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# NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an annual general meeting (the "AGM") of Midland IC&I Limited (the "Company") will be held at Rooms 2505-8, 25th Floor, World-Wide House, 19 Des Voeux Road Central, Hong Kong on Wednesday, 22 June 2022 at 12:00 noon for the following purposes:

- 1. To receive and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements and the report of the directors and independent auditor's report for the year ended 31 December 2021.
- 2. (a) To re-elect each of the retiring directors of the Company as follows by way of a separate resolution:
  - (i) Mr. WONG Kin Yip, Freddie as director;
  - (ii) Mr. LO Chin Ho, Tony as director;
  - (iii) Mr. WONG Alexander Yiu Ming as director;
  - (iv) Mr. SHA Pau, Eric as director (who has served as an independent non-executive director of the Company for more than nine years);
  - (v) Mr. WONG Chung Kwong as director; and
  - (vi) Mr. LI Wai Keung as director.
  - (b) To authorise the board of directors to fix the directors' remuneration.
- 3. To re-appoint Messrs. PricewaterhouseCoopers as the auditor of the Company and to authorise the board of directors to fix the remuneration of the auditor.

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolutions as ordinary resolutions:

# ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

# 4. "THAT

- (a) subject to paragraph (b) of this resolution, the exercise by the directors of the Company (the "Directors") during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to buy back its own shares on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") or on any other stock exchange on which the securities of the Company may be listed and which is recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong (the "Securities and Futures Commission") and the Stock Exchange for this purpose, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and the rules and regulations of the Securities and Futures Commission, the Stock Exchange or of other stock exchange as amended from time to time, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved and authorised;
- (b) the aggregate number of shares of the Company to be bought back or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be bought back by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution during the Relevant Period shall not exceed 10 per cent of the total issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution, provided that if any subsequent consolidation or subdivision of shares of the Company is effected, the maximum number of shares of the Company that may be bought back pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution as a percentage of the total number of issued shares of the Company immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same and such maximum number of shares of the Company shall be adjusted accordingly; and
- (c) for the purpose of this resolution, "Relevant Period" means the period from the date of passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:
  - (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
  - (ii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting; and
  - (iii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company or any applicable laws to be held."

# 5. "THAT

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) of this resolution, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to issue, allot and deal with the unissued shares of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including bonds, warrants, debentures, notes and other securities which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into shares of the Company) which would or might require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved and authorised;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period of all the powers of the Company to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including bonds, warrants, debentures, notes and other securities which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into shares of the Company) which would or might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- the aggregate number of shares allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined); or (ii) the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any bonds, warrants, debentures, notes and other securities of the Company; or (iii) the exercise of options granted or to be granted under any share option scheme or any similar arrangement; or (iv) any scrip dividend scheme or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on shares of the Company implemented in accordance with the articles of association of the Company; or (v) a specific authority granted or to be granted by the shareholders of the Company, shall not exceed 20 per cent of the total issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution, provided that if any subsequent consolidation or subdivision of shares of the Company is effected, the maximum number of shares of the Company that may be issued pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution as a percentage of the total number of issued shares of the Company immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same and such maximum number of shares of the Company shall be adjusted accordingly, and the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be limited accordingly; and

- (d) for the purpose of this resolution, "Relevant Period" means the period from the date of passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:
  - (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
  - (ii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting; and
  - (iii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company or any applicable laws to be held; and

"Rights Issue" means an offer of shares of the Company or issue of options, warrants or other securities giving the right to subscribe for shares of the Company open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of shares whose names appear on the register of members of the Company (and, where appropriate, to holders of other securities of the Company entitled to the offer) on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares of the Company or, where appropriate, such other securities (subject in all cases to such exclusions or other arrangements as the Directors may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements or having regard to any legal or practical restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange in, any territory outside Hong Kong)."

6. "THAT conditional upon the passing of ordinary resolutions 4 and 5 set out in the notice convening this meeting, the general mandate granted to the Directors to issue, allot and deal with the unissued shares of the Company pursuant to resolution 5 set out in the notice convening this meeting be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto the number of shares of the Company bought back by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to resolution 4 set out in the notice convening this meeting provided that such number in aggregate shall not exceed 10 per cent of the total issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution (subject to adjustment in the case of consolidation or subdivision of shares of the Company)."

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as a special resolution:

# SPECIAL RESOLUTION

7. "THAT subject to and conditional upon the approval being granted by the Registrar of Companies in the Cayman Islands (the "Registrar"), the English name of the Company be changed from "Midland IC&I Limited" to "Legend Upstar Holdings Limited" and the dual foreign name in Chinese of the Company be changed from "美聯工商舗有限公司" to "鋑聯控股有限公司" (the "Change of Company Name") with effect from the date of entry of the new English name and the new dual foreign name in Chinese of the Company on the register of companies maintained by the Registrar and of the issuance of the Certificate of Incorporation on Change of Name by the Registrar and that any one or more of the directors of the Company or a committee thereof be and are hereby authorised to do all such acts and things and execute all such documents as he/she/they consider necessary (whether by hand, under seal or as a deed), desirable or expedient for the purpose of, or in connection with, the implementation of and giving effect to the Change of Company Name and to attend to any necessary registration and/or filing for and on behalf of the Company."

By Order of the Board Midland IC&I Limited MUI Ngar May, Joel Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 29 April 2022

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#### Notes:

- (a) All resolutions at the AGM will be taken by poll pursuant to the requirement of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (the "Listing Rules") and the results of the poll will be published on the websites of the Stock Exchange and the Company in accordance with the Listing Rules.
- (b) A member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the AGM is entitled to appoint one or (if he is a holder of two or more shares) more than one proxy to attend and vote in his stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- (c) Whether or not you intend to attend the AGM in person, you are requested to complete and return the proxy form in accordance with the instructions stated thereon. To prevent the spreading of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Company strongly encourages you to appoint the Chairman of the AGM as your proxy as an alternative to attending the AGM in person or by your proxy.
- (d) To be valid, the completed proxy form together with the power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed, or a certified copy of such power of attorney or authority, must be deposited at the Company's Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office, Tricor Tengis Limited at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong, not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the proxy form will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the AGM and at any adjournment thereof if you so wish. In such event, the proxy form shall be deemed to be revoked.
- (e) Where there are joint holders of any share any one of such joint holder may vote, either in person or by proxy, in respect of such share as if he were solely entitled thereto, 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. Several executors or administrators of a deceased member of the Company in whose name any share stands shall for the purpose of the articles of association of the Company be deemed joint holders thereof.
- (f) The register of members of the Company will be closed from Friday, 17 June 2022 to Wednesday, 22 June 2022, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares will be registered. To be eligible to attend and vote at the AGM, all properly completed transfer forms accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office, Tricor Tengis Limited at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, 16 June 2022.
- (g) Regarding item 2 of this notice, details of the retiring Directors proposed to be re-elected are set out in Appendix II to the circular of the Company dated 29 April 2022.
- (h) Subject to the development of the COVID-19 pandemic and the requirements or guidelines of the Hong Kong government and/or regulatory authorities, the Company may announce updates on the AGM arrangement on the websites of the Stock Exchange and the Company as and when appropriate.

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises eight Directors, of which four are Executive Directors, namely Mr. WONG Kin Yip, Freddie, Ms. WONG Ching Yi, Angela, Mr. LO Chin Ho, Tony and Mr. WONG Alexander Yiu Ming; and four are Independent Non-Executive Directors, namely Mr. SHA Pau, Eric, Mr. HO Kwan Tat, Ted, Mr. WONG Chung Kwong and Mr. LI Wai Keung.