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**Add New Energy Investment Holdings Group Limited**  
**愛德新能源投資控股集團有限公司**

*(incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)*

**(Stock Code: 02623)**

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

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A notice convening an annual general meeting of the Company to be held on Friday, 16 June 2023 at 10:00 a.m. at 10/F., United Centre, 95 Queensway, Hong Kong is set out on pages 12 to 16 of this circular. Whether or not you are able to attend the annual general meeting, you are requested to complete and return the enclosed proxy form in accordance with the instructions printed thereon to the Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company, Tricor Investor Services Limited at 17/F., Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the annual general meeting. Completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the annual general meeting or any adjourned meeting thereof should you so desire and, in such event, the form of proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

28 April 2023

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## **RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT**

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

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## DEFINITIONS

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

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| “AGM”                     | the annual general meeting of the Company to be held on Friday, 16 June 2023 at 10:00 a.m. at 10/F., United Centre, 95 Queensway, Hong Kong   |
| “AGM Notice”              | the notice convening the AGM set out on pages 12 to 16 of this circular   |
| “Articles”                | the articles of association of the Company  |
| “Board”                   | the board of Directors  |
| “close associates”        | has the same meaning as defined in the Listing Rules  |
| “Company”                 | Add New Energy Investment Holdings Group Limited, a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability and the Shares of which are listed on the Stock Exchange            |
| “core connected person”   | has the same meaning as defined in the Listing Rules  |
| “Director(s)”             | the director or directors of the Company  |
| “Group”                   | the Company and its subsidiaries  |
| “HK\$”                    | Hong Kong dollar, the lawful currency of Hong Kong  |
| “Hong Kong”               | the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC  |
| “Issue Mandate”           | a general and unconditional mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors to exercise all powers of the Company to allot and issue Shares set out as resolution no. 4 in the AGM Notice |
| “Latest Practicable Date” | 24 April 2023, being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this circular for ascertaining certain information for inclusion in this circular                               |
| “Listing Rules”           | the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange   |

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| “PRC”                | the People’s Republic of China, and for the purpose of this circular, excluding Hong Kong, the Macau Special Administrative Region of the PRC and Taiwan                             |
| “Repurchase Mandate” | a general and unconditional mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors to exercise all powers of the Company to repurchase Shares set out as resolution no. 5 in the AGM Notice |
| “SFO”                | Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong)  |
| “Share(s)”           | ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.002 each in the capital of the Company  |
| “Shareholder(s)”     | holder(s) of (a) Share(s)  |
| “Stock Exchange”     | The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited  |
| “Takeovers Code”     | The Code on Takeovers and Mergers of Hong Kong   |
| “%”                  | per cent.  |

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## LETTER FROM THE BOARD

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# Add New Energy Investment Holdings Group Limited 愛德新能源投資控股集團有限公司

(incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 02623)

*Executive Directors:*

Mr. Li Yunde (*Chairman*)  
Mr. Geng Guohua (*Chief Executive Officer*)  
Mr. Lang Weiguo

*Independent non-executive Directors:*

Mr. Leung Nga Tat  
Mr. Li Xiaoyang  
Mr. Zhang Jingsheng

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Tsim Sha Tsui  
Kowloon  
Hong Kong

28 April 2023

*To the Shareholders,*

Dear Sir or Madam,

### **GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE NEW SHARES AND TO REPURCHASE SHARES AND RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

#### **INTRODUCTION**

The purpose of this circular is to: (i) provide you with details of the proposed Issue Mandate and the proposed Repurchase Mandate and the extension of the Issue Mandate by addition thereto of the number of Shares repurchased pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate; (ii) set out an explanatory statement regarding the Repurchase Mandate; (iii) furnish you details of the proposed re-election of Directors; and (iv) give you the AGM Notice.

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### GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE NEW SHARES AND REPURCHASE SHARES

Ordinary resolutions will be proposed at the AGM to grant to the Directors new general mandates:

- (i) to allot, issue and otherwise deal with new Shares with an aggregate number not exceeding 20% of the aggregate number of the issued Shares as at the date of passing the proposed resolution at the AGM; and
- (ii) to repurchase Shares with an aggregate number not exceeding 10% of the aggregate number of the issued Shares as at the date of passing the proposed resolution at the AGM.

In addition, a separate ordinary resolution will be proposed at the AGM to add to the Issue Mandate those Shares repurchased by the Company pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate (if granted to the Directors at the AGM).

The Directors have no present intention to exercise the Issue Mandate or the Repurchase Mandate (if granted to the Directors at the AGM).

As at the Latest Practicable Date, a total of 5,255,299,920 Shares were in issue. Assuming the proposed share consolidation (“Share Consolidation”) of every twenty (20) Shares of HK\$0.002 each into one (1) consolidated share of par value of HK\$0.04 each (“Consolidated Shares”) will be approved by the Shareholders at the adjourned extraordinary general meeting to be held on 5 May 2023 and the Share Consolidation takes effect from Tuesday, 9 May 2023, and subject to the passing of the proposed resolution granting the Issue Mandate to the Directors and on the basis that no Shares will be issued and/or repurchased by the Company prior to the AGM, there shall be 262,764,996 Consolidated Shares in issue. The Company would be allowed to issue a maximum of 1,051,059,984 Shares or 52,552,999 Consolidated Shares (if the Share Consolidation becoming effective), representing 20% of the aggregate number of the issued Shares or Consolidated Shares (as the case may be) as at the date of the AGM.

An explanatory statement containing information regarding the Repurchase Mandate is set out in Appendix I to this circular.

### RETIREMENT OF DIRECTORS AND RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS

Mr. Leung Nga Tat (“Mr. Leung”) and Mr. Li Xiaoyang (“Mr. Li XY”) will retire from office as Directors by rotation at the AGM pursuant to Article 108(a) of the Articles, and being eligible, offer themselves for re-election at the AGM.

The nomination committee of the Company (the “Nomination Committee”) has reviewed the biographical information of the retiring Directors, and considered that the re-election of Mr. Leung and Mr. Li XY as independent non-executive Directors would be in the best interests of the Company and its shareholders as a whole by taking into account of their knowledge and experience, Mr. Leung has extensive experience in accounting financing, compliance and merger and acquisition, and Mr. Li XY has extensive experience in Mining and Metallurgy. Their working profile and other experience and factors as set out in Appendix II to this circular. Each of Mr. Leung and Mr. Li XY has good knowledge and extensive experience can support his role and he actively participated in the Group’s Board meetings and Board committee meetings, and made valuable contributions to the Group. The Nomination Committee is satisfied that each of Mr. Leung and Mr. Li XY has the required character, integrity and experience to continuously fulfil his role as an independent non-executive Director effectively.

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The Nomination Committee has also assessed the independence of each of Mr. Leung and Mr. Li XY based on reviewing his written confirmation of independence to the Company pursuant to Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules and confirmed that they remain independent.

Accordingly, with the recommendation of the Nomination Committee, the Board has proposed that all the retiring Directors stand for re-election as Directors at the AGM.

### AGM

A notice convening the AGM to be held on Friday, 16 June 2023 at 10:00 a.m. at 10/F., United Centre, 95 Queensway, Hong Kong is set out on pages 12 to 16 of this circular for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the resolutions set out therein.

You will find enclosed a form of proxy for use at the AGM. 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 Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company, Tricor Investor Services Limited at 17/F., Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong, as soon as possible but in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM. Completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the AGM or any adjourned meeting thereof should you so desire and, in any event, the form of proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

Pursuant to 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, 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, all the resolutions set out in the notice of the AGM will be voted by poll.

### CLOSURE OF REGISTER OF MEMBERS

For determining the entitlement to attend and vote at the AGM, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Monday, 12 June 2023 to Friday, 16 June 2023, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of Shares will be registered. In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the AGM, all transfers of Shares accompanied by the relevant share certificate(s) must be lodged with the Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at 17/F., Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong for registration no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 9 June 2023.

### RECOMMENDATION

The Directors consider that the grant of the Issue Mandate, the Repurchase Mandate and the re-election of the retiring Directors are in the interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Accordingly, the Directors recommend that the Shareholders vote in favour of the relevant resolutions as set out in the AGM Notice at the AGM.

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### GENERAL

Your attention is also drawn to the appendices to this circular.

### MISCELLANEOUS

The English text of this circular shall prevail over the Chinese text for the purpose of interpretation.

By Order of the Board  
**Add New Energy Investment Holdings Group Limited**  
**Li Yunde**  
*Chairman*

This appendix includes an explanatory statement required by the Stock Exchange to be presented to the Shareholders concerning the Repurchase Mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors in the AGM.

## **1. STOCK EXCHANGE RULES FOR REPURCHASES OF SHARES**

The Listing Rules permit companies with a primary listing on the Stock Exchange to repurchase their shares on the Stock Exchange subject to certain restrictions.

The Listing Rules provide that all such proposed repurchases of shares must be approved by shareholders in advance by an ordinary resolution at a general meeting, either by way of a general mandate or by a specific approval of a particular transaction and that the shares to be repurchased must be fully paid up.

## **2. FUNDING AND IMPACT OF REPURCHASES**

Any repurchase will be made out of funds which are legally available for the purpose in accordance with the memorandum of association and Articles, the Listing Rules and the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands. As compared with the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 2022 (being the date to which the latest audited accounts of the Company have been made up), the Directors consider that there would not be a material adverse impact on the working capital and on the gearing position of the Company in the event that the proposed repurchases were to be carried out in full during the proposed repurchase period.

The Directors do not propose to exercise the Repurchase Mandate to such extent as would, in the circumstances, have a material adverse effect on the working capital of the Company or the gearing position which in the opinion of the Directors are from time to time appropriate for the Company.

## **3. REASONS FOR REPURCHASES**

The Directors believe that it is in the interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole to have a general authority from the Shareholders to enable the Directors to repurchase Shares on the market. Such repurchases may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net asset value of the Company and/or its earning per Share and will only be made when the Directors believe that such repurchases will benefit the Company and the Shareholders.

## **4. SHARE CAPITAL**

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the issued share capital of the Company comprised 5,255,299,920 Shares.

## APPENDIX I EXPLANATORY STATEMENT ON REPURCHASE MANDATE

Assuming the Share Consolidation will be approved by the Shareholders at the adjourned extraordinary general meeting to be held on 5 May 2023 and the Share Consolidation takes effect from Tuesday, 9 May 2023, and subject to the passing of the relevant ordinary resolutions to approve the general mandates to issue and repurchase Shares and on the basis that no further Shares are issued or repurchased between the Latest Practicable Date and the AGM, there shall be 262,764,996 Consolidated Shares in issue. The Directors would be authorised to exercise the powers of the Company to repurchase a maximum of 525,529,992 Shares or 26,276,499 Consolidated Shares (as the case may be).

### 5. UNDERTAKING OF THE DIRECTORS

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange to exercise the Repurchase Mandate in accordance with the Listing Rules, the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands and in accordance with the memorandum of association and Articles.

### 6. EFFECT OF THE TAKEOVERS CODE

If as a result of a repurchase of Shares pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate, a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases, such increase will be treated as an acquisition for the purpose of Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code. As a result, a Shareholder or a group of Shareholders acting in concert (as that term is defined in the Takeovers Code), depending on the level of increase of the shareholding, could obtain or consolidate control of the Company and become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, according to the register kept by the Company pursuant to section 336 of the SFO and so far as is known to, or can be ascertained after reasonable enquiry by the Directors, the controlling Shareholders were:

| Name of Shareholder                            | Number of Shares held | Approximately % shareholding      |  |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
|  |                       | As at the Latest Practicable Date | If Repurchase Mandate is exercised in full |
| Hongfa Holdings Limited<br>("Hongfa Holdings") | 2,048,138,660         | 38.69%                            | 42.99%                                     |
| Mr. Li Yunde ( <i>Note 1</i> )                 | 2,170,196,660         | 40.99%                            | 45.55%                                     |
| Ms. Zhang Limei ( <i>Note 2</i> )              | 2,170,196,660         | 40.99%                            | 45.55%                                     |

*Notes:*

1. Mr. Li Yunde ("Mr. Li") beneficially holds the entire issued share capital of Hongfa Holdings, which in turn, beneficially holds 122,058,000 Shares. For the purposes of the SFO, Mr. Li is deemed or taken to be interested in all the Shares held by Hongfa Holdings.
2. Ms. Zhang Limei ("Ms. Zhang") is the spouse of Mr. Li. For the purpose of SFO, Ms. Zhang is deemed or taken to be interested in all the Shares in which Mr. Li is interested.

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In the event the Repurchase Mandate was exercised in full, the interests of each of the above Shareholders in the Company would be increased to approximately the percentages as set out opposite their respective names in the table above. On the basis of the aforesaid increase of shareholding held by the Shareholders set out above, Mr. Li and parties acting in concert with him are required to make a mandatory offer under Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code if the Repurchase Mandate was exercised in full. However, the Directors do not intend to exercise the power to repurchase Shares to an extent which would render any Shareholder or group of Shareholders obliged to make a mandatory offer under Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code.

**7. DIRECTORS, THEIR CLOSE ASSOCIATES AND CORE CONNECTED PERSONS**

None of the Directors nor, to the best knowledge and belief of the Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their close associates has any present intention, in the event that the proposed Repurchase Mandate is granted, to sell Shares to the Company. No core connected person of the Company has notified the Company that he has a present intention to sell Shares to the Company nor has he undertaken not to sell any of the Shares held by him to the Company in the event that the Company is authorised to make repurchases of Shares.

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

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

**9. SHARE PRICES**

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

|   | <b>Shares</b>  |               |
|---|----------------|---------------|
|   | <b>Highest</b> | <b>Lowest</b> |
|   | <i>HK\$</i>    | <i>HK\$</i>   |
| <b>2022</b>                               |                |               |
| April                                     | 0.103          | 0.082         |
| May                                       | 0.109          | 0.081         |
| June                                      | 0.106          | 0.088         |
| July                                      | 0.095          | 0.082         |
| August                                    | 0.091          | 0.056         |
| September                                 | 0.084          | 0.052         |
| October                                   | 0.079          | 0.043         |
| November                                  | 0.071          | 0.049         |
| December                                  | 0.070          | 0.052         |
| <b>2023</b>                               |                |               |
| January                                   | 0.067          | 0.050         |
| February                                  | 0.060          | 0.055         |
| March                                     | 0.058          | 0.050         |
| April (up to the Latest Practicable Date) | 0.070          | 0.051         |

Set out below are details of the retiring Directors proposed to be re-elected at the AGM.

### INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

#### Mr. Leung Nga Tat (“Mr. Leung”)

Mr. Leung, aged 41, was appointed as an independent non-executive Director on 18 June 2019. He is the chairman of each of the Audit Committee and the Remuneration Committee. Mr. Leung graduated from The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, majoring in Accountancy. He is also a member of Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants starting from January 2010. He had been employed under an international auditing firm, KPMG for more than 8 years. He worked in Landsea Green Management Limited (formerly known as Landsea Green Properties Co., Ltd.) (a company listed on the main board of the Stock Exchange; stock code: 106) as the deputy financial controller, mainly responsible for financing, financial reporting, legal and compliance during February 2014 and July 2018 and has been an independent non-executive director of Xinhua News Media Holdings Limited (a company listed on the main board of the Stock Exchange; stock code: 309) since 1 November 2021. He started his own serviced apartment business in June 2018. With over 17 years of working experiences in the industry, Mr. Leung is equipped with comprehensive knowledge of accounting, financing, compliance and merger and acquisition.

Mr. Leung entered into a renewed service agreement with the Company on 30 March 2023 for a term of two years commencing from 18 June 2023 unless terminated by not less than three months’ notice in writing served by either party on the other. He is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at least once every three years in accordance with the Articles. Mr. Leung is entitled to a director’s fee of HK\$312,000 per annum, which is determined by the Board with reference to the recommendation from the Remuneration Committee based on the duties and responsibilities of Mr. Leung and the prevailing market conditions.

Mr. Leung does not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management, substantial or controlling shareholders (as defined under the Listing Rules) of the Company. As at the Latest Practicable Date, he does not have any interests in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

#### Mr. Li Xiaoyang (“Mr. Li XY”)

Mr. Li XY, aged 67, was appointed as an independent non-executive Director on 9 April 2012. He is a member of each of the Audit Committee and the Nomination Committee. Mr. Li XY graduated from Central South Institute of Mining and Metallurgy (中南礦冶學院) (currently known as Central South University (中南大學)) in July 1978, majoring in Metallurgical Analytical Chemistry (冶金分析化學). He also obtained a master’s degree of Regional Economics Management (區域經濟管理) granted by Beijing Normal University (北京師範大學) in December 2002. From 1980 to 2000, he worked in Kunming Institute of Metallurgy (昆明冶金研究院) and was appointed as an engineer, and a senior engineer in 1986 and 1996, respectively, focusing on the research and technical development of metallurgy.

Mr. Li XY entered into a renewed service agreement with the Company on 30 March 2022 for a term of two years commencing from 27 April 2022 unless terminated by not less than three months' notice in writing served by either party on the other. He is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at least once every three years in accordance with the Articles. He is entitled to a director's remuneration of HK\$156,000 per annum, which is determined by the Board with reference to the recommendation from the Remuneration Committee, the duties and responsibilities of Mr. Li XY and the prevailing market conditions.

Mr. Li XY does not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management, substantial or controlling shareholders (as defined under the Listing Rules) of the Company. As at the Latest Practicable Date, he does not have any interests in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Save as disclosed above, there are no other matters relating to the proposed re-election of Mr. Leung and Mr. Li XY that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders and there is no other information that should be disclosed pursuant to paragraph 13.51(2)(h) to (v) of the Listing Rules.

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## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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# Add New Energy Investment Holdings Group Limited 愛德新能源投資控股集團有限公司

*(incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)*

**(Stock Code: 02623)**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an annual general meeting (the “**Meeting**”) of Add New Energy Investment Holdings Group Limited (the “**Company**”) will be held on Friday, 16 June 2023 at 10:00 a.m. at 10/F., United Centre, 95 Queensway, Hong Kong for considering and, if thought fit, passing, with or without amendments, the following resolutions as ordinary resolutions of the Company:

### **ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS**

1. To receive and consider the audited consolidated financial statements and the reports of the directors and auditor of the Company and its subsidiaries for the year ended 31 December 2022.
2. To re-appoint Crowe (HK) CPA Limited as auditor of the Company and to authorise the board of directors of the Company to fix their remuneration.
3.
  - (a) Mr. Leung Nga Tat be re-elected as a director of the Company.
  - (b) Mr. Li Xiaoyang be re-elected as a director of the Company.
  - (c) To authorise the board of directors of the Company to fix the directors’ remuneration.
4. “**THAT:**
  - (A) subject to paragraph (C) of this resolution below, 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 allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the capital of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including warrants, bonds and debentures convertible into shares of the Company) which might require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

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- (B) the Directors be and are hereby authorised during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including warrants, bonds and debentures convertible into shares of the Company) which might or would require the exercise of such powers (including but not limited to the power to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the capital of the Company) during or after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (C) the aggregate number of shares of the Company allotted 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 paragraphs (A) and (B) of this resolution above, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined); or (ii) the exercise of any options granted under the share option scheme adopted by the Company or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the grant or issue to officers and/or employees of the Company and/or any of its subsidiaries of shares or rights to subscribe for shares in the Company; or (iii) any scrip dividend scheme or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares in the Company in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend in accordance with the articles of association of the Company from time to time, shall not exceed 20% of the aggregate number of the shares of the Company in issue at the date of passing this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (D) for the purposes of this resolution:

“Relevant Period” means the period from the time 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 laws of the Cayman Islands or the Company’s articles of association to be held; or
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting.

“Rights Issue” means an offer of shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of shares on the 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 any relevant jurisdiction, or the requirements of any recognized regulatory body or any stock exchange).”

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5. “THAT:

- (A) subject to paragraph (C) of this resolution below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all powers of the Company to repurchase issued shares in the capital of the Company on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “**Stock Exchange**”) or any other stock exchange on which the shares of the Company may be listed and recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong and the Stock Exchange for this purpose, and that the exercise by the Directors of all powers of the Company to repurchase such shares are subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and the requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange, be and is hereby, generally and unconditionally approved;
- (B) the approval in paragraph (A) of this resolution above shall be in addition to any other authorisation given to the Directors and shall authorise the Directors on behalf of the Company during the Relevant Period to procure the Company to repurchase its shares at a price determined by the Directors;
- (C) the aggregate number of shares of the Company repurchased or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (A) of this resolution above during the Relevant Period shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate number of the Shares of the Company in issue as at the date of passing this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (D) for the purposes of this resolution:

“Relevant Period” means the period from the time 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 laws of the Cayman Islands or the Company’s articles of association to be held; or
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting.”

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6. “**THAT** conditional upon the passing of Resolutions No. 4 and No. 5 as set out in this notice convening the Meeting of which this resolution forms part, the general mandate granted to the directors of the Company pursuant to Resolution No. 4 as set out in this notice convening the Meeting of which this resolution forms part be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto of an amount representing the aggregate number of the shares of the Company repurchased by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to Resolution No. 5 as set out in this notice convening the Meeting of which this resolution forms part, provided that such amount shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate number of the shares of the Company in issue as at the date of passing this resolution.”

By Order of the Board  
**Add New Energy Investment Holdings Group Limited**  
**Li Yunde**  
*Chairman*

Hong Kong, 28 April 2023

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*Notes:*

1. Any member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the Meeting shall be entitled to appoint another person as his proxy to attend and vote instead of him. A member who is the holder of two or more shares of the Company may appoint more than one proxy to represent him and vote on his behalf at the Meeting. A proxy need not be a member of the Company. On a poll, votes may be given either personally or by proxy.
2. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing under the hand of the appointer or of his attorney duly authorised in writing or, if the appointer is a corporation, either under its seal or under the hand of an officer, or attorney duly authorised.
3. To be valid, the instrument appointing a proxy and (if required by the board of the directors of the Company) the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed, or a notarially certified copy of such power or authority, shall be delivered to the Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company, Tricor Investor Services Limited at 17/F., Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the Meeting or any adjournment thereof, and in default the instrument appointing a proxy shall not be treated as valid.
4. No instrument appointing a proxy shall be valid after expiration of 12 months from the date named in it as the date of its execution, except at an adjourned meeting or on a poll demanded at the Meeting or any adjournment thereof in cases where the Meeting was originally held within 12 months from such date.
5. Where there are joint holders of any shares of the Company, any one of such joint holders may vote at the Meeting, either in person or by proxy, in respect of such share as if he/she were solely entitled thereto, but if more than one of such joint holders be present at the 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 name stands in the Register of Members of the Company in respect of the joint holding.
6. Completion and delivery of an instrument appointing a proxy shall not preclude a member from attending and voting in person at the Meeting if the member so wish and in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.
7. The transfer books and Register of Members of the Company will be closed from Monday, 12 June 2023 to Friday, 16 June 2023, both days inclusive. During such period, no share transfers will be effected. In order to be eligible to attend the Meeting, all transfer documents, accompanied by the relevant share certificates, must be lodged with the Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at 17/F., Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong for registration no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 9 June 2023.
8. Details of each of Mr. Leung Nga Tat and Mr. Li Xiaoyang proposed to be re-elected as directors of the Company at the Meeting are set out in the circular of the Company dated 28 April 2023.
9. A form of proxy for use at the Meeting is enclosed.
10. In case the venue is being closed on the date of meeting due to bad weather, the Meeting shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week and at such time and place as shall be decided by the Board. The Company will post an announcement on the websites of the Stock Exchange and of the Company notifying Shareholders of the date, time and place of the adjourned meeting.