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### **HUAJIN INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LIMITED**

### 華津國際控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 2738)

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ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION AND
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ASSOCIATION AND
NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening the AGM of the Company to be held at The Chairman's Place, M/F, New World Millennium Hong Kong Hotel, 72 Mody Road, Tsim Sha Tsui East, Kowloon, Hong Kong on Tuesday, 28 June 2022 at 2:30 p.m. is set out on pages 59 to 64 of this circular. A form of proxy for use in connection with the AGM is enclosed herewith. Such form of proxy is also published on the websites of the Stock Exchange (www.hkexnews.hk) and the Company (www.huajin-hk.com).

Whether or not you are able to attend the AGM, you are requested to complete and return the enclosed form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon to the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Union Registrars Limited, at Suites 3301-04, 33/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square, 338 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong as soon as practicable but in any event not later than 48 hours before the time for holding the AGM or any adjourned meeting. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude Shareholders from attending and voting in person at the AGM or any adjourned meeting.

#### PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES FOR THE AGM

To safeguard the health and safety of Shareholders and to prevent the spreading of the COVID-19 pandemic, the following precautionary measures will be implemented at the AGM of the Company:

- Compulsory temperature screening/checks
- Wearing of surgical face mask
- No provision of refreshments or drinks, and no handing out of corporate gifts or gift coupons

The Company would like to remind attendees that they should carefully consider the risks of attending the AGM, taking into account their own personal circumstances. Any person who does not comply with the precautionary measures or is subject to Hong Kong Government prescribed quarantine may be denied entry to the AGM venue, at the absolute discretion of the Company as permitted by law

For the health and safety of Shareholders, the Company would like to encourage Shareholders to exercise their right to vote at the AGM by appointing the Chairman of the AGM as their proxy and to return their proxy forms by the time specified above, instead of attending the AGM in person.

The Company will keep the evolving COVID-19 situation under review and may implement and/or announce additional measures before the date of the AGM.

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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 convened

and held at The Chairman's Place, M/F, New World Millennium Hong Kong Hotel, 72 Mody Road, Tsim Sha Tsui East, Kowloon, Hong Kong on Tuesday, 28 June 2022 at 2:30 p.m. or any adjournment thereof (as the case may be), the notice of which is set out on pages 59 to 64 of this

circular

"Articles of Association" the articles of association of the Company

"Board" the board of Directors

"BVI" the British Virgin Islands

"Companies Act" the Companies Act, Chapter 22 (Act 3 of 1961, as

consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands

"Company" Huajin International Holdings Limited 華津國際控股有限

公司, a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability, whose Shares are listed on the Main Board

of the Stock Exchange (Stock Code: 2738)

"Controlling Shareholder(s)" has the meaning ascribed thereto under the Listing Rules

and for the purpose of this circular only, refers to Intrend

Ventures, Haiyi and Mr. Xu

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

"Extension Mandate" a general and unconditional mandate proposed to be

granted to the Directors to the effect that any Shares repurchased under the Repurchase Mandate will be added to the total number of Shares which may be allotted and

issued under the Issue Mandate

"Group" the Company and its subsidiaries

"Haiyi" Haiyi Limited (海逸有限公司), a business company

incorporated under the laws of BVI with limited liability and our Controlling Shareholder, which is wholy-owned by

Intrend Ventures

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

"Inter Consortium" Inter Consortium Holdings Limited (華滙控股有限公司), a

limited liability company incorporated in Hong Kong and

an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of our Company

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"Intrend Ventures" Intrend Ventures Limited, a business company incorporated under the laws of BVI with limited liability and our Controlling Shareholder, which is wholly-owned by Mr. Xu "Issue Mandate" a general and unconditional mandate to be granted to the Directors to allot, issue, and otherwise deal with new Shares and other securities with an aggregate nominal amount not exceeding 20% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution "Jiangmen Huajin" 江門市華津金屬製品有限公司 (Jiangmen Huajin Metal Product Company Limited\*), a limited liability company established under the laws of PRC and an indirect whollyowned subsidiary of our Company "Jiangmen Huamu" 江門市華睦五金有限公司 (Jiangmen Huamu Metals Company Limited\*), a limited liability company established under the laws of PRC and an indirect whollyowned subsidiary of our Company "Latest Practicable Date" 22 April 2022, being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this circular for the purpose of ascertaining certain information contained in this circular "Listing Date" 15 April 2016, being the date on which dealings in our Shares on the Stock Exchange commences "Listing Rules" the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange "Member(s)" the member(s) of the Company, being the Shareholder(s) "Memorandum" the memorandum of association of the Company "Memorandum and Articles the memorandum of association and articles of association and Association" of the Company "Mr. Xu" Mr. Xu Songqing (許松慶), our executive Director and Controlling Shareholder "PRC" the People's Republic of China (for the purpose of this circular, excluding Hong Kong, the Macau Special Administrative Region of the PRC and Taiwan)

#### **DEFINITIONS**

"Repurchase Mandate" a general and unconditional mandate to the Directors to

exercise the power of the Company to repurchase Shares in the capital of the Company up to a maximum of 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of passing the relevant resolution

"Proposed Amendments" the proposed amendments to the existing Memorandum and

Articles of Association, the details of which are set out in

Appendix III to this circular

"SFC" the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong

"SFO" the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the

Laws of Hong Kong)

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

the Company

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

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"Takeovers Code" The Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share Buy-backs

"HK\$" Hong Kong dollar(s), the lawful currency of Hong Kong

"S\$" or "SGD" Singapore dollar(s), the lawful currency of Singapore

"%" per cent

<sup>\*</sup> for identification purpose only



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Mr. Xu Songqing (Chairman)

Mr. Xu Jianhong (Vice Chairman)

Mr. Luo Canwen (Chief Executive Officer)

Mr. Xu Songman

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Mr. Ou Qiyuan

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28 April 2022

To the Shareholders

Dear Sirs or Madams,

#### PROPOSALS FOR

GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND REPURCHASE SHARES, RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS, RE-APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR,

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE EXISTING MEMORANDUM AND ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION AND

ADOPTION OF THE NEW MEMORANDUM AND ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION AND

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this circular is to provide the Shareholders with information regarding the following resolutions to be proposed at the AGM relating to, among other matters, (i) the proposed grant of the Issue Mandate, Repurchase Mandate and the Extension Mandate; (ii) the proposed re-election of retiring Directors; (iii) the re-appointment of the auditor of the Company; and (iv) the proposed amendments to the existing Memorandum and Articles of Association and adoption of the new Memorandum and Articles of Association, and to give the Shareholder the notice of AGM.

## 2. GRANT OF GENERAL MANDATE TO ISSUE SHARES AND REPURCHASE SHARES

At the AGM, the Shareholders will be asked to consider and, if thought fit, to approve the grant of the Issue Mandate to enable the Directors to exercise the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with new Shares not exceeding 20% of the number of issued Shares as at the date of the passing of the relevant resolution. As at the Latest Practicable Date, the number of Shares in issue was 600,000,000. Subject to the passing of the relevant resolution, the maximum number of new Shares (assuming that there will be no change in the number of Shares in issue between the Latest Practicable Date and the date of the AGM) to be issued under the proposed Issue Mandate is 120,000,000.

Ordinary resolutions will also be proposed at the AGM for the grant of the Repurchase Mandate to enable the Directors to exercise all the powers of the Company to repurchase Shares up to 10% of the number of issued Shares as at the date of the passing of the relevant resolution and to extend the Issue Mandate by an amount representing the aggregate number of issued Shares repurchased by the Company pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate to cover such Shares repurchased by the Company.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the aggregate number of Shares in issue was 600,000,000. Accordingly, subject to the passing of the relevant resolutions and assuming that there will be no change in the number of Shares in issue between the Latest Practicable Date and the date of the AGM, the exercise of the Repurchase Mandate in full would enable the Company to repurchase up to 60,000,000 Shares.

The Issue Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate will remain in effect until whichever is the earliest of:

- (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company following the AGM;
- (b) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of our Company is required to be held by the Articles of Association or any applicable laws of Cayman Islands; and
- (c) the passing of an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of our Company in a general meeting revoking, varying or renewing such mandate.

The Directors wish to state that they have no immediate plan to allot and issue any new Shares.

An explanatory statement containing information reasonably necessary to enable the Shareholders to make an informed decision on the proposed resolution for the grant of the Repurchase Mandate as required by the Listing Rules is set out in Appendix I to this circular.

#### 3. RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

As at the date hereof, the Board comprises four executive Directors, namely Mr. Xu Songqing, Mr. Luo Canwen, Mr. Xu Songman and Mr. Xu Jianhong, and three independent non-executive Directors, namely Mr. Goh Choo Hwee, Mr. Ou Qiyuan and Mr. Tam Yuk Sang, Sammy.

Pursuant to Article 83(3) of the Articles of Association, Mr. Ou Qiyuan ("Mr. Ou") shall retire and, being eligible, offer himself for re-election at the AGM.

Pursuant to Articles 84 of the Articles of Association, Mr. Xu Songman and Mr. Goh Choo Hwee ("Mr Goh") shall retire by rotation and, being eligible, offer themselves for reelection at the AGM.

The nomination committee of the Board (the "Nomination Committee") has assessed and reviewed the written confirmations of independence of Mr. Ou and Mr. Goh who have offered themselves for re-election at the AGM based on the independence criteria as set out in Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules and is satisfied that they remain independent in accordance with Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules. In addition, the Nomination Committee has evaluated Mr. Ou and Mr. Goh based on criteria set out in the nomination policy adopted by the Company including but not limited to the character and integrity, professional qualifications, skills, knowledge, experience and willingness and ability to devote adequate time to discharge duties as members of the Board.

The Nomination Committee is also of the view that Mr. Ou and Mr. Goh will bring to the Board perspectives, skills and experience as further described in their biographies as set out in Appendix II to this circular. Based on the Board diversity policy adopted by the Company, the Nomination Committee considers that Mr. Ou and Mr. Goh can contribute to the diversity of the Board, in particular, with Mr. Ou's experience in corporate development.

Therefore, the Board, with the recommendation of the Nomination Committee, supports the re-election of Mr. Ou and Mr. Goh as independent non-executive Director at the AGM.

Details of the retiring Directors who are proposed to be re-elected at the AGM are set out in Appendix II to this circular in accordance with the relevant requirements under the Listing Rules.

Further information about the Board's composition and diversity as well as the attendance record at the meetings of the Board and/or its committees and the general meetings of the Directors (including the retiring Directors) is disclosed in the Corporate Governance Report of the Company's annual report for the year ended 31 December 2021.

## 4. PROPOSED AMENDMENTS AND ADOPTION OF THE NEW MEMORANDUM AND ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

Reference is made to the announcement of the Company dated 22 April 2022 in relation to the Proposed Amendments and adoption of the new Memorandum and Articles of Association.

The Board proposed to amend its existing Memorandum and Articles of Association by way of adoption of the new Memorandum and Articles of Association to (i) allow the Company to hold hybrid general meetings and general meetings by electronic means;(ii) bring the Memorandum and Articles of Association in line with latest legal and regulatory requirements under the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands and the relevant Listing Rules (including the Core Shareholder Protection Standards set out in the amended Appendix 3 to the Listing Rules with effect from 1 January 2022); and (iii) make some other housekeeping improvements.

The major areas of the Proposed Amendments are summarized hereinbelow:

- (a) to delete the word "Law" wherever it may appear and replace it with the word "Act" in the Memorandum and Articles of Association;
- (b) to include certain defined terms to align with the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands, the Listing Rules and the relevant provisions in the Articles of Association including, among others, "Act", "announcement", "electronic communication", "electronic meeting", "HKSCC", "hybrid meeting", "Listing Rules", "Meeting Location", "physical meeting" and "Principal Meeting Place" and to update relevant provisions in the Articles of Association in this regard;
- (c) to provide that all general meetings (including an annual general meeting, any adjourned meeting or postponed meeting) may be held as a physical meeting in any part of the world and at one or more locations as provided in the Articles of Association, as a hybrid meeting or as an electronic meeting, as may be determined by the Board in its absolute discretion;
- (d) to recognise the use of electronic communication and/or facilities by the Company in addition to traditional and/or mechanical means;
- (e) to provide that any Member or Director attending and participating at a meeting held by means of electronic facilities shall be deemed to be present at that meeting;
- (f) to provide that the chairman of the meeting may, at his absolute discretion, interrupt or adjourn general meetings under certain prescribed circumstances;
- (g) to provide that the Board and the chairman of the meeting may make any arrangement to ensure the security and orderly conduct of general meetings;

- (h) to allow the Directors to postpone or make changes to a general meeting when they in their absolute discretion consider it is inappropriate, impracticable, unreasonable or undesirable for any reason to hold the general meeting on or at the scheduled date or time or place or in the scheduled form;
- (i) to provide that, the Members' right to remove a Director at any time before the expiration of his term by ordinary resolution, shall apply to a managing or other executive Director in alignment with Paragraph 4(3) of Appendix 3;
- (j) to provide that an annual general meeting of the Company shall be held in each financial year and such annual general meeting must be held within six (6) months after the end of the Company's financial year (unless a longer period would not infringe the Listing Rules or otherwise permitted by the Stock Exchange, if any) in alignment with Paragraph 14(1) of Appendix 3;
- (k) to provide that an annual general meeting of the Company must be called by written notice of not less than twenty-one (21) clear days while all other general meetings (including an extraordinary general meeting) must be called by written notice of not less than fourteen (14) clear days but if permitted by the Listing Rules or the Stock Exchange, a general meeting may be called by shorter notice, subject to the Companies Act, if it is agreed under the circumstances set out in the Articles of Association, in alignment with Paragraph 14(2) of Appendix 3;
- (1) to provide that all Members shall have the right to (i) speak at a general meeting of the Company; and (ii) vote at a general meeting of the Company except where a Member is required, by the Listing Rules, to abstain from voting to approve the matter under consideration in alignment with Paragraph 14(3) of Appendix 3;
- (m) to provide that remuneration of the auditor of the Company, unless otherwise provided by the Articles of Association, shall be fixed by the Company by ordinary resolution in general meeting or in such manner as the Members may determine in alignment with Paragraph 17 of Appendix 3;
- (n) to provide that any representatives authorised by a clearing house (including but not limited to Hong Kong Securities Clearing Company Limited) to attend any meeting of the Company shall have the right to speak at the meeting, in alignment with Paragraph 19 of Appendix 3;
- (o) to provide that two Members entitled to vote and present in person or by proxy or, for quorum purposes only, two persons appointed by the clearing house as authorised representative or proxy shall form a quorum for all purposes;
- (p) to provide that the Board may accept the surrender for no consideration of any fully paid share;

- to provide that the Board may resolve to capitalise all or any part of any amount for the time being standing to the credit of any reserve or fund (including a share premium account and the profit and loss account) whether or not the same is available for distribution by applying such sum in paying up unissued shares to be allotted to (i) employees (including directors) of the Company and/or its affiliates (meaning any individual, corporation, partnership, association, joint-stock company, trust, unincorporated association or other entity (other than the Company) that directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by or is under common control with, the Company) upon exercise or vesting of any options or awards granted under any share incentive scheme or employee benefit scheme or other arrangement which relates to such persons that has been adopted or approved by the Members at a general meeting, or (ii) any trustee of any trust to whom shares are to be allotted and issued by the Company in connection with the operation of any share incentive scheme or employee benefit scheme or other arrangement which relates to such persons that has been adopted or approved by the Members at a general meeting;
- (r) to provide that unless otherwise determined by the Directors, the financial year end of the Company shall be 31 December in each year; and
- (s) to update and tidy up definitions and other references as well as make other housekeeping amendments in line with the Proposed Amendments; to better align with the wordings in the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands and the Listing Rules and to reflect certain updates in relation to the applicable laws of Cayman Islands and the Listing Rules.

The Proposed Amendments and adoption of the new Memorandum and Articles of Association are subject to the approval of the Shareholders by way of a special resolution at the AGM and shall take effect on the date the relevant special resolution is approved at the AGM.

Full particulars of the Proposed Amendments brought about by the new Memorandum and Articles of Association are set out in Appendix III to this circular. The new Memorandum and Articles of Association is written in English with no official Chinese version and the Chinese translation is for reference only. Should there be any discrepancy, the English version shall prevail.

The legal advisers to the Company as to Hong Kong laws have confirmed that the Proposed Amendments comply with the requirements of the Listing Rules and the legal advisers to the Company as to the laws of the Cayman Islands have confirmed that the Proposed Amendments do not violate the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands. The Company confirms that there is nothing unusual about the Proposed Amendments for a company listed on the Stock Exchange.

#### 5. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Company will convene the AGM at 2:30 p.m. on Tuesday, 28 June 2022 at The Chairman's Place, M/F, New World Millennium Hong Kong Hotel, 72 Mody Road, Tsim Sha Tsui East, Kowloon, Hong Kong at which resolutions will be proposed for the purpose of considering and if thought fit, approving, inter alia, the resolutions proposed in this circular. The notice of the AGM is set out on pages 59 to 64 of this circular.

A form of proxy for use in connection with the AGM is enclosed herewith. Such form of proxy is also published on the websites of the Stock Exchange and the Company. Whether or not you are able to attend the AGM, you are requested to complete and return the enclosed form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon to the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Union Registrars Limited, at Suites 3301–04, 33/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square, 338 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong as soon as practicable but in any event not later than 48 hours before the time for holding the AGM or any adjourned meeting. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude Shareholders from attending and voting in person at the AGM or any adjourned meeting. If you attend and vote at the AGM, the authority of your proxy will be revoked.

To the best of the Directors' knowledge, information and belief, having made reasonable enquiries, the Directors confirm that no Shareholder is required to abstain from voting at the AGM.

#### 6. VOTING BY WAY OF POLL

In accordance with the requirements of Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules, any vote of shareholders at a general meeting must be taken by poll except where the chairman of the meeting, in good faith, decides to allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter to be voted on by a show of hands. As such, pursuant to Article 66 of the Articles of Association, the chairman of the AGM will demand a poll for the purpose of voting on all the resolutions set out in the notice of AGM. The Company will announce the results of the poll on all resolutions voted at the AGM in the manner prescribed under Rule 13.39(5) of the Listing Rules.

#### 7. CLOSURE OF REGISTER OF MEMBERS

In order to determine entitlement of Shareholders to the right to attend and vote at the AGM, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Thursday, 23 June 2022 to Tuesday, 28 June 2022, both days inclusive, during which period no share transfer will be effected. All share transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrars and transfer office in Hong Kong, Union Registrars Limited at Suites 3301-04, 33/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square, 338 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong, for registration not later than 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, 22 June 2022.

#### 8. GENERAL INFORMATION

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

#### 9. RECOMMENDATION

The Directors consider that the proposed grant of the Issue Mandate, the Repurchase Mandate, the Extension Mandate, the re-election of retiring Directors, the re-appointment of the auditor of the Company and the Proposed Amendments and adoption of the new Memorandum and Articles of Association are in the best interests of the Company and its Shareholders. Accordingly, the Directors recommend the Shareholders to vote in favour of the resolutions to be proposed at the AGM.

#### 10. RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

This circular, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the Listing Rules 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.

Yours faithfully,
By Order of the Board
HUAJIN INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LIMITED
Xu Songqing
Chairman

#### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT ON THE REPURCHASE MANDATE

This appendix serves as the explanatory statement, as required by the Listing Rules, to provide Shareholders requisite information for their consideration of the Repurchase Mandate.

#### 1. LISTING RULES RELATING TO THE REPURCHASE OF SHARES

The Listing Rules permit companies whose primary listing is on the Stock Exchange to repurchase their shares on the Stock Exchange subject to certain restrictions. Among such restrictions, the Listing Rules provide that the shares of such a company must be fully paid up and all repurchase of shares by such a company must be approved in advance by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders, either by way of a general mandate or by specific approval of a specific transaction.

#### 2. SHARE CAPITAL

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Company had 600,000,000 Shares in issue.

Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution for the grant of the Repurchase Mandate at the AGM and on the basis that no Shares are issued or repurchased prior to the AGM, the Company will be allowed under the Repurchase Mandate to repurchase a maximum of 60,000,000 Shares (representing 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date).

#### 3. REASON FOR REPURCHASE

The Directors have no present intention to repurchase any Shares but consider that the mandate will provide the Company the flexibility to make such repurchase when appropriate and beneficial to the Company. Such repurchase, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, may lead to an enhancement of the net asset value of the Company and its net assets and/or the earnings per share of the Company and will only be made when the Directors believe that such repurchase will benefit the Company and its Shareholders.

#### 4. FUNDING OF REPURCHASE

Any repurchase must be financed out of funds legally available for such purpose in accordance with the Memorandum and Articles of Association, the Listing Rules and any applicable laws and regulations from time to time in force of the Cayman Islands.

#### 5. EXERCISE OF REPURCHASE MANDATE

Exercise in full of the Repurchase Mandate, on the basis of 600,000,000 Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date, could accordingly result in up to 60,000,000 Shares being repurchased by our Company during the period in which the Repurchase Mandate remains in force. On the basis of the current financial position of our Group as disclosed in our 2021 annual report and taking into account the current working capital position of our Group, our Directors consider that, if the Repurchase Mandate were to be exercised in full, there might be a material adverse impact on the working capital and/or gearing position of our Group (as compared with the position disclosed in our 2021 annual report). However, our Directors do

## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT ON THE REPURCHASE MANDATE

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 requirements of our Group or the gearing levels which in the opinion of our Directors are from time to time appropriate for our Group.

#### 6. SHARE PRICES

The highest and lowest market prices per Share at which the Shares had been traded on the Stock Exchange during each of the twelve months preceding the Latest Practicable Date were as follows:

	Sha	Shares	
	Highest	Lowest	
	HK\$	HK\$	
2021			
April	2.48	2.15	
May	2.64	2.26	
June	3.03	2.55	
July	2.96	2.77	
August	3.21	2.00	
September	2.86	1.71	
October	2.49	2.12	
November	2.49	2.05	
December	2.62	2.29	
2022			
January	2.63	2.22	
February	2.65	2.27	
March	2.79	2.24	
April (up to the Latest Practicable Date)	2.57	2.23	

#### 7. UNDERTAKING

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange that, so far as the same may be applicable, they will exercise all power of the Company to make repurchases pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate and in accordance with the Listing Rules and all applicable laws of the Cayman Islands, and in accordance with the regulations set out in the Articles of Association.

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#### 8. TAKEOVERS CODE

If as a result of a repurchase of Shares, 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 Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code. Accordingly, a Shareholder, or group of Shareholders acting in concert (as defined in the Takeovers Code), depending on the level of increase of the Shareholders' interest, could obtain or consolidate control of the Company and become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 or Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code.

To the best knowledge and belief of the Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, as at the Latest Practicable Date, Haiyi was interested in 391,500,000 Shares representing approximately 65.25% of the issued Shares of the Company. The entire issued share capital of Haiyi is legally and beneficially owned by Intrend Ventures and the entire issued share capital of Intrend Ventures is legally and beneficially owned by Mr. Xu. Each of Haiyi, Intrend Ventures and Mr. Xu is considered as our Controlling Shareholders for the purpose of the Listing Rules.

On the basis that no Shares are issued or repurchased prior to the date of the AGM, in the event that the Directors exercise in full the power to repurchase Shares pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate, the shareholding of Haiyi will be increased to approximately 72.50% of the issued Shares of the Company. Such increase would not give rise to an obligation on the part of Haiyi and parties acting in concert (as defined in the Takeovers Code) with it to make a mandatory offer under Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code.

Nevertheless, the Directors have no present intention to exercise the Repurchase Mandate and will not effect repurchases to such an extent which will result in the number of Shares in the hands of the public falling below the prescribed minimum percentage of 25% as required by the Listing Rules.

On the basis that the issued share capital of the Company remains the same, the Directors are not aware of any consequences which may arise under Rules 26 and 32 of the Takeovers Code. The Directors do not intend to exercise the Repurchase Mandate to an extent which would, in the circumstances, trigger any potential consequences under the Takeovers Code.

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

The Company has not repurchased any of its Shares, whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise, in the six months preceding the Latest Practicable Date.

The Listing Rules prohibit a company from making repurchase on the Stock Exchange if the result of the repurchase would be that less than 25% (or such other prescribed minimum percentage as determined by the Stock Exchange) of the issued share capital would be in public hands. The Directors do not propose to repurchase Shares which would result in less than the prescribed minimum percentage of Shares in public hands.

## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT ON THE REPURCHASE MANDATE

#### 10. GENERAL

None of the Directors nor, to the best of their knowledge having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their respective close associates (as defined under the Listing Rules), has any present intention to sell any Shares to the Company or its subsidiaries under the Repurchase Mandate if such resolution is approved by the Shareholders.

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

#### APPENDIX II

## DETAILS OF RETIRING DIRECTORS PROPOSED FOR RE-ELECTION

The following are the particulars of the retiring Directors proposed for re-election at the AGM:

(1) Mr. Xu Songman, aged 45, was appointed as an executive Director on 18 December 2015. Mr. Xu Songman joined our Group in July 2005 and currently serves as the sales director of Jiangmen Huajin and Jiangmen Huamu. Mr. Xu Songman has been primarily responsible for the overall domestic and overseas marketing and logistics related services of our Group. Mr. Xu Songman is also a director of Inter Consortium. Prior to joining our Group, Mr. Xu Songman was involved in and managed his steel trading business in the Guangdong Province, the PRC, from 2002 to 2005. Mr. Xu Songman was engaged in the restaurant industry in the United Kingdom from 1997 to 2001. Mr. Xu Songman completed an EMBA course at Sun Yat-sen University (中山大學) located in Guangdong Province, the PRC in April 2014. Mr. Xu Songman is the younger brother of Mr. Xu and the uncle of Mr. Xu Jianhong.

Mr. Xu Songman has entered into a service contract with the Company for an initial fixed term of three years commencing from the Listing Date renewable automatically until terminated by not less than three months' notice in writing served by either party on the other expiring at the end of the initial term or any time thereafter. Mr. Xu Songman is entitled to an annual salary of HK\$250,000, subject to annual review with such increment (if any) and, subject to the absolute discretion of the Board, a discretionary bonus as may be recommended by the remuneration committee and approved by the Board with reference to his duties and contributions. For the year ended 31 December 2021, Mr. Xu Songman received his annual salary of HK\$250,000 in his capacity as executive Director.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Xu Songman held 1,818,181 share options entitling him to subscribe for 1,818,181 Shares, representing 0.30% of the share capital of the Company. Save as disclosed above, Mr. Xu Songman does not have any other interest in the Shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Xu Songman (i) did not hold any other directorship in listed public companies in Hong Kong or overseas in the three years before the Latest Practicable Date; (ii) does not hold any other positions with the Company or its subsidiaries and (iii) is not connected and has no other relationship with any Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company.

## DETAILS OF RETIRING DIRECTORS PROPOSED FOR RE-ELECTION

(2) Mr. Goh Choo Hwee (吳慈飛), aged 50, was appointed as an independent non-executive Director on 23 March 2016. Mr. Goh is also a member of each of the audit, remuneration and nomination committee of the Company. Mr. Goh is a practising solicitor in Hong Kong and currently a consultant at Ma Tang & Co., a law firm in Hong Kong. Mr. Goh graduated from The University of Hong Kong with Postgraduate Certificate in Laws in June 1995.

Mr. Goh is currently an independent non-executive director of Tsui Wah Holdings Limited (stock code: 1314), a company listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange.

Mr. Goh has signed a letter of appointment with the Company with effect from 23 March 2016 subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at annual general meetings of our Company and until terminated by not less than three months' notice in writing served by either the Company or the relevant Director. Mr. Goh is entitled to a Director's fee of HK\$200,000 per annum which is determined with reference to the Director's duties and responsibilities in the Company and the remuneration for directors of comparable listed companies. For the year ended 31 December 2021, Mr. Goh received his Director's fee of HK\$200,000 in his capacity as an independent non-executive Director.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Goh did not have any interest in the Shares with in the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Saved as disclosed above, Mr. Goh (i) did not hold any other directorship in listed public companies in Hong Kong or overseas in the three years before the Latest Practicable Date; (ii) does not hold any other positions with the Company or its subsidiaries and (iii) is not connected and has no other relationship with any Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company.

(3) Mr. Ou Qiyuan (區啓源), aged 46, was appointed as an independent non-executive Director of our Company on 1 October 2021. Mr. Ou is also a member of each of the audit, nomination and remuneration committee of the Company. Mr. Ou was graduated from South China University of Technology, specializing in business administration, in 2013. Mr. Ou has been serving as the managing director of 江門市國旅國際旅行社有限公司 (Jiangmen International Travel Service Co., Ltd.\*) since May 2007. Mr. Ou is also the sole shareholder of this company. Mr. Ou has over 14 years of operations and management experience in tourism business and corporate development.

Mr. Ou has entered into a letter of appointment with the Company for his appointment as an independent non-executive Director for an initial term of three years commencing on 1 October 2021, which is renewable automatically or terminated by either party giving one month written notice. Mr. Ou's directorship with the Company is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election in accordance with the articles of association of the Company and his term of office shall continue until the next general meeting of the Company and thereafter subject to retirement by rotation at least once every three years. Mr. Ou is entitled to an annual director fee of HK\$120,000, which is covered by the letter of appointment and has been determined by the Board upon the recommendation of the remuneration committee of the Company with reference to his relevant qualifications,

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experience, duties and responsibilities within the Company as well as prevailing market benchmark. For the year ended 31 December 2021, Mr. Ou received his annual salary of HK\$30,000 in his capacity as independent non-executive Director.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Ou did not have any interest in the Shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Ou (i) did not hold any other directorship in listed public companies in Hong Kong or overseas in the three years before the Latest Practicable Date; (ii) does not hold any other positions with the Company or its subsidiaries and (iii) is not connected and has no other relationship with any Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company.

#### **GENERAL**

None of the above retiring Directors have any other information which is required to be disclosed under Rule 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules or no other matters that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders or the Stock Exchange.

This appendix sets out the Proposed Amendments brought about by the new Memorandum and Articles of Association (which are shown as mark-ups). Unless otherwise specified, clauses, paragraphs and article numbers referred to herein are clauses, paragraphs and article numbers of the new Memorandum and Articles of Association.

### $Proposed \ amendments \ to \ the \ existing \ Memorandum$

#### No. (showing changes to the existing Memorandum)

- 2. The Registered Office of the Company shall be at the offices of Codan Conyers Trust Company (Cayman) Limited, Cricket Square, Hutchins Drive, PO Box 2681, Grand Cayman, KY1-1111, Cayman Islands, or at such other place as the Directors may from time to time decide.
- 4. Subject to the following provisions of this Memorandum, the Company shall have and be capable of exercising all the functions of a natural person of full capacity irrespective of any question of corporate benefit, as provided by Section 27(2) of the Companies ActLaw (As Revised).
- 8. The share capital of the Company is HK\$80,000,000 divided into 8,000,000,000 shares of a nominal or par value of HK\$0.01 each, with the power for the Company, insofar as is permitted by law, to redeem or purchase any of its shares and to increase or reduce the said share capital subject to the provisions of the Companies ActLaw (As Revised) and the Articles of Association of the Company and to issue any part of its capital, whether original, redeemed or increased, with or without any preference, priority or special privilege or subject to any postponement of rights or to any conditions or restrictions; and so that, unless the conditions of issue shall otherwise expressly declare, every issue of shares, whether declared to be preference or otherwise, shall be subject to the power hereinbefore contained.
- 9. The Company may exercise the power contained in the Companies ActLaw (As Revised) to deregister in the Cayman Islands and be registered by way of continuation in another jurisdiction.

#### Article Proposed amendments to the existing Articles of Association No. (showing changes to the existing Articles of Association)

- 1. The regulations in Table A in the Schedule to the Companies ActLaw (As Revised) do not apply to the Company.
- 2. (1) In these Articles, unless the context otherwise requires, the words standing in the first column of the following table shall bear the meaning set opposite them respectively in the second column.

#### **WORD MEANING**

"Act" the Companies Act, Cap. 22 (Act 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands.

"announcement" an official publication of a Notice or document of the Company, including a publication, subject to and to such extent permitted by the Listing Rules, by electronic communication or by advertisement published in the newspapers or in such manner or means ascribed and

permitted by the Listing Rules and applicable laws.

shall mean a day on which the Designated Stock Exchange generally is open for the business of dealing in securities in Hong Kong. For the avoidance of doubt, where the Designated Stock Exchange is closed for the business of dealing in securities in Hong Kong on a business day for the reason of a Number 8 or higher Typhoon Signal, Black Rainstorm Warning or other similar event, such day shall for the purposes of these

Articles be counted as a business day.

a clearing house recognised by the laws of the jurisdiction in which the shares of the Company are listed or quoted on a stock exchange in such jurisdiction including but not

limited to HKSCC.

in relation to any Director, shall have the same meaning

as defined in the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange ("Listing Rules") as modified from time to time, except that for purposes of Article 100 where the transaction or arrangement to be approved by the Board is a connected transaction referred to in the Listing Rules, it shall have the same meaning as that ascribed to "associate" in the

Listing Rules.

### "business day"

## "clearing house"

#### "close associate"

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"electronic a communication sent, transmitted, conveyed and received by wire, by radio, by optical means or by other electron

magnetic means in any form through any medium.

"electronic meeting" a general meeting held and conducted wholly and

exclusively by virtual attendance and participation by Members and/or proxies by means of electronic facilities.

"HKSCC" Hong Kong Securities Clearing Company Limited.

"hybrid meeting" a general meeting convened for the (i) physical attendance

by Members and/or proxies at the Principal Meeting Place and where applicable, one or more Meeting Locations and (ii) virtual attendance and participation by Members and/

or proxies by means of electronic facilities.

"Listing Rules" rules of the Designated Stock Exchange.

"Meeting Location" has the meaning given to it in Article 64A.

"Law" The Companies Law, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as

consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands.

"physical meeting" a general meeting held and conducted by physical

attendance and participation by Members and/or proxies at the Principal Meeting Place and/or where applicable.

one or more Meeting Locations.

"Principal Meeting

Place"

shall have the meaning given to it in Article 59(2).

"Statutes" the Act Law and every other law of the Legislature of the

Cayman Islands for the time being in force applying to or affecting the Company, its memorandum of association

and/or these Articles.

"Subsidiary and Holding Company"

has the meanings attributed to them in the rules of the

Designated Stock Exchange.

"substantial shareholder"

a person who is entitled to exercise, or to control the

exercise of, 10% or more (or such other percentage as may be prescribed by the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules from time to time) of the voting

power at any general meeting of the Company.

(Note: The above new/amended definitions will be inserted/arranged in Article 2(1) in alphabetical order.)

- (2) In these Articles, unless there be something within the subject or context inconsistent with such construction:
  - (a) words importing the singular include the plural and vice versa;
  - (b) words importing a gender include both gender and the neuter;
  - (c) words importing persons include companies, associations and bodies of persons whether corporate or not;
  - (d) the words:
    - (i) "may" shall be construed as permissive;
    - (ii) "shall" or "will" shall be construed as imperative;
  - (e) expressions referring to writing shall, unless the contrary intention appears, be construed as including printing, lithography, photography and other modes of representing or reproducing words or figures in a legible and non-transitory form or, to the extent permitted by and in accordance with the Statutes and other applicable laws, rules and regulations, any visible substitute for writing (including an electronic communication), or modes of representing or reproducing words partly in one visible form and partly in another visible form, and including where the representation takes the form of electronic display, provided that both the mode of service of the relevant document or Notice and the Member's election comply with all applicable Statutes, rules and regulations; visible form, and including where the representation takes the form of electronic display, provided that both the mode of service of the relevant document or notice and the Member's election comply with all applicable Statutes, rules and regulations; visible Statutes, rules and regulations;
  - (f) references to any law, ordinance, statute or statutory provision shall be interpreted as relating to any statutory modification or re enactment thereof for the time being in force;
  - (g) save as aforesaid words and expressions defined in the Statutes shall bear the same meanings in these Articles if not inconsistent with the subject in the context;

- (h) references to a document (including, but without limitation, a resolution in writing) being signed or executed include references to it being signed or executed under hand or under seal or by electronic signature or by electronic communication or by any other method and references to a Noticenotice or document include a Noticenotice or document recorded or stored in any digital, electronic, electrical, magnetic or other retrievable form or medium and information in visible form whether having physical substance or not;
- (i) Section 8 and Section 19 of the Electronic Transactions Act Law (2003) of the Cayman Islands, as amended from time to time, shall not apply to these Articles to the extent it imposes obligations or requirements in addition to those set out in these Articles.
- (j) a reference to a meeting shall mean a meeting convened and held in any manner permitted by these Articles and any Member or Director attending and participating at a meeting by means of electronic facilities shall be deemed to be present at that meeting for all purposes of the Statutes and these Articles, and attend, participate, attending, participating, attendance and participation shall be construed accordingly;
- (k) references to a person's participation in the business of a general meeting include without limitation and as relevant the right (including, in the case of a corporation, through a duly authorised representative) to speak or communicate, vote, be represented by a proxy and have access in hard copy or electronic form to all documents which are required by the Statutes or these Articles to be made available at the meeting, and participate and participating in the business of a general meeting shall be construed accordingly;
- (1) references to electronic facilities include, without limitation, website addresses, webinars, webcast, video or any form of conference call systems (telephone, video, web or otherwise); and
- (m) where a Member is a corporation, any reference in these Articles to a Member shall, where the context requires, refer to a duly authorised representative of such Member.

- 3. (1) The share capital of the Company at the date on which these Articles come into effect shall be divided into shares of a par value of \$0.01 each.
  - (2) Subject to the ActLaw, the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association and, where applicable, the Listing Rulesrules of any Designated Stock Exchange and/or the rules of any competent regulatory authority, the Company shall have the power to purchase or otherwise acquire its own shares and such power shall be exercisable by the Board in such manner, upon such terms and subject to such conditions as it in its absolute discretion thinks fit and any determination by the Board of the manner of purchase shall be deemed authorised by these Articles for purposes of the ActLaw. The Company is hereby authorised to make payments in respect of the purchase of its shares out of capital or out of any other account or fund which can be authorised for this purpose in accordance with the ActLaw.
  - (3) Subject to compliance with the rules and regulations of the Designated Stock Exchange and any other relevant regulatory authority, the Company may give financial assistance for the purpose of or in connection with a purchase made or to be made by any person of any shares in the Company.
  - (4) The Board may accept the surrender for no consideration of any fully paid share.
  - (54) No share shall be issued to bearer.
- 4. The Company may from time to time by ordinary resolution in accordance with the Act<del>Law</del> alter the conditions of its Memorandum of Association to:
  - (a) increase its capital by such sum, to be divided into shares of such amounts, as the resolution shall prescribe;
  - (b) consolidate and divide all or any of its capital into shares of larger amount than its existing shares;
  - (c) divide its shares into several classes and without prejudice to any special rights previously conferred on the holders of existing shares attach thereto respectively any preferential, deferred, qualified or special rights, privileges, conditions or such restrictions which in the absence of any such determination by the Company in general meeting, as the Directors may determine provided always that where the Company issues shares which do not carry voting rights, the words "non voting" shall appear in the designation of such shares and where the equity capital includes shares with different voting rights, the designation of each class of shares, other than those with the most favourable voting rights, must include the words "restricted voting" or "limited voting";

- (d) sub divide its shares, or any of them, into shares of smaller amount than is fixed by the Company's Memorandum of Association (subject, nevertheless, to the ActLaw), and may by such resolution determine that, as between the holders of the shares resulting from such sub division, one or more of the shares may have any such preferred, deferred or other rights or be subject to any such restrictions as compared with the other or others as the Company has power to attach to unissued or new shares;
- (e) cancel any shares which, at the date of the passing of the resolution, have not been taken, or agreed to be taken, by any person, and diminish the amount of its capital by the amount of the shares so cancelled or, in the case of shares, without par value, diminish the number of shares into which its capital is divided.
- 6. The Company may from time to time by special resolution, subject to any confirmation or consent required by the ActLaw, reduce its share capital or any capital redemption reserve or other undistributable reserve in any manner permitted by Actlaw.
- 8. (1) Subject to the provisions of the ActLaw and the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association and to any special rights conferred on the holders of any shares or class of shares, any share in the Company (whether forming part of the present capital or not) may be issued with or have attached thereto such rights or restrictions whether in regard to dividend, voting, return of capital or otherwise as the Board may determine.
  - (2) Subject to the provisions of the ActLaw, the rules of any Designated Stock ExchangeListing Rules and the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and to any special rights conferred on the holders of any shares or attaching to any class of shares, shares may be issued on the terms that they may be, or at the option of the Company or the holder are, liable to be redeemed on such terms and in such manner, including out of capital, as the Board may deem fit.
- 9. <u>INTENTIONALLY DELETED</u>Where the Company purchases for redemption a redeemable share, purchases not made through the market or by tender shall be limited to a maximum price as may from time to time be determined by the Company in general meeting, either generally or with regard to specific purchases. If purchases are by tender, tenders shall be available to all Members alike.

- 10. Subject to the ActLaw and without prejudice to Article 8, all or any of the special rights for the time being attached to the shares or any class of shares may, unless otherwise provided by the terms of issue of the shares of that class, from time to time (whether or not the Company is being wound up) be varied, modified or abrogated either with the consent in writing of the holders of not less than three fourths in nominal value of the issued shares of that class or with the sanction of a special resolution passed at a separate general meeting of the holders of the shares of that class. To every such separate general meeting all the provisions of these Articles relating to general meetings of the Company shall, mutatis mutandis, apply, but so that:
  - (a) the necessary quorum (other than at an adjourned meeting) shall be two persons (or in the case of a Member being a corporation, its duly authorized representative) holding or representing by proxy not less than one third in nominal value of the issued shares of that class and at any adjourned meeting of such holders, two holders present in person or (in the case of a Member being a corporation) its duly authorized representative or by proxy (whatever the number of shares held by them) shall be a quorum; and
  - (b) every holder of shares of the class shall be entitled to one vote for every such share held by him.
- Subject to the ActLaw, these Articles, any direction that may be given by the 12(1). Company in general meeting and, where applicable, the rules of any Designated Stock ExchangeListing Rules and without prejudice to any special rights or restrictions for the time being attached to any shares or any class of shares, the unissued shares of the Company (whether forming part of the original or any increased capital) shall be at the disposal of the Board, which may offer, allot, grant options over or otherwise dispose of them to such persons, at such times and for such consideration and upon such terms and conditions as the Board may in its absolute discretion determine but so that no shares shall be issued at a discount. Neither the Company nor the Board shall be obliged, when making or granting any allotment of, offer of, option over or disposal of shares, to make, or make available, any such allotment, offer, option or shares to Members or others with registered addresses in any particular territory or territories being a territory or territories where, in the absence of a registration statement or other special formalities, this would or might, in the opinion of the Board, be unlawful or impracticable. Members affected as a result of the foregoing sentence shall not be, or be deemed to be, a separate class of members for any purpose whatsoever.

- 13. The Company may in connection with the issue of any shares exercise all powers of paying commission and brokerage conferred or permitted by the ActLaw. Subject to the ActLaw, the commission may be satisfied by the payment of cash or by the allotment of fully or partly paid shares or partly in one and partly in the other.
- 14. Except as required by Actlaw, no person shall be recognised by the Company as holding any share upon any trust and the Company shall not be bound by or required in any way to recognise (even when having notice thereof) any equitable, contingent, future or partial interest in any share or any fractional part of a share or (except only as otherwise provided by these Articles or by Actlaw) any other rights in respect of any share except an absolute right to the entirety thereof in the registered holder.
- 15. Subject to the ActLaw and these Articles, the Board may at any time after the allotment of shares but before any person has been entered in the Register as the holder, recognise a renunciation thereof by the allottee in favour of some other person and may accord to any allottee of a share a right to effect such renunciation upon and subject to such terms and conditions as the Board considers fit to impose.
- 19. Share certificates shall be issued within the relevant time limit as prescribed by the ActLaw or as the Designated Stock Exchange may from time to time determine, whichever is the shorter, after allotment or, except in the case of a transfer which the Company is for the time being entitled to refuse to register and does not register, after lodgment of a transfer with the Company.
- 44. The Register and branch register of Members, as the case may be, shall be open to inspection for at least two (2) hours during business hours by Members without charge or by any other person, upon a maximum payment of \$2.50 or such lesser sum specified by the Board, at the Office or such other place at which the Register is kept in accordance with the ActLaw or, if appropriate, upon a maximum payment of \$1.00 or such lesser sum specified by the Board at the Registration Office. The Register including any overseas or local or other branch register of Members may, after notice has been given by advertisement in an appointed newspaper or any other newspapers in accordance with the requirements of any Designated Stock Exchange or by any electronic means in such manner as may be accepted by the Designated Stock Exchange to that effect, be closed at such times or for such periods not exceeding in the whole thirty (30) days in each year as the Board may determine and either generally or in respect of any class of shares.

- 45. Subject to the rules of any Designated Stock ExchangeListing Rules, notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles the Company or the Directors may fix any date as the record date for:
  - (a) determining the Members entitled to receive any dividend, distribution, allotment or issue and such record date may be on, or at any time not more than thirty (30) days before or after, any date on which such dividend, distribution, allotment or issue is declared, paid or made;
  - (b) determining the Members entitled to receive <u>Noticenotice</u> of and to vote at any general meeting of the Company.
- 46. (1) Subject to these Articles, any Member may transfer all or any of his shares by an instrument of transfer in the usual or common form or in a form prescribed by the Designated Stock Exchange or in any other form approved by the Board and may be under hand or, if the transferor or transferee is a clearing house or its nominee(s), by hand or by machine imprinted signature or by such other manner of execution as the Board may approve from time to time.
  - (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subparagraph (1) above, for so long as any shares are listed on the Designated Stock Exchange, titles to such listed shares may be evidenced and transferred in accordance with the laws applicable to and the Listing Rules that are or shall be applicable to such listed shares. The register of members of the Company in respect of its listed shares (whether the Register or a branch register) may be kept by recording the particulars required by Section 40 of the Act in a form otherwise than legible if such recording otherwise complies with the laws applicable to and the Listing Rules that are or shall be applicable to such listed shares.
- Unless the Board otherwise agrees (which agreement may be on such terms and subject to such conditions as the Board in its absolute discretion may from time to time determine, and which agreement the Board shall, without giving any reason therefor, be entitled in its absolute discretion to give or withhold), no shares upon the Register shall be transferred to any branch register nor shall shares on any branch register be transferred to the Register or any other branch register and all transfers and other documents of title shall be lodged for registration, and registered, in the case of any shares on a branch register, at the relevant Registration Office, and, in the case of any shares on the Register, at the Office or such other place at which the Register is kept in accordance with the ActLaw.

- 49. Without limiting the generality of the last preceding Article, the Board may decline to recognise any instrument of transfer unless:
  - (a) a fee of such maximum sum as the Designated Stock Exchange may determine to be payable or such lesser sum as the Board may from time to time require is paid to the Company in respect thereof;
  - (b) the instrument of transfer is in respect of only one class of share;
  - (c) the instrument of transfer is lodged at the Office or such other place at which the Register is kept in accordance with the ActLaw or the Registration Office (as the case may be) accompanied by the relevant share certificate(s) and such other evidence as the Board may reasonably require to show the right of the transferor to make the transfer (and, if the instrument of transfer is executed by some other person on his behalf, the authority of that person so to do); and
  - (d) if applicable, the instrument of transfer is duly and properly stamped.
- 51. The registration of transfers of shares or of any class of shares may, after notice has been given by announcement or by electronic communication or by advertisement in any newspapers or by any other means in accordance with the requirements of any Designated Stock Exchange to that effect be suspended at such times and for such periods (not exceeding in the whole thirty (30) days in any year) as the Board may determine. The period of thirty (30) days may be extended in respect of any year if approved by the Members by ordinary resolution.
- 55(2). The Company shall have the power to sell, in such manner as the Board thinks fit, any shares of a Member who is untraceable, but no such sale shall be made unless:
  - (a) all cheques or warrants in respect of dividends of the shares in question, being not less than three in total number, for any sum payable in cash to the holder of such shares in respect of them sent during the relevant period in the manner authorised by the Articles have remained uncashed;
  - (b) so far as it is aware at the end of the relevant period, the Company has not at any time during the relevant period received any indication of the existence of the Member who is the holder of such shares or of a person entitled to such shares by death, bankruptcy or operation of Actlaw; and

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(c) the Company, if so required by the rules governing the listing of shares on the Designated Stock Exchange, has given notice of its intention to, and caused advertisement in newspapers in accordance with the requirements of, the Designated Stock Exchange to be made of its intention to sell such shares to, and caused advertisement both in daily newspaper and in a newspaper circulating in the area of the last known address of such Member or any person entitled to the share under Article 54 and where applicable, in each case in accordance with the requirements of, in the manner required by the Designated Stock Exchange, and a period of three (3) months or such shorter period as may be allowed by the Designated Stock Exchange has elapsed since the date of such advertisement.

For the purpose of the foregoing, the "relevant period" means the period commencing twelve (12) years before the date of publication of the advertisement referred to in paragraph (c) of this Article and ending at the expiry of the period referred to in that paragraph.

- An annual general meeting of the Company shall be held in each financial year other than the year of the Company's adoption of these Articles (within a period of not more than fifteen (15) months after the holding of the last preceding and such annual general meeting must be held within six (6) or not more than eighteen (18) months after the end of the Company's financial yeardate of adoption of these Articles, (unless a longer period would not infringe the Listing Rules or otherwise permitted byrules of the Designated Stock Exchange, if any) at such time and place as may be determined by the Board.
- Each general meeting, other than an annual general meeting, shall be called an extraordinary general meeting. All Generalgeneral meetings (including an annual general meeting, any adjourned meeting or postponed meeting) may be held as a physical meeting in any part of the world and at one or more locations as provided in Article 64A, as a hybrid meeting or as an electronic meeting, as may be determined by the Board in its absolute discretionin any part of the world as may be determined by the Board.

- The Board may whenever it thinks fit call extraordinary general meetings. Any one or more Member(s) holding at the date of deposit of the requisition not less than one-tenth of the paid up capital of the Company carrying the right of voting at general meetings of the Company shall at all times have the right, by written requisition to the Board or the Secretary of the Company, to require an extraordinary general meeting to be called by the Board for the transaction of any business or resolution specified in such requisition; and such meeting shall be held within two (2) months after the deposit of such requisition. If within twenty one (21) days of such deposit the Board fails to proceed to convene such meeting the requisitionist(s) himself (themselves) may convene a physical meeting at only one location which will be the Principal Meeting Placemay do so in the same manner, and all reasonable expenses incurred by the requisitionist(s) by the Company.
- 59. (1) An annual general meeting must be called by Notice of not less than twenty-one (21) clear days—and not less than twenty (20) clear business days. All other general meetings (including an extraordinary general meeting) must be called by Notice of not less than fourteen (14) clear days and not less than ten (10) clear business days but if permitted by the Listing Rules or rules of the Designated Stock Exchange, a general meeting may be called by shorter notice, subject to the ActLaw, if it is so agreed:
  - (a) in the case of a meeting called as an annual general meeting, by all the Members entitled to attend and vote thereat; and
  - (b) in the case of any other meeting, by a majority in number of the Members having the right to attend and vote at the meeting, being a majority together representing not less than ninety-five per cent. (95%) of the total voting rights at the meeting of all the Members.

- The Noticenotice shall specify (a) the time and date of the meeting, (b) save for an electronic meeting, the place of the meeting and if there is more than one meeting location as determined by the Board pursuant to Article 64A, the principal place of the meeting (the "Principal Meeting Place"), (c) if the general meeting is to be a hybrid meeting or an electronic meeting, the Notice shall include a statement to that effect and with details of the electronic facilities for attendance and participation by electronic means at the meeting or where such details will be made available by the Company prior to the meeting, and (d) particulars of resolutions to be considered at the meeting and, in case of special business, the general nature of the business. The notice convening an annual general meeting shall specify the meeting as such. The Notice convening an annual general meeting shall specify the meeting as such. Notice of every general meeting shall be given to all Members other than to such Members as, under the provisions of these Articles or the terms of issue of the shares they hold, are not entitled to receive such Notices notices from the Company, to all persons entitled to a share in consequence of the death or bankruptcy or winding up of a Member and to each of the Directors and the Auditors.
- 61. (1) All business shall be deemed special that is transacted at an extraordinary general meeting, and also all business that is transacted at an annual general meeting, with the exception of:
  - (a) the declaration and sanctioning of dividends;
  - (b) consideration and adoption of the accounts and balance sheet and the reports of the Directors and Auditors and other documents required to be annexed to the balance sheet:
  - (c) the election of Directors whether by rotation or otherwise in the place of those retiring;
  - (d) appointment of Auditors (where special notice of the intention for such appointment is not required by the <u>ActLaw</u>) and other officers;
  - (e) the fixing of the remuneration of the Auditors, and the voting of remuneration or extra remuneration to the Directors;
  - (f) the granting of any mandate or authority to the Directors to offer, allot, grant options over or otherwise dispose of the unissued shares in the capital of the Company representing not more than twenty per cent. (20%) in nominal value of its existing issued share capital; and

- (g) the granting of any mandate or authority to the Directors to repurchase securities of the Company.
- (2) No business other than the appointment of a chairman of a meeting shall be transacted at any general meeting unless a quorum is present at the commencement of the business. Two (2) Members entitled to vote and present in person or by proxy or for quorum purposes only, two persons appointed by the clearing house as authorized representative or proxy (in the case of a Member being a corporation) by its duly authorised representative shall form a quorum for all purposes.
- 62. If within thirty (30) minutes (or such longer time not exceeding one hour as the chairman of the meeting may determine to wait) after the time appointed for the meeting a quorum is not present, the meeting, if convened on the requisition of Members, shall be dissolved. In any other case it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and (where applicable) same place(s) or to such time and (where applicable) such place(s) and in such form and manner referred to in Article 57 as the chairman of the meeting (or in default, the Board) may absolutely as the Board may determine. If at such adjourned meeting a quorum is not present within half an hour from the time appointed for holding the meeting, the meeting shall be dissolved.
- 63. The chairman of the Company or if there is more than one chairman, any one of them as may be agreed amongst themselves or failing such agreement, any one of them elected by all the Directors present shall preside as chairman at aevery general meeting. If at any meeting nothe chairman, is not present within fifteen (15) minutes after the time appointed for holding the meeting, or is not willing to act as chairman, the deputy chairman of the Company or if there is more than one deputy chairman, any one of them as may be agreed amongst themselves or failing such agreement, any one of them elected by all the Directors present shall preside as chairman. If no chairman or deputy chairman is present or is willing to act as chairman of the meeting, the Directors present shall choose one of their number to act, or if one Director only is present he shall preside as chairman if willing to act. If no Director is present, or if each of the Directors present declines to take the chair, or if the chairman chosen shall retire from the chair, the Members present in person or (in the case of a Member being a corporation) by its duly authorised representative or by proxy and entitled to vote shall elect one of their number to be chairman of the meeting.

- 64. Subject to Article 64C, the The chairman may, with the consent of any meeting at which a quorum is present (and shall if so directed by the meeting), adjourn the meeting from time to time (or indefinitely) and/or from place to place(s) and/or from one form to another (a physical meeting, a hybrid meeting or an electronic meeting) and from place to place as the meeting shall determine, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business which might lawfully have been transacted at the meeting had the adjournment not taken place. When a meeting is adjourned for fourteen (14) days or more, at least seven (7) clear days' Noticenotice of the adjourned meeting shall be given specifying details set out in Article 59(2) but it shall not be necessary to specify in such Notice the time and place of the adjourned meeting but it shall not be necessary to specify in such notice—the nature of the business to be transacted at the adjourned meeting and the general nature of the business to be transacted. Save as aforesaid, it shall be unnecessary to give Noticenotice of an adjournment.
- 64A. (1) The Board may, at its absolute discretion, arrange for persons entitled to attend a general meeting to do so by simultaneous attendance and participation by means of electronic facilities at such location or locations ("Meeting Location(s)") determined by the Board at its absolute discretion. Any Member or any proxy attending and participating in such way or any Member or proxy attending and participating in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities is deemed to be present at and shall be counted in the quorum of the meeting.
  - (2) All general meetings are subject to the following and, where appropriate, all references to a "Member" or "Members" in this sub-paragraph (2) shall include a proxy or proxies respectively:
    - (a) where a Member is attending a Meeting Location and/or in the case of a hybrid meeting, the meeting shall be treated as having commenced if it has commenced at the Principal Meeting Place;
    - (b) Members present in person or by proxy at a Meeting Location and/or Members attending and participating in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities shall be counted in the quorum for and entitled to vote at the meeting in question, and that meeting shall be duly constituted and its proceedings valid provided that the chairman of the meeting is satisfied that adequate electronic facilities are available throughout the meeting to ensure that Members at all Meeting Locations and Members participating in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities are able to participate in the business for which the meeting has been convened;

- (c) where Members attend a meeting by being present at one of the Meeting Locations and/or where Members participating in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities, a failure (for any reason) of the electronic facilities or communication equipment, or any other failure in the arrangements for enabling those in a Meeting Location other than the Principal Meeting Place to participate in the business for which the meeting has been convened or in the case of an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting, the inability of one or more Members or proxies to access, or continue to access, the electronic facilities despite adequate electronic facilities having been made available by the Company, shall not affect the validity of the meeting or the resolutions passed, or any business conducted there or any action taken pursuant to such business provided that there is a quorum present throughout the meeting;
- (d) if any of the Meeting Locations is not in the same jurisdiction as the Principal Meeting Place and/or in the case of a hybrid meeting, the provisions of these Articles concerning the service and giving of Notice for the meeting, and the time for lodging proxies, shall apply by reference to the Principal Meeting Place; and in the case of an electronic meeting, the time for lodging proxies shall be as stated in the Notice for the meeting.
- The Board and, at any general meeting, the chairman of the meeting may from time to time make arrangements for managing attendance and/or participation and/or voting at the Principal Meeting Place, any Meeting Location(s) and/or participation in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities (whether involving the issue of tickets or some other means of identification, passcode, seat reservation, electronic voting or otherwise) as it shall in its absolute discretion consider appropriate, and may from time to time change any such arrangements, provided that a Member who, pursuant to such arrangements, is not entitled to attend, in person or by proxy, at any Meeting Location shall be entitled so to attend at one of the other Meeting Locations; and the entitlement of any Member so to attend the meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting at such Meeting Location or Meeting Locations shall be subject to any such arrangement as may be for the time being in force and by the Notice of meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting stated to apply to the meeting.

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64C. If it appears to the chairman of the general meeting that:

- (a) the electronic facilities at the Principal Meeting Place or at such other Meeting Location(s) at which the meeting may be attended have become inadequate for the purposes referred to in Article 64A(1) or are otherwise not sufficient to allow the meeting to be conducted substantially in accordance with the provisions set out in the Notice of the meeting; or
- (b) in the case of an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting, electronic facilities being made available by the Company have become inadequate; or
- (c) it is not possible to ascertain the view of those present or to give all persons entitled to do so a reasonable opportunity to communicate and/or vote at the meeting; or
- (d) there is violence or the threat of violence, unruly behaviour or other disruption occurring at the meeting or it is not possible to secure the proper and orderly conduct of the meeting;

then, without prejudice to any other power which the chairman of the meeting may have under these Articles or at common law, the chairman may, at his/her absolute discretion, without the consent of the meeting, and before or after the meeting has started and irrespective of whether a quorum is present, interrupt or adjourn the meeting (including adjournment for indefinite period). All business conducted at the meeting up to the time of such adjournment shall be valid.

The Board and, at any general meeting, the chairman of the meeting may make any arrangement and impose any requirement or restriction the Board or the chairman of the meeting, as the case may be, considers appropriate to ensure the security and orderly conduct of a meeting (including, without limitation, requirements for evidence of identity to be produced by those attending the meeting, the searching of their personal property and the restriction of items that may be taken into the meeting place, determining the number and frequency of and the time allowed for questions that may be raised at a meeting). Members shall also comply with all requirements or restrictions imposed by the owner of the premises at which the meeting is held. Any decision made under this Article shall be final and conclusive and a person who refuses to comply with any such arrangements, requirements or restrictions may be refused entry to the meeting or ejected (physically or electronically) from the meeting.

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64E. If, after the sending of Notice of a general meeting but before the meeting is held, or after the adjournment of a meeting but before the adjourned meeting is held (whether or not Notice of the adjourned meeting is required), the Directors, in their absolute discretion, consider that it is inappropriate, impracticable, unreasonable or undesirable for any reason to hold the general meeting on the date or at the time or place or by means of electronic facilities specified in the Notice calling the meeting, they may change or postpone the meeting to another date, time and/or place and/or change the electronic facilities and/or change the form of the meeting (a physical meeting, an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting) without approval from the Members. Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing, the Directors shall have the power to provide in every Notice calling a general meeting the circumstances in which a postponement of the relevant general meeting may occur automatically without further notice, including without limitation where a number 8 or higher typhoon signal, black rainstorm warning or other similar event is in force at any time on the day of the meeting. This Article shall be subject to the following:

- (a) when a meeting is so postponed, the Company shall endeavour to post a Notice of such postponement on the Company's website as soon as practicable (provided that failure to post such a Notice shall not affect the automatic postponement of a meeting);
- (b) when only the form of the meeting or electronic facilities specified in the Notice are changed, the Board shall notify the Members of details of such change in such manner as the Board may determine;
- (c) when a meeting is postponed or changed in accordance with this Article, subject to and without prejudice to Article 64, unless already specified in the original Notice of the meeting, the Board shall fix the date, time, place (if applicable) and electronic facilities (if applicable) for the postponed or changed meeting and shall notify the Members of such details in such manner as the Board may determine; further all proxy forms shall be valid (unless revoked or replaced by a new proxy) if they are received as required by these Articles not less than 48 hours before the time of the postponed meeting; and
- (d) Notice of the business to be transacted at the postponed or changed meeting shall not be required, nor shall any accompanying documents be required to be recirculated, provided that the business to be transacted at the postponed or changed meeting is the same as that set out in the original Notice of general meeting circulated to the Members.

- All persons seeking to attend and participate in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting shall be responsible for maintaining adequate facilities to enable them to do so. Subject to Article 64C, any inability of a person or persons to attend or participate in a general meeting by way of electronic facilities shall not invalidate the proceedings of and/or resolutions passed at that meeting.
- Without prejudice to other provisions in Article 64, a physical meeting may also be held by means of such telephone, electronic or other communication facilities as permit all persons participating in the meeting to communicate with each other simultaneously and instantaneously, and participation in such a meeting shall constitute presence in person at such meeting.
- 66. Subject to any special rights or restrictions as to voting for the time being attached to any shares by or in accordance with these Articles, at any general meeting on a poll every Member present in person or by proxy or, in the case of a Member being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative shall have one vote for every fully paid share of which he is the holder but so that no amount paid up or credited as paid up on a share in advance of calls or instalments is treated for the foregoing purposes as paid up on the share. A resolution put to the vote of a meeting shall be decided by way of a poll save that in the case of a physical meeting, the chairman of the meeting may in good faith, allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter to be voted on by a show of hands in which case every Member present in person (or being a corporation, is present by a duly authorized representative), or by proxy(ies) shall have one vote provided that where more than one proxy is appointed by a Member which is a clearing house (or its nominee(s)), each such proxy shall have one vote on a show of hands. For purposes of this Article, procedural and administrative matters are those that (i) are not on the agenda of the general meeting or in any supplementary circular that may be issued by the Company to its Members; and (ii) relate to the chairman's duties to maintain the orderly conduct of the meeting and/or allow the business of the meeting to be properly and effectively dealt with, whilst allowing all Members a reasonable opportunity to express their views. Votes (whether on a show of hands or by way of poll) may be cast by such means, electronic or otherwise, as the Directors or the chairman of the meeting may determine.

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- (2) <u>In the case of a physical meeting where Where</u> a show of hands is allowed, before or on the declaration of the result of the show of hands, a poll may be demanded:
  - (a) by at least three Members present in person or in the case of a Member being a corporation by its duly authorised representative or by proxy for the time being entitled to vote at the meeting; or
  - (b) by a Member or Members present in person or in the case of a Member 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 Members having the right to vote at the meeting; or
  - (c) by a Member or Members present in person or in the case of a Member 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 Member or in the case of a Member being a eorporation by its duly authorised representative shall be deemed to be the same as a demand by the Member.

- Where a resolution is voted on by a show of hands, a declaration by the chairman that a resolution has been carried, or carried unanimously, or by a particular majority, or not carried by a particular majority, or lost, and an entry to that effect made in the minute book of the Company, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts without proof of the number or proportion of the votes recorded for or against the resolution. The result of the poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the meeting. The Company shall only be required to disclose the voting figures on a poll if such disclosure is required by the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules.
- 70. All questions submitted to a meeting shall be decided by a simple majority of votes except where a greater majority is required by these Articles or by the ActLaw. In the case of an equality of votes, the chairman of such meeting shall be entitled to a second or casting vote in addition to any other vote he may have.

- 72. (1) A Member who is a patient for any purpose relating to mental health or in respect of whom an order has been made by any court having jurisdiction for the protection or management of the affairs of persons incapable of managing their own affairs may vote, by his receiver, committee, curator bonis or other person in the nature of a receiver, committee or curator bonis appointed by such court, and such receiver, committee, curator bonis or other person may vote by proxy, and may otherwise act and be treated as if he were the registered holder of such shares for the purposes of general meetings, provided that such evidence as the Board may require of the authority of the person claiming to vote shall have been deposited at the Office, head office or Registration Office, as appropriate, not less than forty eight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting, or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting, as the case may be.
  - (2) Any person entitled under Article 53 to be registered as the holder of any shares may vote at any general meeting in respect thereof in the same manner as if he were the registered holder of such shares, provided that forty eight (48) hours at least before the time of the holding of the meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting, as the case may be, at which he proposes to vote, he shall satisfy the Board of his entitlement to such shares, or the Board shall have previously admitted his right to vote at such meeting in respect thereof.
- 73. (1) No Member shall, unless the Board otherwise determines, be entitled to attend and vote and to be reckoned in a quorum at any general meeting unless he is duly registered and all calls or other sums presently payable by him in respect of shares in the Company have been paid.
  - (2) All Members shall have the right to (a) speak at a general meeting; and (b) vote at a general meeting except where a Member is required, by the Listing Rules, to abstain from voting to approve the matter under consideration.
  - (32) Where the Company has knowledge that any Member is, under the rules of the Designated Stock ExchangeListing Rules, required to abstain from voting on any particular resolution of the Company or restricted to voting only for or only against any particular resolution of the Company, any votes cast by or on behalf of such Member in contravention of such requirement or restriction shall not be counted.

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74. If:

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- (a) any objection shall be raised to the qualification of any voter; or
- (b) any votes have been counted which ought not to have been counted or which might have been rejected; or
- (c) any votes are not counted which ought to have been counted;

the objection or error shall not vitiate the decision of the meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting on any resolution unless the same is raised or pointed out at the meeting or, as the case may be, the adjourned meeting or postponed meeting at which the vote objected to is given or tendered or at which the error occurs. Any objection or error shall be referred to the chairman of the meeting and shall only vitiate the decision of the meeting on any resolution if the chairman decides that the same may have affected the decision of the meeting. The decision of the chairman on such matters shall be final and conclusive.

The Company may, at its absolute discretion, provide an electronic address (1) for the receipt of any document or information relating to proxies for a general meeting (including any instrument of proxy or invitation to appoint a proxy, any document necessary to show the validity of, or otherwise relating to, an appointment of proxy (whether or not required under these Articles) and notice of termination of the authority of a proxy). If such an electronic address is provided, the Company shall be deemed to have agreed that any such document or information (relating to proxies as aforesaid) may be sent by electronic means to that address, subject as hereafter provided and subject to any other limitations or conditions specified by the Company when providing the address. Without limitation, the Company may from time to time determine that any such electronic address may be used generally for such matters or specifically for particular meetings or purposes and, if so, the Company may provide different electronic addresses for different purposes. The Company may also impose any conditions on the transmission of and its receipt of such electronic communications including, for the avoidance of doubt, imposing any security or encryption arrangements as may be specified by the Company. If any document or information required to be sent to the Company under this Article is sent to the Company by electronic means, such document or information is not treated as validly delivered to or deposited with the Company if the same is not received by the Company at its designated electronic address provided in accordance with this Article or if no electronic address is so designated by the Company for the receipt of such document or information.

- The instrument appointing a proxy and (if required by the Board) the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed, or a certified copy of such power or authority, shall be delivered to such place or one of such places (if any) as may be specified for that purpose in or by way of note to or in any document accompanying the Noticenotice convening the meeting (or, if no place is so specified at the Registration Office or the Office, as may be appropriate), or if the Company has provided an electronic address in accordance with the preceding paragraph, shall be received at the electronic address specified, not less than forty eight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting at which the person named in the instrument proposes to vote. No instrument appointing a proxy shall be valid after the expiration of twelve (12) months from the date named in it as the date of its execution, except at an adjourned meeting or postponed meeting in cases where the meeting was originally held within twelve (12) months from such date. Delivery of an instrument appointing a proxy shall not preclude a Member from attending and voting in person at the meeting convened and in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.
- 78. Instruments of proxy shall be in any common form or in such other form as the Board may approve (provided that this shall not preclude the use of the two way form) and the Board may, if it thinks fit, send out with the Noticenotice of any meeting forms of instrument of proxy for use at the meeting. The instrument of proxy shall be deemed to confer authority to demand or join in demanding a poll and to vote on any amendment of a resolution put to the meeting for which it is given as the proxy thinks fit. The instrument of proxy shall, unless the contrary is stated therein, be valid as well for any adjournment or postponement of the meeting as for the meeting to which it relates. The Board may decide, either generally or in any particular case, to treat a proxy appointment as valid notwithstanding that the appointment or any of the information required under these Articles has not been received in accordance with the requirements of these Articles. Subject to aforesaid, if the proxy appointment and any of the information required under these Articles is not received in the manner set out in these Articles, the appointee shall not be entitled to vote in respect of the shares in question.

- 79. A vote given in accordance with the terms of an instrument of proxy shall be valid notwithstanding the previous death or insanity of the principal, or revocation of the instrument of proxy or of the authority under which it was executed, provided that no intimation in writing of such death, insanity or revocation shall have been received by the Company at the Office or the Registration Office (or such other place as may be specified for the delivery of instruments of proxy in the notice convening the meeting or other document sent therewith) two (2) hours at least before the commencement of the meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting, at which the instrument of proxy is used.
- 81(2). If a clearing house (or its nominee(s)), being a corporation, is a Member, it may authorise such persons as it thinks fit to act as its representatives at any meeting of the Company or at any meeting of any class of Members provided that, if more than one person is so authorised, the authorisation shall specify the number and class of shares in respect of which each such representative is so authorised. Each person so authorised under the provisions of this Article shall be deemed to have been duly authorised without further evidence of the facts and be entitled to exercise the same rights and powers on behalf of the clearing house (or its nominee(s)) as if such person was the registered holder of the shares of the Company held by the clearing house (or its nominee(s)) including the right to speak and, where a show of hands is allowed, the right to vote individually on a show of hands.
- 83(2). Subject to the Articles and the ActLaw, the Company may by ordinary resolution elect any person to be a Director either to fill a casual vacancy on the Board, or as an addition to the existing Board.
- 83(3). The Directors shall 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. Any Director so appointed by the Board to fill a casual vacancy shall hold office until the first general meeting of Members after his appointment and be subject to re-election at such meeting and any Director appointed by the Board as an addition to the existing Board shall hold office only until the firstnext following annual general meeting of the Company after his appointment and shall then be eligible for re-election.
- 83(5). The Members may, at any general meeting convened and held in accordance with these Articles, by ordinary resolution remove a Director (including a managing or other executive Director) at any time before the expiration of his termperiod of office notwithstanding anything to the contrary in these Articles or in any agreement between the Company and such Director (but without prejudice to any claim for damages under any such agreement).

- 83(6). A vacancy on the Board created by the removal of a Director under the provisions of subparagraph (5) above may be filled by the election or appointment by ordinary resolution of the Members at the meeting at which such Director is removed.
- 90. An alternate Director shall only be a Director for the purposes of the ActLaw and shall only be subject to the provisions of the ActLaw insofar as they relate to the duties and obligations of a Director when performing the functions of the Director for whom he is appointed in the alternative and shall alone be responsible to the Company for his acts and defaults and shall not be deemed to be the agent of or for the Director appointing him. An alternate Director shall be entitled to contract and be interested in and benefit from contracts or arrangements or transactions and to be repaid expenses and to be indemnified by the Company to the same extent mutatis mutandis as if he were a Director but he shall not be entitled to receive from the Company any fee in his capacity as an alternate Director except only such appointor may by Notice to the Company from time to time direct.
- 98. Subject to the ActLaw and to these Articles, no Director or proposed or intending Director shall be disqualified by his office from contracting with the Company, either with regard to his tenure of any office or place of profit or as vendor, purchaser or in any other manner whatsoever, nor shall any such contract or any other contract or arrangement in which any Director is in any way interested be liable to be avoided, nor shall any Director so contracting or being so interested be liable to account to the Company or the Members for any remuneration, profit or other benefits realised by any such contract or arrangement by reason of such Director holding that office or of the fiduciary relationship thereby established provided that such Director shall disclose the nature of his interest in any contract or arrangement in which he is interested in accordance with Article 99 herein.
- 100(1). A Director shall not vote (nor be counted in the quorum) on any resolution of the Board approving any contract or arrangement or any other proposal in which he or any of his close associates is materially interested, but this prohibition shall not apply to any of the following matters namely:
  - (i) any contract or arrangement for the giving to such Director or his close associate(s) any security or indemnity in respect of money lent by him or any of his close associate(s) or obligations incurred or undertaken by him or any of his close associate(s) at the request of or for the benefit of the Company or any of its subsidiaries:

- (ii) any contract or arrangement for the giving of any security or indemnity to a third party in respect of a debt or obligation of the Company or any of its subsidiaries for which the Director or his close associate(s) has himself/themselves assumed responsibility in whole or in part whether alone or jointly under a guarantee or indemnity or by the giving of security;
- (i) the giving of any security or indemnity either:—
  - (a) to the Director or his close associate(s) in respect of money lent or obligations incurred or undertaken by him or any of them at the request of or for the benefit of the Company or any of its subsidiaries; or
  - (b) to a third party in respect of a debt or obligation of the Company or any of its subsidiaries for which the Director or his close associate(s) has himself/themselves assumed responsibility in whole or in part and whether alone or jointly under a guarantee or indemnity or by the giving of security:
- (iii) any proposal contract or arrangement concerning an offer of shares or debentures or other securities of or by the Company or any other company which the Company may promote or be interested in for subscription or purchase, where the Director or his close associate(s) is/are or is/are to be interested as a participant in the underwriting or sub underwriting of the offer;
- (iv) any contract or arrangement in which the Director or his close associate(s) is/ are interested in the same manner as other holders of shares or debentures or other securities of the Company by virtue only of his/their interest in shares or debentures or other securities of the Company; or
- (iii+) any proposal or arrangement concerning the benefit of employees of the Company or its subsidiaries including:
  - (a) the adoption, modification or operation of <u>any employees' share scheme</u> or <u>any share incentive ora</u> share option scheme <u>under which the Director</u> or his close associate(s) may benefit; or,
  - (b) the adoption, modification or operation of a pension fund or retirement, death or disability benefits scheme or other arrangement which relates both to Directors, or his close associate(s) and to employee(s) of the Company or of any of its subsidiaries and does not provide in respect of any Director, or his close associate(s), as such any privilege or advantage not accorded generally accorded to the class of persons to which such scheme or fund relates:

- (iv) any contract or arrangement in which the Director or his close associate(s) is/ are interested in the same manner as other holders of shares or debentures or other securities of the Company by virtue only of his/their interest in shares or debentures or other securities of the Company.
- 101(3). Without prejudice to the general powers conferred by these Articles it is hereby expressly declared that the Board shall have the following powers:
  - (a) to give to any person the right or option of requiring at a future date that an allotment shall be made to him of any share at par or at such premium as may be agreed;
  - (b) to give to any Directors, officers or servants of the Company an interest in any particular business or transaction or participation in the profits thereof or in the general profits of the Company either in addition to or in substitution for a salary or other remuneration; and
  - (c) to resolve that the Company be deregistered in the Cayman Islands and continued in a named jurisdiction outside the Cayman Islands subject to the provisions of the ActLaw.
- The Board may exercise all the powers of the Company to raise or borrow money and to mortgage or charge all or any part of the undertaking, property and assets (present and future) and uncalled capital of the Company and, subject to the ActLaw, to issue debentures, bonds and other securities, whether outright or as collateral security for any debt, liability or obligation of the Company or of any third party.
- 110(2). The Board shall cause a proper register to be kept, in accordance with the provisions of the ActLaw, of all charges specifically affecting the property of the Company and of any series of debentures issued by the Company and shall duly comply with the requirements of the ActLaw in regard to the registration of charges and debentures therein specified and otherwise.
- The Board may meet for the despatch of business, adjourn <u>or postpone</u> and otherwise regulate its meetings as it considers appropriate. Questions arising at any meeting shall be determined by a majority of votes. In the case of any equality of votes the chairman of the meeting shall have an additional or casting vote.

- A meeting of the Board may be convened by the Secretary on request of a Director or by any Director. The Secretary shall convene a meeting of the Board whenever he shall be required so to do by any Director. Notice of a meeting of the Board shall be deemed to be duly given to a Director if it is given to such Director in writing or verbally (including in person or by telephone) or by via electronic means to an electronic address from time to time notified to the Company by such Director or (if the recipient consents to it being made available on a website) by making it available on a website mail or by telephone or in such other manner as the Board may from time to time determine whenever he shall be required so to do by any Director.
- 113(2). Directors may participate in any meeting of the Board by means of a conference telephone, electronic or other communications equipment through which all persons participating in the meeting can communicate with each other simultaneously and instantaneously and, for the purpose of counting a quorum, such participation shall constitute presence at a meeting as if those participating were present in person.
- The Board may elect aone or more chairman and one or more deputy chairman of its meetings and determine the period for which they are respectively to hold such office. If no chairman or deputy chairman is elected, or if at any meeting noneither the chairman ornor any deputy chairman is present within five (5) minutes after the time appointed for holding the same, the Directors present may choose one of their number to be chairman of the meeting.

- 119. A resolution in writing signed by all the Directors except such as are temporarily unable to act through ill health or disability, and all the alternate Directors, if appropriate, whose appointors are temporarily unable to act as aforesaid shall (provided that such number is sufficient to constitute a quorum and further provided that a copy of such resolution has been given or the contents thereof communicated to all the Directors for the time being entitled to receive notices of Board meetings in the same manner as notices of meetings are required to be given by these Articles) be as valid and effectual as if a resolution had been passed at a meeting of the Board duly convened and held. A notification of consent to such resolution given by a Director in writing to the Board by any means (including by means of electronic communication) shall be deemed to be his/her signature to such resolution in writing for the purpose of this Article. Such resolution may be contained in one document or in several documents in like form each signed by one or more of the Directors or alternate Directors and for this purpose a facsimile signature of a Director or an alternate Director shall be treated as valid. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a resolution in writing shall not be passed in lieu of a meeting of the Board for the purposes of considering any matter or business in which a substantial shareholder of the Company or a Director has a conflict of interest and the Board has determined that such conflict of interest to be material.
- 124. (1) The officers of the Company shall consist of <u>at least onea</u> chairman, the Directors and Secretary and such additional officers (who may or may not be Directors) as the Board may from time to time determine, all of whom shall be deemed to be officers for the purposes of the <u>ActLaw</u> and these Articles.
  - (2) The Directors shall, as soon as may be after each appointment or election of Directors, elect amongst the Directors a chairman and if more than one (1) Director is proposed for this office, the Directors may elect more than one chairman the election to such office shall take place in such manner as the Directors may determine.
  - (3) The officers shall receive such remuneration as the Directors may from time to time determine.
- 125(2). The Secretary shall attend all meetings of the Members and shall keep correct minutes of such meetings and enter the same in the proper books provided for the purpose. He shall perform such other duties as are prescribed by the ActLaw or these Articles or as may be prescribed by the Board.
- A provision of the ActLaw or of these Articles requiring or authorising a thing to be done by or to a Director and the Secretary shall not be satisfied by its being done by or to the same person acting both as Director and as or in place of the Secretary.

- The Company shall cause to be kept in one or more books at its Office a Register of Directors and Officers in which there shall be entered the full names and addresses of the Directors and Officers and such other particulars as required by the ActLaw or as the Directors may determine. The Company shall send to the Registrar of Companies in the Cayman Islands a copy of such register, and shall from time to time notify to the said Registrar of any change that takes place in relation to such Directors and Officers as required by the ActLaw.
- Subject to the ActLaw, the Company in general meeting may from time to time declare dividends in any currency to be paid to the Members but no dividend shall be declared in excess of the amount recommended by the Board.
- Dividends may be declared and paid out of the profits of the Company, realised or unrealised, or from any reserve set aside from profits which the Directors determine is no longer needed. With the sanction of an ordinary resolution dividends may also be declared and paid out of share premium account or any other fund or account which can be authorised for this purpose in accordance with the ActLaw.
- 143(1). The Board shall establish an account to be called the share premium account and shall carry to the credit of such account from time to time a sum equal to the amount or value of the premium paid on the issue of any share in the Company. Unless otherwise provided by the provisions of these Articles, the Board may apply the share premium account in any manner permitted by the ActLaw. The Company shall at all times comply with the provisions of the ActLaw in relation to the share premium account.

- 144. The Company may, upon the recommendation of the Board, at any time and from time to time pass an ordinary resolution to the effect that it is desirable to capitalise all or any part of any amount for the time being standing to the credit of any reserve or fund (including a share premium account and capital redemption reserve and the profit and loss account) whether or not the same is available for distribution and accordingly that such amount be set free for distribution among the Members or any class of Members who would be entitled thereto if it were distributed by way of dividend and in the same proportions, on the footing that the same is not paid in cash but is applied either in or towards paying up the amounts for the time being unpaid on any shares in the Company held by such Members respectively or in paying up in full unissued shares, debentures or other obligations of the Company, to be allotted and distributed credited as fully paid up among such Members, or partly in one way and partly in the other, and the Board shall give effect to such resolution provided that, for the purposes of this Article, a share premium account and any capital redemption reserve or fund representing unrealised profits, may be applied only in paying up in full unissued shares of the Company to be allotted to such Members credited as fully paid.
  - (2) Notwithstanding any provisions in these Articles, the Board may resolve to capitalise all or any part of any amount for the time being standing to the credit of any reserve or fund (including a share premium account and the profit and loss account) whether or not the same is available for distribution by applying such sum in paying up unissued shares to be allotted to (i) employees (including directors) of the Company and/or its affiliates (meaning any individual, corporation, partnership, association, joint-stock company, trust, unincorporated association or other entity (other than the Company) that directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by or is under common control with, the Company) upon exercise or vesting of any options or awards granted under any share incentive scheme or employee benefit scheme or other arrangement which relates to such persons that has been adopted or approved by the Members at a general meeting, or (ii) any trustee of any trust to whom shares are to be allotted and issued by the Company in connection with the operation of any share incentive scheme or employee benefit scheme or other arrangement which relates to such persons that has been adopted or approved by the Members at a general meeting.

- The following provisions shall have effect to the extent that they are not prohibited by and are in compliance with the ActLaw:
  - (1) If, so long as any of the rights attached to any warrants issued by the Company to subscribe for shares of the Company shall remain exercisable, the Company does any act or engages in any transaction which, as a result of any adjustments to the subscription price in accordance with the provisions of the conditions of the warrants, would reduce the subscription price to below the par value of a share, then the following provisions shall apply:
    - (a) as from the date of such act or transaction the Company shall establish and thereafter (subject as provided in this Article) maintain in accordance with the provisions of this Article a reserve (the "Subscription Rights Reserve") the amount of which shall at no time be less than the sum which for the time being would be required to be capitalised and applied in paying up in full the nominal amount of the additional shares required to be issued and allotted credited as fully paid pursuant to sub paragraph (c) below on the exercise in full of all the subscription rights outstanding and shall apply the Subscription Rights Reserve in paying up such additional shares in full as and when the same are allotted;
    - (b) the Subscription Rights Reserve shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified above unless all other reserves of the Company (other than share premium account) have been extinguished and will then only be used to make good losses of the Company if and so far as is required by law;
    - (c) upon the exercise of all or any of the subscription rights represented by any warrant, the relevant subscription rights shall be exercisable in respect of a nominal amount of shares equal to the amount in cash which the holder of such warrant is required to pay on exercise of the subscription rights represented thereby (or, as the case may be the relevant portion thereof in the event of a partial exercise of the subscription rights) and, in addition, there shall be allotted in respect of such subscription rights to the exercising warrantholder, credited as fully paid, such additional nominal amount of shares as is equal to the difference between:
      - (i) the said amount in cash which the holder of such warrant is required to pay on exercise of the subscription rights represented thereby (or, as the case may be, the relevant portion thereof in the event of a partial exercise of the subscription rights); and

- (ii) the nominal amount of shares in respect of which such subscription rights would have been exercisable having regard to the provisions of the conditions of the warrants, had it been possible for such subscription rights to represent the right to subscribe for shares at less than par and immediately upon such exercise so much of the sum standing to the credit of the Subscription Rights Reserve as is required to pay up in full such additional nominal amount of shares shall be capitalised and applied in paying up in full such additional nominal amount of shares which shall forthwith be allotted credited as fully paid to the exercising warrantholders; and
- (d) if, upon the exercise of the subscription rights represented by any warrant, the amount standing to the credit of the Subscription Rights Reserve is not sufficient to pay up in full such additional nominal amount of shares equal to such difference as aforesaid to which the exercising warrantholder is entitled, the Board shall apply any profits or reserves then or thereafter becoming available (including, to the extent permitted by law, share premium account) for such purpose until such additional nominal amount of shares is paid up and allotted as aforesaid and until then no dividend or other distribution shall be paid or made on the fully paid shares of the Company then in issue. Pending such payment and allotment, the exercising warrantholder shall be issued by the Company with a certificate evidencing his right to the allotment of such additional nominal amount of shares. The rights represented by any such certificate shall be in registered form and shall be transferable in whole or in part in units of one share in the like manner as the shares for the time being are transferable, and the Company shall make such arrangements in relation to the maintenance of a register therefor and other matters in relation thereto as the Board may think fit and adequate particulars thereof shall be made known to each relevant exercising warrantholder upon the issue of such certificate.
- (2) Shares allotted pursuant to the provisions of this Article shall rank pari passu in all respects with the other shares allotted on the relevant exercise of the subscription rights represented by the warrant concerned. Notwithstanding anything contained in paragraph (1) of this Article, no fraction of any share shall be allotted on exercise of the subscription rights.

- (3) The provision of this Article as to the establishment and maintenance of the Subscription Rights Reserve shall not be altered or added to in any way which would vary or abrogate, or which would have the effect of varying or abrogating the provisions for the benefit of any warrantholder or class of warrantholders under this Article without the sanction of a special resolution of such warrantholders or class of warrantholders.
- (4) A certificate or report by the auditors for the time being of the Company as to whether or not the Subscription Rights Reserve is required to be established and maintained and if so the amount thereof so required to be established and maintained, as to the purposes for which the Subscription Rights Reserve has been used, as to the extent to which it has been used to make good losses of the Company, as to the additional nominal amount of shares required to be allotted to exercising warrantholders credited as fully paid, and as to any other matter concerning the Subscription Rights Reserve shall (in the absence of manifest error) be conclusive and binding upon the Company and all warrantholders and shareholders.
- The Board shall cause true accounts to be kept of the sums of money received and expended by the Company, and the matters in respect of which such receipt and expenditure take place, and of the property, assets, credits and liabilities of the Company and of all other matters required by the ActLaw or necessary to give a true and fair view of the Company's affairs and to explain its transactions.
- Subject to due compliance with all applicable Statutes, rules and regulations, including, without limitation, the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules, and to obtaining all necessary consents, if any, required thereunder, the requirements of Article 149 shall be deemed satisfied in relation to any person by sending to the person in any manner not prohibited by the Statutes, summarised financial statements derived from the Company's annual accounts and the directors' report which shall be in the form and containing the information required by applicable laws and regulations, provided that any person who is otherwise entitled to the annual financial statements of the Company and the directors' report thereon may, if he so requires by notice in writing served on the Company, demand that the Company sends to him, in addition to summarised financial statements, a complete printed copy of the Company's annual financial statement and the directors' report thereon.

- The requirement to send to a person referred to in Article 149 the documents referred to in that article or a summary financial report in accordance with Article 150 shall be deemed satisfied where, in accordance with all applicable Statutes, rules and regulations, including, without limitation, the rules of the Designated Stock ExchangeListing Rules, the Company publishes copies of the documents referred to in Article 149 and, if applicable, a summary financial report complying with Article 150, on the Company's computer network or in any other permitted manner (including by sending any form of electronic communication), and that person has agreed or is deemed to have agreed to treat the publication or receipt of such documents in such manner as discharging the Company's obligation to send to him a copy of such documents.
- 152. (1) At the annual general meeting or at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting in each year, the Members shall appoint an auditor to audit the accounts of the Company and such auditor shall hold office until the next annual general meeting. Such auditor may be a Member but no Director or officer or employee of the Company shall, during his continuance in office, be eligible to act as an auditor of the Company.
  - (2) The Members may, at any general meeting convened and held in accordance with these Articles, by specialordinary resolution remove the Auditor at any time before the expiration of his term of office and shall by ordinary resolution at that meeting appoint another Auditor in his stead for the remainder of his term.
  - (3) The remuneration of the Auditor (except for any Auditor appointed by the Directors in accordance with Article 154, the remuneration of which for the period until the next following annual general meeting of the Company may be fixed by the Directors) shall be fixed by the Company by ordinary resolution in general meeting or in such manner as the Members may determine.
- 153. Subject to the ActLaw the accounts of the Company shall be audited at least once in every year.

- The Directors may fill any casual vacancy in the office of Auditor but while any such vacancy continues the surviving or continuing Auditor or Auditors, if any, may act. The remuneration of any Auditor appointed by the Directors under this Article may be fixed by the Board. Subject to Article 152(2), an Auditor appointed under this Article shall hold office until the next following annual general meeting of the Company and shall then be subject to appointment by the Members under Article 152(1) at such remuneration to be determined by the Members in accordance with Article 152(3). The remuneration of the Auditor shall be fixed by the Company in general meeting or in such manner as the Members may determine.
- 155. <u>INTENTIONALLY DELETED</u>If the office of auditor becomes vacant by the resignation or death of the Auditor, or by his becoming incapable of acting by reason of illness or other disability at a time when his services are required, the Directors shall fill the vacancy and fix the remuneration of the Auditor so appointed.
- 158. Any Notice or document (including any "corporate communication" within the meaning ascribed thereto under the Listing Rules rules of the Designated Stock Exchange), whether or not, to be given or issued under these Articles from the Company to a Member shall be in writing or by cable, telex or facsimile transmission message or other form of electronic transmission or electronic communication and any such Notice and document may be given or issued by the following means: served or delivered by the Company on or to any Member either personally or by sending it through the post in a prepaid envelope addressed to such Member at his registered address as appearing in the Register or at any other address supplied by him to the Company for the purpose or, as the ease may be, by transmitting it to any such address or transmitting it to any telex or facsimile transmission number or electronic number or address or website supplied by him to the Company for the giving of Notice to him or which the person transmitting the notice reasonably and bona fide believes at the relevant time will result in the Notice being duly received by the Member or may also be served by advertisement in appropriate newspapers in accordance with the requirements of the Designated Stock Exchange or, to the extent permitted by the applicable laws, by placing it on the Company's website or the website of the Designated Stock Exchange, and giving to the member a notice stating that the notice or other document is available there (a "notice of availability"). The notice of availability may be given to the Member by any of the means set out above other than by posting it on a website. In the ease of joint holders of a share all notices shall be given to that one of the joint holders whose name stands first in the Register and notice so given shall be deemed a sufficient service on or delivery to all the joint holders.

- (a) by serving it personally on the relevant person;
- (b) by sending it through the post in a prepaid envelope addressed to such Member at his registered address as appearing in the Register or at any other address supplied by him to the Company for the purpose;
- (c) by delivering or leaving it at such address as aforesaid;
- (d) by placing an advertisement in appropriate newspapers or other publication and where applicable, in accordance with the requirements of the Designated Stock Exchange;
- (e) by sending or transmitting it as an electronic communication to the relevant person at such electronic address as he may provide under Article 158(5), subject to the Company complying with the Statutes and any other applicable laws, rules and regulations from time to time in force with regard to any requirements for the obtaining of consent (or deemed consent) from such person;
- (f) by publishing it on the Company's website to which the relevant person may have access, subject to the Company complying with the Statutes and any other applicable laws, rules and regulations from time to time in force with regard to any requirements for the obtaining of consent (or deemed consent) from such person and/or for giving notification to any such person stating that the notice, document or publication is available on the Company's computer network website (a "notice of availability"); or
- (g) by sending or otherwise making it available to such person through such other means to the extent permitted by and in accordance with the Statutes and other applicable laws, rules and regulations.
- (2) The notice of availability may be given to the Member by any of the means set out above other than by posting it on a website.
- (3) In the case of joint holders of a share all notices shall be given to that one of the joint holders whose name stands first in the Register and notice so given shall be deemed a sufficient service on or delivery to all the joint holders.

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- (4) Every person who, by operation of law, transfer, transmission, or other means whatsoever, shall become entitled to any share, shall be bound by every notice in respect of such share, which, previously to his name and address (including electronic address) being entered in the Register as the registered holder of such share, shall have been duly given to the person from whom he derives title to such share.
- (5) Every Member or a person who is entitled to receive notice from the Company under the provisions of the Statutes or these Articles may register with the Company an electronic address to which notices can be served upon him.
- (6) Subject to any applicable laws, rules and regulations and the terms of these Articles, any notice, document or publication, including but not limited to the documents referred to in Articles 149, 150 and 158 may be given in the English language only or in both the English language and the Chinese language.

#### 159. Any Notice or other document:

- (a) if served or delivered by post, shall where appropriate be sent by airmail and shall be deemed to have been served or delivered on the day following that on which the envelope containing the same, properly prepaid and addressed, is put into the post; in proving such service or delivery it shall be sufficient to prove that the envelope or wrapper containing the Noticenotice or document was properly addressed and put into the post and a certificate in writing signed by the Secretary or other officer of the Company or other person appointed by the Board that the envelope or wrapper containing the Notice or other document was so addressed and put into the post shall be conclusive evidence thereof:
- (b) if sent by electronic communication, shall be deemed to be given on the day on which it is transmitted from the server of the Company or its agent. A Notice placed on the Company's website or the website of the Designated Stock Exchange, is deemed given by the Company to a Member on the day following that on which a notice of availability is deemed served on the Member;
- (c) if published on the Company's website, shall be deemed to have been served on the day on which the notice, document or publication first so appears on the Company's website to which the relevant person may have access or the day on which the notice of availability is deemed to have been served or delivered to such person under these Articles, whichever is later;

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- (d) if served or delivered in any other manner contemplated by these Articles, shall be deemed to have been served or delivered at the time of personal service or delivery or, as the case may be, at the time of the relevant despatch or transmission; and in proving such service or delivery a certificate in writing signed by the Secretary or other officer of the Company or other person appointed by the Board as to the act and time of such service, delivery, despatch or transmission shall be conclusive evidence thereof; and
- (e) if published as an advertisement in a newspaper or other publication permitted under these Articles, shall be deemed to have been served on the day on which the advertisement first so appears.
- (d) may be given to a Member either in the English language or the Chinese language, subject to due compliance with all applicable Statutes, rules and regulations.
- Subject to Articles 162(2), the The Board shall have power in the name and on behalf of the Company to present a petition to the court for the Company to be wound up.
- If the Company shall be wound up (whether the liquidation is voluntary or by the court) the liquidator may, with the authority of a special resolution and any other sanction required by the ActLaw, divide among the Members in specie or kind the whole or any part of the assets of the Company and whether or not the assets shall consist of properties of one kind or shall consist of properties to be divided as aforesaid of different kinds, and may for such purpose set such value as he deems fair upon any one or more class or classes of property and may determine how such division shall be carried out as between the Members or different classes of Members. The liquidator may, with the like authority, vest any part of the assets in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the Members as the liquidator with the like authority shall think fit, and the liquidation of the Company may be closed and the Company dissolved, but so that no contributory shall be compelled to accept any shares or other property in respect of which there is a liability.

#### **FINANCIAL YEAR**

167. Unless otherwise determined by the Directors, the financial year end of the Company shall be 31 December in each year.



#### **HUAJIN INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LIMITED**

#### 華津國際控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 2738)

#### NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the annual general meeting of Huajin International Holdings Limited (the "Company") will be held at The Chairman's Place, M/F, New World Millennium Hong Kong Hotel, 72 Mody Road, Tsim Sha Tsui East, Kowloon, Hong Kong on Tuesday, 28 June 2022 at 2:30 p.m. to consider and, if thought fit, transact the following ordinary businesses:

- 1. To consider and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements, the reports of the directors (the "**Directors**") and the independent auditor of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2021.
- 2. (a) To re-elect Mr. Xu Songman as an executive Director;
  - (b) To re-elect Mr. Goh Choo Hwee as an independent non-executive Director;
  - (c) To re-elect Mr. Ou Qiyuan as an independent non-executive Director; and
  - (d) To authorise the the board of the Directors (the "Board") to fix the respective Directors' remuneration.
- 3. To re-appoint Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu as the Company's auditor and authorize the Board to fix the remuneration of the auditor.

To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolutions as ordinary resolutions:

#### 4. "THAT:

(a) subject to paragraph (c) below, pursuant to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities (the "Listing Rules") on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange"), the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the share of the Company (the "Shares") and securities convertible into such Shares or warrants or similar rights to subscribe for any Shares and to make or grant offers, agreements and

- options (including but not limited to bonds, warrants, debentures, notes convertible into Shares) which would or might require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be in addition to any other authorisation given to the Directors and shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including but not limited to bonds, warrants, debentures, notes convertible into Shares) which would or might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the aggregate number of Shares allotted and issued or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) and issued by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as defined below); or (ii) the exercise of options granted under any share option scheme or similar arrangement adopted from time to time by the Company; or (iii) any scrip dividend or similar arrangements providing for the allotment and issue of Shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on Shares in accordance with the articles of association (the "Articles of Association") of the Company in force from time to time; or (iv) any issue of Shares upon the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any warrants of the Company or any securities which are convertible into Shares shall not exceed:
  - (i) 20 percent of the total number of issued Shares on the date of the passing of this resolution; and
  - (ii) (if the Directors are so authorised by a separate ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company) the aggregate number of Shares purchased by the Company subsequent to the passing of this resolution (up to a maximum equivalent to 10 percent of the number of issued Shares on the date of the passing of this resolution),
  - and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be limited accordingly.
- (d) 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 Articles of Association or any applicable law of the Cayman Islands to be held; or
  - (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given to the Directors under this resolution by an ordinary resolution passed by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting.

"Rights Issue" means an offer of Shares or offer or issue of options, warrants or other securities giving the rights to subscribe for Shares open for a period fixed by the Board to holders of Shares whose names appear on the Company's register of members on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such Shares (subject to such exclusions 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, or the requirements of, any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange in, or in any territory outside Hong Kong, or the expense or delay that may be incurred in the determination of any such restrictions or obligations)."

#### 5. "THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (b) below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to purchase Shares on the Stock Exchange, or any other stock exchange on which the securities of the Company may be listed and recognised by the Securities and Future Commission of Hong Kong ("SFC") and the Stock Exchange for this purpose, and otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations of the SFC, the Stock Exchange, the Companies Act, Chapter 22 (Act 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands and all other applicable laws in this regard, be and the same is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the aggregate number of Shares which may be purchased by the Company pursuant to the authority granted pursuant to paragraph (a) above during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate number of Shares in issue as at the date of the passing of this resolution, provided that if any subsequent consolidation or subdivision of Shares is effected, the maximum number of Shares that may be purchased by the Company pursuant to the authority granted pursuant to paragraph (a) above as a percentage of the total number of issued Shares immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same and such maximum number of Shares adjusted accordingly; 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 Articles of Association or any applicable law of the Cayman Islands to be held; or
  - (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given to the Directors under this resolution by an ordinary resolution passed by the shareholders of the Company in general meetings.

6. "THAT conditional on the passing of resolutions set out in the notice convening this meeting as resolutions numbered 4 and 5, the general mandate granted to the Directors pursuant to the approval granted under the resolution set out in the notice convening this meeting as resolution numbered 4 above be and is hereby extended by the addition to the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company which may be allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted by the Directors pursuant to or in accordance with such general mandate an amount representing the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company which has been repurchased by the Company since the granting of such general mandate pursuant to the exercise by the Directors of the powers of the Company to repurchase such Shares pursuant to or in accordance with the authority granted under the resolution set out in the notice convening this meeting as resolution numbered 6, provided that such amount shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of passing this resolution."

As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution with or without amendments as a special resolution:

#### SPECIAL RESOLUTION

7. "THAT (i) the proposed amendments to the existing amended and restated memorandum of association and articles of association of the Company (the "Proposed Amendments"), details of which are set out in Appendix III to the circular of the Company dated 28 April 2022 (the "Circular"), be and are hereby approved; and (ii) a new set of the amended and restated memorandum of association and articles of association of the Company (the "New Memorandum and Articles"), which contains all the Proposed Amendments and a copy of which has been produced to this meeting and marked "A", be and is hereby approved and adopted in substitution for, and to the exclusion of, the existing amended and restated memorandum of association and articles of association of the Company and that the directors or the company secretary of the Company be and are hereby authorised to do all things necessary to implement the adoption of the New Memorandum and Articles."

By Order of the Board
HUAJIN INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LIMITED
Xu Songqing
Chairman

Hong Kong, 28 April 2022

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#### Notes:

- 1. Any member entitled to attend and vote at the above meeting is entitled to appoint one or, if he/she is the holder of two or more Shares, one or more proxies to attend and, on a poll, vote in his/her stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- 2. 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 Share as if he/she were solely entitled thereto in the meeting, but if more than one of such joint holders be present at any 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, and 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.
- 3. In order to be valid, a form of proxy together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed, or a notarially certified copy thereof, must be deposited at the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Union Registrars Limited, at Suites 3301–04, 33/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square, 338 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong, at least 48 hours before the time for holding the above meeting.
- 4. The register of members of the Company will be closed from Thursday, 23 June 2022 to Tuesday, 28 June 2022 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares in the Company will be effected. In order to qualify for attending the annual general meeting, all transfers of Shares, accompanied by the relevant share certificates, must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Union Registrars Limited, at Suites 3301–04, 33/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square, 338 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong, not later than 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, 22 June 2022 for registration.
- 5. In relation to proposed resolutions numbered 4 and 6 above, approval is being sought from the shareholders for the grant to the directors of a general mandate to authorise the allotment and issue of shares under the Listing Rules.
- 6. In relation to proposed resolution numbered 5 above, the directors of the Company wish to state that they will exercise the powers conferred thereby to purchase Shares in circumstances which they deem appropriate for the benefit of the shareholders. An explanatory statement containing the information necessary to enable the shareholders to make an informed decision to vote on the proposed resolution as required by the Listing Rules is set out in the Appendix I to the circular of the Company dated 28 April 2022.

- 7. Delivery of an instrument appointing a proxy shall not preclude a shareholder from attending and voting in person at the above meeting convened and in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.
- 8. In the event that a black rainstorm warning signal or a tropical cyclone warning signal number 8 or above is hoisted or remains hoisted at any time after 11:30 a.m. on the date of the annual general meeting, the annual general meeting will be adjourned until further notice.

Further announcement notifying Shareholders of details (including the date, time and venue) of the adjourned meeting will be posted on the websites of the Stock Exchange and the Company.

If a black rainstorm warning signal or tropical cyclone warning signal number 8 or above is cancelled at or before 11:00 a.m. on the date of the annual general meeting, and where conditions permit, the annual general meeting will be held as scheduled.