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世界（集團）有限公司
WORLD HOUSEWARE (HOLDINGS) LIMITED
(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 713)

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of World Houseware (Holdings) Limited (the “**Company**”) will be held at the Jade Room, 6th Floor, The Marco Polo Hongkong Hotel, Harbour City, Kowloon, Hong Kong at 3:30 p.m. on Thursday, 13 June 2024 for the purpose of considering and if thought fit, passing the following resolutions:

As ordinary business:

1. To receive and adopt the audited financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries and the reports of the directors and auditors for the year ended 31 December 2023.
2. To re-elect directors and to authorise the Board to fix the directors’ remuneration.
3. To re-appoint auditors and authorise the Board to fix their remuneration.

As special business:

ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

4. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without modifications, the following resolutions as Ordinary Resolutions:

A. **“THAT:**

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) of this Resolution, the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as defined in paragraph (d) of this Resolution) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the capital of the Company or securities convertible into such shares, options, warrants or similar rights to subscribe for any shares in the Company, and to make and grant offers, agreements and options 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 authorise the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period to make and grant offers, agreements and options which would or might require the exercise of such power after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the total number of issued shares allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the directors of the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this Resolution, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as defined in paragraph (d) of this Resolution) or (ii) the exercise of options under any share option scheme or similar arrangement or (iii) the exercise of rights of conversion under the terms of any securities which are convertible into shares of the Company or warrants to subscribe for shares of the Company or (iv) any scrip dividend or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares of the Company in lieu of the whole or part of the dividend on the shares of the Company in accordance with the Company’s Articles of Association, shall not exceed 20% of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this Resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and

(d) for the purpose of this Resolution:

“Relevant Period” means the period from 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 end 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 Cayman Islands to be held; or
- (iii) 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 in the capital of the Company open for a period fixed by the directors of the Company to the holders of shares on the register of members of the Company on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the directors of the Company may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of any relevant jurisdiction, or the requirements of any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange applicable to the Company).”

B. “THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) of this Resolution, the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as defined in paragraph (d) of this Resolution) of all the powers of the Company to repurchase 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 recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission and the Stock Exchange for this purpose, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange or of any other stock exchange on which the securities of the Company may be listed as amended from time to time, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) shall be in addition to any other authorizations given to the directors of the Company and shall authorize the directors of the Company on behalf of the Company to repurchase its shares at a price determined by the directors of the Company;
 - (c) the total number of issued Shares of the Company to be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the approval mentioned in paragraph (a) of this Resolution during the Relevant Period shall not exceed 10% of the total number of issued Shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this Resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
 - (d) for the purposes of this Resolution the expression “Relevant Period” shall have the same meaning as assigned to it under paragraph (d) of Ordinary Resolution 4A of this notice.”
- C. “**THAT** conditional upon Resolutions 4A and 4B being passed, the total number of issued Shares of the Company which are repurchased by the Company under the authority granted to the directors as mentioned in Resolution 4B above shall be added to the total number of issued Shares that may be allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted by the directors of the Company pursuant to Resolution 4A, provided that the amount of share capital repurchased by the Company shall not exceed 10% of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing this Resolution.”

By Order of the Board
WORLD HOUSEWARE (HOLDINGS) LIMITED
Lee Tat Hing
Chairman

Hong Kong, 26 April 2024

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Notes:

1. A member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint one or (if he/she is a holder of two or more shares) more proxies to attend and to vote in his/her stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company but must be present in person at the meeting to represent the member. If more than one proxy is so appointed, the appointment shall specify the number and class of Shares in respect of which such proxy is so appointed.
2. A form of proxy for use at the meeting is enclosed. To be valid, the completed form of proxy, together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed, or a certified copy of such power or authority, must be deposited at the office of the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Tricor Secretaries 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 hereof. The proxy form will be published on the websites of the Stock Exchange (www.hkexnews.hk) and the Company (www.worldhse.com).
3. Completion and return of the proxy form will not preclude a member from attending and voting in person at the meeting or any adjournment thereof if the member so desires and in such event, the authority of your proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.
4. For determining the entitlement to attend and vote at the meeting, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Friday, 7 June 2024 to Thursday, 13 June 2024, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares in the Company will be registered. In order to qualify for the entitlement to attend and vote at the meeting, all transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Tricor Secretaries Limited at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, 6 June 2024. Members whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on Thursday, 13 June 2024 are entitled to attend and vote at the meeting or any adjournment thereof.

5. 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/it was solely entitled thereto, but if more than one of such joint holders are 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 holder(s). For this purpose, seniority shall be determined by the order in which the names stand first in the register of members of the Company in respect of the joint holding.
6. Any voting at the meeting shall be taken by poll pursuant to 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.
7. BAD WEATHER ARRANGEMENTS:

If Typhoon Signal No. 8 or above, or a “black” rainstorm warning is in effect any time after 11:00 a.m. on the date of the annual general meeting, the meeting will be postponed. The Company will post an announcement on the websites of the Stock Exchange (www.hkexnews.hk) and the Company (www.worldhse.com) to notify Shareholders of the date, time and venue of the rescheduled meeting.

As at the date of this announcement, the Executive Directors of the Company are Mr. Lee Tat Hing, Ms. Fung Mei Po, Mr. Lee Chun Sing, Mr. Lee Kwok Sing Stanley, Mr. Leung Cho Wai, Mr. Tsui Chi Yuen and Mr. Lee Hon Sing Alan; the Non-executive Directors of the Company are Mr. Cheung Tze Man Edward and Ms. Lee Ka Yee; the Independent Non-executive Directors of the Company are Mr. Tsui Chi Him Steve, Mr. Ho Tak Kay, Mr. Hui Chi Kuen Thomas, Ms. Tsang Wing Yee and Ms. Hong Ting.