
  - (a) the date of signing of the agreement to which the transaction relates;
  - (b) the date on which the relevant transaction is announced; and
  - (c) the date on which the price of the Shares to be issued pursuant to the transaction is fixed.

"Board" the board of Directors of the Company

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

"Companies Act" the Companies Act 1981 of Bermuda

"Company" Alco Holdings Limited, a company incorporated in

Bermuda with limited liability and whose shares are listed

on the Stock Exchange

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

#### **DEFINITIONS**

"General Mandates" the Share Issue Mandate and the Share Repurchase Mandate

(as defined in the Letter from the Chairman), approvals of

which are to be sought at the AGM

"HK\$" Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong

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

People's Republic of China

"Latest Practicable Date" 21 July 2021, being the latest practicable date prior to the

printing of this circular for ascertaining certain information

in this circular

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

Exchange

"Share(s)" share(s) of par value HK\$0.10 each in the capital of the

Company

"Share Buy Back Rules" the relevant rules set out in the Listing Rules to regulate the

repurchase by companies with primary listing of their own

securities on the Stock Exchange

"Shareholder(s)" registered holder(s) of Share(s) of the Company

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"Takeovers Code" Hong Kong Codes on Takeovers and Mergers

#### LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN



(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)
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Executive Directors:

Mr LEUNG Wai Sing, Wilson (Chairman and

Chief Executive Officer)

Mr LEUNG Kam Fai, Peter

Mr YIU Wang Tsun

Independent Non-executive Directors:

Mr LEE Tak Chi

Mr CHEUNG, Johnson

Mr WU Zhi-Ling

Registered office:

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2 On Yiu Street

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New Territories

Hong Kong

30 July 2021

To the Shareholders

Dear Sir or Madam,

# PROPOSALS FOR (1) RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS AND CONTINUOUS APPOINTMENT OF INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR WHO HAS SERVED FOR MORE THAN NINE YEARS AND

#### (2) GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND REPURCHASE SHARES, AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

#### INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this circular is to provide you with information on the resolutions relating to (i) re-election of Directors and continuously appoint Mr LEE Tak Chi who has served the Company for more than nine years as an independent non-executive Director; and (ii) the grant of the General Mandates to issue and repurchase Shares at the AGM.

#### LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN

### RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS AND CONTINUOUS APPOINTMENT OF INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR WHO HAS SERVED FOR MORE THAN NINE YEARS

The Board currently consists of six Directors, namely Mr Leung Wai Sing, Wilson, Mr Leung Kam Fai, Peter, Mr Yiu Wang Tsun, Mr Lee Tak Chi, Mr Cheung, Johnson and Mr Wu Zhi-Ling.

Pursuant to Bye-law 87(1) of the existing Bye-laws, at each AGM, one-third of the Directors for the time being (or if their number is not a multiple of three, then the number nearest to one-third) shall retire from office by rotation provided that notwithstanding anything herein, the chairman of the Board shall not, whilst holding such office, be subject to such retirement by rotation. The Directors to retire in every year shall be those who have been longest in office since their last election, but as between persons who became directors on the same day those to retire shall (unless they otherwise agree among themselves) be determined by lot. A retiring Director shall be eligible for re-election.

Pursuant to Bye-law 86(2) of the existing Bye-laws, subject to authorisation by the members in general meeting, the Directors shall (until and unless such authorization is revoked) have the power from time to time and at any time to appoint any person as a Director either to fill a casual vacancy on the Board or as an addition to the existing Board but so that the number of Directors so appointed shall not exceed any maximum number determined from time to time by the members in general meeting. Any Directors so appointed by the Board shall hold office only until the next following annual general meeting of the Company and shall then be eligible for re-election at the meeting.

Pursuant to the code provision set out in paragraph A.4.3 of Appendix 14 of the Listing Rules, it is recommended that serving more than nine years could be relevant to the determination of a non-executive director's independence. Any further appointment of independent non-executive Director serving more than nine years should be subject to a separate resolution to be approved by the Shareholders. Mr LEE Tak Chi is an independent non-executive Director serving the Company since 2011. Separate resolution will be proposed for his re-election at the AGM. The Company has received from Mr LEE Tak Chi a confirmation of independence pursuant to rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules, and Mr LEE Tak Chi has not engaged in any executive management of the Group. Taking into consideration of their independent scope of work in the past years, the Board considers Mr LEE Tak Chi is able to continue to independently fulfill their role as independent non-executive Director despite the fact that Mr LEE Tak Chi has served the Company for more than nine years.

Biographical details, as at the Latest Practicable Date, of the retiring Directors are set out in Appendix I to this circular.

#### LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN

#### GENERAL MANDATE TO ISSUE SHARES

At the AGM, an ordinary resolution will be proposed to grant to the Directors a general and unconditional mandate to exercise all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with new Shares up to an amount not exceeding 20% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of the passing of the relevant resolution (the "Share Issue Mandate") provided that, in any event, any Shares to be allotted and issued pursuant to this general mandate shall not be allotted and issued at a discount of 5% or more to the Benchmarked Price of the Shares. As at the Latest Practicable Date, the issued share capital of the Company comprised 723,244,650 fully paid-up Shares. Assuming that there is no issuance of Shares or any repurchase of Shares from the Latest Practicable Date up to the date of the passing of the relevant resolution, up to a maximum of 144,648,930 Shares representing 20% of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution may be issued.

#### GENERAL MANDATE TO REPURCHASE SHARES

At the AGM, an ordinary resolution will also be proposed to grant to the Directors a general mandate to exercise the powers of the Company to repurchase Shares with an aggregate nominal amount not exceeding 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of the passing of the resolution (the "Share Repurchase Mandate"). An explanatory statement as required under the Share Buy Back Rules, giving certain information regarding the Share Repurchase Mandate, is set out in the Appendix II to this circular.

#### RECOMMENDATION

The Directors consider that the re-election of Directors, the grant of the General Mandates to issue and repurchase Shares at the AGM are all in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Accordingly, the Directors recommend Shareholders to vote in favour of the resolutions to be proposed at the AGM for the approval of the above matters.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Your attention is drawn to the additional information set out in Appendices I, II and III to this circular.

Yours faithfully
On behalf of the Board
Alco Holdings Limited
LEUNG Wai Sing, Wilson
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Mr YIU Wang Tsun, and Mr WU Zhi-Ling will retire from office by rotation at the AGM pursuant to Bye-laws 87(1) and 86(2), and will offer themselves for re-election.

Details of the Directors proposed to be re-elected at the forthcoming AGM are set out as follows:

#### **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

Mr YIU Wang Tsun, Angus, aged 44, joined the Group in May 2021 and is the chief financial officer, the executive Director and the company secretary of the Group. He holds a Master's Degree in Advanced Finance and a Bachelor's Degree in Accounting and Finance from the University of New South Wales in Australia. Mr YIU is a member of CPA Australia and Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. He was also a Councilor of CPA Australia's Greater China Division. Before joining the Group, Mr YIU held senior executive positions in a number of listed and private companies. He has over 20 years of experience in the field of auditing, accounting, finance, management, strategy and business development.

Save as disclosed above, Mr YIU did not hold any directorship in the last three years in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas.

Save as being the chief financial officer of the Group, Mr YIU does not hold any other positions in the Company or its subsidiaries.

Mr YIU has entered into a service contract with the Company for a term of three years commencing on 25 June 2021 in relation to his appointment as an executive Director of the Company, subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at AGM in accordance with the Byelaws of the Company. He is entitled to a director remuneration of HK\$2,800,000 per annum and a discretionary performance bonus with reference to his responsibilities and performance, remuneration benchmark in the industry as well as prevailing market conditions.

#### INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Mr WU Zhi-Ling, Darwin, aged 49, joined the Group in March 2021 and holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Bio-Industrial Mechatronics Engineering from National Taiwan University and an MBA degree from National University of Singapore. He has more than 25 years of experience working in leadership positions in well-known electronics and industrial companies, among which are ASUSTek Computer Inc. and Dynacast International, and is currently President of Acaltronic Private Limited, an engineering solutions company, and Director of International Tooling and Engineering Consultants Pte. Ltd. The Company has no business activity with these two companies.

Save as disclosed above, Mr WU does not hold any directorship in the last three years in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas.

Mr WU does not have any relationship with other Directors, senior management, or substantial or controlling Shareholders of the Company or hold any other position with the Company or any member of the Group. Mr WU does not hold any interest in the shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

Mr WU has entered into a service contract with the Company for a term of three years commencing on 12 March 2021 in relation to his appointment as independent non-executive director of the Company, subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at AGM in accordance with the Bye-laws of the Company. He is entitled to a director fee of HK\$300,000 per annum with reference to his responsibilities and performance, remuneration benchmark in the industry as well as prevailing market conditions.

Mr LEE Tak Chi, Tak, aged 66, joined the Group in 2011 and was previously Associate Dean and Professor of School of Design, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University. He served as Board of Director of Automotive Parts and Accessory Systems R&D Centre and currently serves as Member of Assessment Panel of the Innovation and Technology Fund for Better Living established by the Hong Kong Government.

Save as disclosed above, Mr LEE does not have any relationship with other Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling Shareholders or hold any other position with the Company or any member of the Group.

Mr LEE has entered into a service contract with the Company for a fixed term of three years commercing on 7 November 2021. Subject to the provisions in the Bye-laws, after Mr LEE's reelection at the AGM, he will continue to serve on the Board until him retires at the AGM of the Company by rotation in accordance with the Bye-laws. Mr LEE was entitled to a director's fee of HK\$300,000 for the year ended 31 March 2021.

Mr LEE has been an independent non-executive Director for over nine years. The Board, however, believes that an individual's independence cannot be determined arbitrarily on the basis of a set period of time. The nomination committee of the Company (the "Nomination Committee") and the Board have reviewed the annual written independence confirmation of Mr LEE, and assessed his independence based on the independence guidelines set out in rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules and noted that none of the factors set out in rule 3.13 applies. In assessing the independence of Mr LEE, the Board and the Nomination Committee have also considered the independent nature of his role and duties and the character and judgement demonstrated by his commitment and contribution during his years of service and other relevant factors. Mr LEE has not been involved in any management role in the Company nor in any relationships which would interfere with the exercise of his independent judgement. The Board is of the view that despite his length of service, Mr LEE maintains and independent mindset and provides invaluable expertise, knowledge, experience, professionalism, continuity and stability to the Board, and the Company has benefited greatly from his contribution and valuable insights derived from his in-depth knowledge of the Company. Mr LEE's professional knowledge contributes to the Board's diversity of experience. Based on the above, the Board, upon the recommendation of the Nomination Committee, considers Mr LEE to be independent and believes that he should be re-elected even after his more than nine years of services in the Company as an independent non-executive Director and should continue to contribute effectively to the Board.

This Appendix serves as an explanatory statement, as required by the Share Buy Back Rules, to provide Shareholders with all the information reasonably necessary to enable them to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the granting of the Share Repurchase Mandate.

#### 1. SHARE CAPITAL

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the issued share capital of the Company comprised 723,244,650 fully paid-up Shares. Subject to the passing of the resolution at the AGM granting the Share Repurchase Mandate and on the basis that no further Shares are issued or repurchased before the AGM, the Company would be allowed to repurchase a maximum of 72,324,465 Shares representing 10% of the Shares in issue as at the date of the AGM.

The Share Repurchase Mandate may continue in force until the earliest of: (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company for the year of 2022; (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by law to be held; and (iii) the revocation or variation of the Share Repurchase Mandate by ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in general meeting.

#### 2. REASONS FOR REPURCHASES

The Directors consider that the Share Repurchase Mandate is in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders. Such repurchases may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net assets of the Company 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.

#### 3. FUNDING OF REPURCHASES

In repurchasing Shares the Company may only apply funds legally available for such purpose in accordance with its memorandum of association and Bye-laws, the laws of Bermuda and any other applicable laws. The laws of Bermuda provide that the amount of capital repaid in connection with a share repurchase may only be paid out of the funds of the Company otherwise available for dividend, or distribution or out of the proceeds of a fresh issue of Shares made for the purposes of the repurchase and the premium, if any, payable on the repurchase, may only be provided for out of the funds of the Company which would otherwise be available for dividend or distribution or out of the share premium account of the Company before the Shares are repurchased. It is envisaged that the Company would derive the funds from such sources.

There might be an adverse impact on the working capital or gearing position of the Company as compared with the position disclosed in the audited consolidated accounts contained in the annual report for the year ended 31 March 2021 in the event that the proposed repurchases of shares were to be carried out in full at any time during the proposed repurchase period. However, the Directors do not propose to exercise the Share Repurchase Mandate to such extent as would, in the circumstances, have a material adverse effect on the working capital requirements of the Company or the gearing levels which in the opinion of the Directors are from time to time appropriate for the Company.

#### 4. SHARE PRICES

The highest and lowest prices at which the Shares were traded on the Stock Exchange during each of the previous twelve months and in the current month up to the Latest Practicable Date were as follows:—

	Highest	Lowest
	Traded	Traded
Month	price	price
	HK\$	HK\$
2020		
July	0.166	0.141
August	0.270	0.146
September	0.350	0.210
October	0.260	0.208
November	0.242	0.197
December	0.236	0.198
2021		
January	0.255	0.200
February	0.265	0.225
March	0.265	0.224
April	0.249	0.221
May	0.250	0.216
June	0.290	0.231
July (up to the Latest Practicable Date)	0.255	0.220

#### 5. UNDERTAKING

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange that, so far as the same may be applicable, they will exercise the Share Repurchase Mandate in accordance with the Listing Rules and the applicable laws of Bermuda and as permitted by the regulations set out in the memorandum of association and Bye-laws of the Company.

#### 6. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

None of the Directors nor, to the best of their knowledge having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their associates (as defined in the Listing Rules), have any present intention to sell any Shares to the Company under the Share Repurchase Mandate if such is approved by the Shareholders.

No connected persons (as defined in the Listing Rules) have notified the Company that they have a present intention to sell Shares to the Company, or have undertaken not to do so, in the event that the Share Repurchase Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.

#### 7. EFFECT OF TAKEOVERS CODE

If, on the exercise of the power to repurchase Shares pursuant to the Share Repurchase Mandate, a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases, such increase will be treated as an acquisition for the purposes of the Takeovers Code. As a result, a Shareholder or a group of Shareholders acting in concert, depending on the level of such increase, could obtain or consolidate control of the Company and may become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with rule 26 of the Takeovers Code for all Shares not already owned by such Shareholder or group of Shareholders. Shundean Investments Limited is a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands with limited liability, of which Mr Leung Kai Ching, Kimen (deceased) is the sole shareholder. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Shundean Investments Limited held 267,812,500 Shares, approximately 37.03% of the issued share capital of the Company. In the event that the Directors shall exercise in full the power to repurchase Shares of the Company in accordance with the Share Repurchase Mandate and if there is no other change in the issued share capital of the Company from the Latest Practicable Date to the date of the AGM, the interest of Shundean Investments Limited would be increased to approximately 41.14% of the issued share capital of the Company. As a result, Shundean Investments Limited would be obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with rule 26 of the Takeovers Code. However, the Directors do not have the intention to exercise the power to repurchase Shares of the Company to such extent which would make the substantial Shareholder or any Shareholder or group of Shareholders obliged to make a mandatory offer under rule 26 of the Takeovers Code in this respect.

In the event that the Share Repurchase Mandate is exercised in full, the number of Shares held by the public would not fall below 25% of the issued share capital of the Company.

#### 8. SHARE REPURCHASE MADE BY THE COMPANY

The Company has not repurchased any Shares on the Stock Exchange in the six months preceding the Latest Practicable Date.

Pursuant to the Bye-laws of the Company, the procedures of voting by poll on the resolutions to be put forth for Shareholders' approval at the AGM are as follows:

According to Bye-law 66, at any general meeting, a resolution put to the vote of a meeting shall be decided on a show of hands unless a poll is required under the Listing Rules or (before or on the declaration of the result of the show of hands or on the withdrawal of any other demand for a poll) a poll is demanded:

- (a) by the chairman of such meeting; or
- (b) by at least three Shareholders present in person or in the case of a Shareholder being a corporation by its duly authorised representative or by proxy for the time being entitled to vote at the meeting; or
- (c) by a Shareholder or Shareholders present in person or in the case of a Shareholder being a corporation by its duly authorised representative or by proxy and representing not less than one-tenth of the total voting rights of all the Shareholders having the right to vote at the meeting; or
- by a Shareholder or Shareholders present in person or in the case of a Shareholder (d) being a corporation by its duly authorised representative or by proxy and holding Shares in the Company conferring a right to vote at the meeting being Shares on which an aggregate sum has been paid up equal to not less than one-tenth of the total sum paid up on all Shares conferring that right.

A demand by a person as proxy for a Shareholder or in the case of a Shareholder being a corporation by its duly authorised representative shall be deemed to be the same as a demand by a Shareholder.



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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Annual General Meeting of Alco Holdings Limited will be held at 11/F, Metropole Square, 2 On Yiu Street, Sha Tin, New Territories, Hong Kong, on Wednesday, 8 September 2021 at 11:00 a.m. for the following purposes:

- 1. To receive and consider the audited consolidated financial statements and the reports of the directors and the auditor for the year ended 31 March 2021;
- 2. To re-elect Directors and to authorize the Board to fix their remuneration;
- 3. To appoint Auditor and to authorize the Board to fix the Auditor's remuneration;
- 4. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

#### "THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) of this resolution, the exercise by the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares of HK\$0.10 each in the capital of the Company ("Shares") 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) of this resolution shall authorize the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such power during or after the end of the Relevant Period;

- (c) the aggregate nominal amount of share capital allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) and issued by the Directors of the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution, otherwise than pursuant to:
  - (i) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined); or
  - (ii) an issue of Shares upon the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any warrants or other securities issued by the Company as at the date of this resolution carrying a right to subscribe for or purchase Shares; or
  - (iii) an issue of Shares upon the exercise of the subscription rights under the share option scheme 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 this resolution, provided that any Shares to be allotted and issued pursuant to this general mandate shall not be allotted and issued at a discount of 5% or more to the Benchmarked Price (as hereinafter defined) of the Shares, and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and

(d) for the purposes of this resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the date of 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 law to be held; and
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an 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 of the Company to holders of Shares on the register of members of the Company on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such Shares (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the Directors of the Company may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of any recognized regulatory body or any stock exchange in any territory outside Hong Kong).

#### "Benchmarked Price" shall be a price which is the higher of:

- (i) the closing price of the Shares as stated in the Stock Exchange's daily quotations sheet on the date of signing of the agreement to which the transaction relates; and
- (ii) the average closing price of the Shares as stated in the Stock Exchange's daily quotations sheet for the five trading days immediately preceding the earliest of:
  - (a) the date of signing of the agreement to which the transaction relates:
  - (b) the date on which the relevant transaction is announced; and
  - (c) the date on which the price of the Shares to be issued pursuant to the transaction is fixed."
- 5. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

#### "THAT:

(a) the Directors be and are hereby granted an unconditional general mandate to repurchase on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited ("Stock Exchange"), or any other stock exchange on which the shares of HK\$0.10 each in the capital of the Company ("Shares") may be listed and recognized by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong and the Stock Exchange for this purpose, securities in the Company and that the exercise by the Directors of all powers of the Company to repurchase the Shares during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined), subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and the requirements of the Listing Rules or of any other stock exchange as amended from time to time, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (b) the aggregate nominal amount of the Shares which may be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue at the date of the passing of this resolution; and
- (c) for the purpose of this resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the date of 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 law to be held; and
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting."

By order of the Board

Alco Holdings Limited

LEUNG Wai Sing, Wilson

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Hong Kong, 30 July 2021

#### Notes:

- 1. A member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint another person as his proxy to attend and vote instead of him. A proxy need not be a member of the Company. Proxy forms must be lodged with the Company Secretary at the Company's principal place of business in Hong Kong at 11/F, Metropole Square, 2 On Yiu Street, Sha Tin, New Territories, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting.
- 2. The Transfer Books and Register of Members of the Company will be closed from Friday, 3 September 2021 to Wednesday, 8 September 2021, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares will be effected. In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the forthcoming annual general meeting of the Company, all transfers of shares, accompanied by the relevant share certificates, must be lodged with the Company's Registrars, Tricor Abacus Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong not later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, 2 September 2021.
- 3. In the case of joint holders of a share, any one of such joint holders may vote, either in person or by proxy, in respect of such shares as if he/she were solely entitled thereto but if more than one of such joint holders are present at the above meeting, the vote of the senior who tenders a vote, whether in person or by proxy, shall be accepted to the exclusion of the votes of the other joint holders. For this purpose, seniority shall be determined by the order in which the names stand in the Register of Members of the Company in respect of the joint holding.