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# Brii Biosciences Limited 腾盛博药生物科技有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 2137)

# GRANT OF SHARE OPTIONS AND RESTRICTED SHARE UNITS

## GRANT OF SHARE OPTIONS

Pursuant to Rule 17.06A of the Listing Rules, the Board announces that on June 24, 2022, the Company granted an aggregate of 2,376,000 Options to 20 Option Grantees in accordance with the terms of the Post-IPO Share Option Scheme, subject to acceptance by the Option Grantees. As at the date of this announcement, the total number of issued Shares is 722,711,213 Shares. Upon full exercise of the Options, the Shares to be allotted and issued thereunder represent approximately 0.33% of the total number of issued Shares as at the date of this announcement and approximately 0.33% of the enlarged total number of issued Shares (excluding the vesting of any of the RSUs granted to the RSU Grantees under the RSU Grants).

## **Details of the Option Grants**

Details of the Options granted to the Option Grantees are set out below:

Grant Date : June 24, 2022

Number of Option Grantees : 20

Number of Options granted : 2,376,000 Options (each Option shall entitle the Option

Grantee to subscribe for one Share)

Consideration for the Option

Grants

HK\$1.00 to be paid by each of the Option Grantees upon

acceptance of the Options granted

Exercise price of the Option : HK\$9.16 per Share (being equal to the highest of (i) the

closing price per Share as stated in the daily quotations sheet issued by the Stock Exchange on the Grant Date, being HK\$9.16; (ii) the average closing price per Share as stated in the daily quotation sheets issued by the Stock Exchange for the five business days immediately preceding the Grant Date, being HK\$8.58; and (iii) US\$0.000005, being the nominal

value of a Share)

Closing price of the Shares on the Grant Date

HK\$9.16 per Share

The average closing price of the Shares as quoted on the Stock Exchange for the five business days immediately preceding the Grant Date HK\$8.58 per Share

Validity period of the Options

The validity period of the Options shall be subject to the relevant grant letter of each of the Option Grantees, which in any event must not be more than ten years from the Grant Date and the Options shall lapse at the expiry of such validity period

Vesting period

2,313,500 of the Options granted to the Option Grantees shall vest in the Option Grantees as follows:

- 25% shall vest on the first anniversary of the employment commencement date of each Option Grantee;
- 25% shall vest on the second anniversary of the employment commencement date of each Option Grantee;
- 25% shall vest on the third anniversary of the employment commencement date of each Option Grantee; and
- 25% shall vest on the fourth anniversary of the employment commencement date of each Option Grantee.

62,500 of the Options granted to the Option Grantees shall vest in the Option Grantees as follows:

- 25% shall vest on the first anniversary of the promotion date of each Option Grantee;
- 25% shall vest on the second anniversary of the promotion date of each Option Grantee;
- 25% shall vest on the third anniversary of the promotion date of each Option Grantee; and
- 25% shall vest on the fourth anniversary of the promotion date of each Option Grantee.

## **Option Grants to Employees**

None of the Option Grantees is a Director, chief executive or substantial shareholder of the Company, or any of their respective associates, or is otherwise a connected person of the Company.

# Reasons for and benefits of the Option Grants

The Option Grants are part of the Company's remuneration policy. The purposes of the Option Grants are to (i) retain, incentivize and reward the employees of the Group for their contribution to the Company, and (ii) encourage employees to work towards enhancing the value of the Company and its Shares.

#### GRANT OF RESTRICTED SHARE UNITS

On a voluntary basis, the Board announces that on June 24, 2022, the Company granted a total of 981,000 RSUs to 20 RSU Grantees in accordance with the terms of the Post-IPO Share Award Scheme, subject to acceptance by the RSU Grantees.

In accordance with the terms of the Post-IPO Share Award Scheme and the relevant award agreements, the RSU Grants are made under the following terms:

- (i) each RSU is granted for nil consideration;
- (ii) each RSU granted represents the right to receive one Share on the date it vests; and
- (iii) the vesting schedule of 981,000 RSUs to the RSU Grantees will be as follows:
  - (a) in relation to 958,000 RSUs: 25%, 25%, 25% and 25% of the grant will vest on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the employment commencement date of each RSU Grantee, respectively; and
  - (b) in relation to 23,000 RSUs: 25%, 25%, 25% and 25% of the grant will vest on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the promotion date of each RSU Grantee, respectively,

subject to their continuous employment with the Company throughout the whole vesting period.

As at the date of this announcement, the total number of issued Shares is 722,711,213 Shares. The 981,000 RSUs granted to the RSU Grantees under the RSU Grants represent 981,000 underlying Shares, representing approximately 0.14% of the total number of issued Shares as at the date of this announcement and approximately 0.14% of the enlarged total number of issued Shares (excluding the exercise of any of the Options granted to the Option Grantees under the Option Grants).

The RSUs granted under the RSU Grants would be satisfied by new Shares to be issued by the Company under its available general mandate or specific mandate in compliance with the Post-IPO Share Award Scheme and all applicable laws, rules and regulations, including the Listing Rules. The new Shares to be allotted and issued by the Company under the RSU Grants will rank pari passu in all respects among themselves and with all the Shares in issue from time to time. The Listing Committee of the Stock Exchange has previously granted its approval for the listing of, and permission to deal in, the Shares to be issued pursuant to the vesting schedule of any RSUs granted under the Post-IPO Share Award Scheme.

#### **Market Value**

Based on the closing price of HK\$9.16 per Share as stated in the daily quotation sheet issued by the Stock Exchange on the Grant Date, the market value of the RSUs granted to the RSU Grantees under the RSU Grants amounts to approximately HK\$8,985,960.

## **RSU Grants to Employees**

None of the RSU Grantees is a Director, chief executive or substantial shareholder of the Company, or any of their respective associates, or is otherwise a connected person of the Company.

## Reasons for and benefits of the RSU Grants

The RSU Grants are part of the Company's remuneration policy. The purpose of such grants is to closely align the interests and benefits of the Company and its employees in order to maximize the motivation of the employees of the Group. The RSU Grants are to (i) encourage and enable the employees of the Group to share the success of the Company and (ii) foster a closer relationship between these employees and the Group with aligned interests, thereby incentivizing their efforts and contribution to the Group's continued success and strengthening their sense of belonging.

## **DEFINITIONS**

"associates"	has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules
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"Board"	the board of Directors
"Company"	Brii Biosciences Limited, a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability, the Shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange
"connected person"	has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules
"Director(s)"	the director(s) of the Company from time to time
"Grant Date"	June 24, 2022
"Group"	the Company and its subsidiaries from time to time
"HK\$"	Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong
"Hong Kong"	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China
"Listing Rules"	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange
"Option(s)"	option(s) to subscribe for or acquire Shares which is/are granted under the Post-IPO Share Option Scheme

"Option Grants"	the grant of an aggregate of 2,376,000 Options to 20 Option Grantees in accordance with the terms of the Post-IPO Share Option Scheme
"Option Grantees"	the employees of the Group who were granted Options in accordance with the Post-IPO Share Option Scheme on the Grant Date
"Post-IPO Share Award Scheme"	the post-IPO share award scheme adopted by the Company on June 22, 2021
"Post-IPO Share Option Scheme"	the post-IPO share option scheme adopted by the Company on June 22, 2021
"RSU(s)"	restricted share unit(s) which is/are granted under the Post-IPO Share Award Scheme
"RSU Grants"	the grants of an aggregate of 981,000 RSUs to 20 RSU Grantees in accordance with the terms of the Post-IPO Share Award Scheme
"RSU Grantees"	the employees of the Group who were granted RSUs in accordance with the Post-IPO Share Award Scheme on the Grant Date
"Share(s)"	the ordinary share(s) of par value US\$0.000005 each in the share capital of the Company
"Stock Exchange"	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited
"subsidiaries"	has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules
"substantial shareholder"	has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules
"US\$"	United States dollars, the lawful currency of the United States of America
	By order of the Board

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Brii Biosciences Limited
Dr. Zhi Hong
Chairman

Hong Kong, June 24, 2022

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Dr. Zhi Hong and Mr. Yongqing Luo as executive Directors; Mr. Robert Taylor Nelsen and Dr. Axel Bouchon as non-executive Directors; and Dr. Martin J Murphy Jr, Ms. Grace Hui Tang, Mr. Yiu Wa Alec Tsui and Mr. Gregg Huber Alton as independent non-executive Directors.