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Holly Futures

(a joint stock company incorporated in the People's Republic of China (the "PRC") with limited liability under the Chinese corporate name 弘業期貨股份有限公司 and carrying on business in Hong Kong as Holly Futures) (the "Company")
(Stock Code: 3678)

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an annual general meeting (the "AGM") of the Company will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, 28 June 2024 at Conference Room 2105, 21/F, A4 Building, Financial City Phase II, No. 399 Jiang Dong Zhong Road, Jianye District, Nanjing, Jiangsu Province, the PRC for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolutions:

AS ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

1. To consider and approve the A Shares annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2023 and its summary report;
2. To consider and approve (i) the H Shares annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2023; and (ii) the annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2023 prepared in accordance with the relevant regulations and requirements of the China Securities Regulatory Commission;
3. To consider and approve the report of the board (the "**Board**") of directors (the "**Directors**") of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2023;
4. To consider and approve the report of the supervisory committee of the Company (the "**Supervisory Committee**") for the year ended 31 December 2023;

5. To consider and approve the final financial report of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2023;
6. To consider and approve the profit distribution plan of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2023;
7. To consider and approve the re-appointment of ShineWing Certified Public Accountants LLP as the auditor of the Company, to hold office until the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company, and to authorise the general manager's office of the Company to fix their remuneration at its meetings;
8. To consider and approve the trading framework agreement (貿易框架協議) to be entered into between the Company and Jiangsu SOHO Holdings Group Co., Ltd. ("**SOHO Holdings**") with respect to the purchase and sale of the Relevant Products between the Company and its subsidiaries and SOHO Holdings and its subsidiaries, and the continuing connected transactions contemplated thereunder and to authorise the management of the Company to handle all related matters of these continuing connected transactions in its full discretion;
9. To consider and approve the financial investment framework agreement (金融投資框架協議) to be entered into between the Company and SOHO Holdings with respect to the subscription of wealth management products from SOHO Holdings and its subsidiaries, and the continuing connected transactions contemplated thereunder and to authorise the management of the Company to handle all related matters of these continuing connected transactions in its full discretion;
10. To consider and approve financial services framework agreement (金融服務框架協議) to be entered into between the Company and SOHO Holdings with respect to the provision of financial services to SOHO Holdings and its subsidiaries, and the continuing connected transactions contemplated thereunder and to authorise the management of the Company to handle all related matters of these continuing connected transactions in its full discretion;
11. To authorise the Board to fix the remuneration packages of Directors for the year ended 31 December 2023;
12. To authorise the Supervisory Committee to fix the remuneration packages of supervisors of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2023;
13. To consider and approve the utilisation of part of the self-owned funds for entrusted wealth management;

14. To consider and approve the financial budget and investment plan for the year 2024;
15. To consider and approve the resolution on estimation of daily related party transactions for the year 2024;

AS SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS

16. To consider and approve the proposed amendments to (a) the existing articles of association of the Company in light of (i) the requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Shares on Shenzhen Stock Exchange (August 2023 Revision) (《深圳證券交易所上市規則(2023年8月修訂)》), the Guidelines on the Articles of Associations for Listed Companies (2023 revision) (《上市公司章程指引(2023年修訂)》), Measures for the Administration of Independent Directors of Listed Companies (《上市公司獨立董事管理辦法》), the Listing Rules, and other laws, regulations and normative documents; and (ii) based on the actual situation needs of the Company; (b) the existing Rules of Procedures of the General Meetings of the Company; and (c) the existing Rules of Procedures of the Board of Directors of the Company; and
17. To consider and approve the proposed change of (i) the Chinese name of the Company from “弘業期貨股份有限公司” to “蘇豪弘業期貨股份有限公司”; (ii) the English name of the Company from “Holly Futures Co., Ltd.” to “Soho Holly Futures Co., Ltd.”; (iii) the Chinese stock short name from “弘業期貨” to “蘇豪期貨”; and (iv) the English stock short name from “Holly Futures” to “Soho Futures” (the “**Change of Company Name**”); and the proposed amendments to the existing articles of association of the Company accordingly to reflect the Change of Company Name.

By order of the Board

Mr. Chu Kairong

Acting Chairman and Executive Director

Nanjing, the PRC, 29 May 2024

Notes:

1. All resolutions at the AGM will be taken by poll pursuant to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “**Listing Rules**”). The results of the poll will be published on the websites of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and the Company in accordance with the Listing Rules.
2. To ascertain shareholders of the Company who is entitled to attend and vote at the AGM, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, 25 June 2024 to Friday, 28 June 2024 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of Shares of the Company can be registered. Holders of H Shares whose names appear on the registers of members of the Company after the close of business on Monday, 24 June 2024 shall be entitled to attend and vote at the AGM. In order to qualify to attend and vote at the AGM, all transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the H share registrar of the Company, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shops 1712–1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen’s Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong (for holders of H Shares of the Company) no later than 4:30 p.m. on Monday, 24 June 2024.
3. Shareholders who intend to attend the AGM should complete the reply slip and return it by hand or by post to the H share registrar of the Company, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at 17M Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen’s Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong (for holders of H Shares of the Company) on or before 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, 25 June 2024.
4. Shareholders who are entitled to attend and vote at the AGM may appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote on their behalves. A proxy need not be a shareholder.
5. In order to be valid, the form of proxy for the AGM must be deposited by hand or post, for holders of H Shares of the Company, to the H share registrar of the Company, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at 17M Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen’s Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not less than 24 hours before the time for holding the AGM (i.e. before 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, 27 June 2024) (or any adjournment thereof) for taking the poll. If the form of proxy is signed by a person under a power of attorney or other authority, a notarial copy of that power of attorney or authority shall be deposited at the same time as mentioned in the form of proxy. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude shareholders from attending and voting in person at the AGM or any adjourned meetings should they so wish.

If the proxy is a legal person, its legal representative or any representative authorised by a resolution of its board of directors or by other governing body shall attend the AGM on its behalf. If the shareholder is a recognised clearing house (or its proxy) defined by the Hong Kong relevant ordinance from time to time, the shareholder may authorise one or more persons it considers appropriate as its representative(s) at the above meeting; however, if more than one person are authorised, the power of attorney shall contain the number and class of shares for which such persons are authorised, and shall be signed by an authorised personnel of the recognised clearing house. The person(s) so authorised can represent the recognised clearing house (or its proxy) to attend the AGM and exercise its right, as if the persons are the Company’s individual shareholders, and shall not be required to produce evidence of shareholding, the notarised power of attorney and/or further evidence to prove that he/she/they have been duly authorised.

A vote provided in according to the instruments in such form of proxy shall be valid, notwithstanding the previous death or loss of capacity of the appointer or the revocation of the proxy or of the authority under which the proxy was executed, or the transfer of the shares with respect to which the proxy is given, provided that no notice in writing of such matters shall have been received by the Company prior to the AGM.

6. In case of joint shareholder for any share, only the person whose name is at the first place on the register of shareholders has the rights to receive the certificate of relevant shares and notice from the Company and to attend or exercise all of the votes relating to the shares.
7. Shareholders or their proxies shall provide their identity documents when attending the AGM.
8. In this notice of the AGM, unless the context otherwise requires, terms used herein shall have the same meanings as defined in the Company's circular dated 29 May 2024.

As at the date of this notice, the Board consists of Mr. Chu Kairong as executive Director; Mr. Xue Binghai and Mr. Jiang Lin as non-executive Directors; and Mr. Huang Dechun, Mr. Lo Wah Wai and Mr. Zhang Hongfa as independent non-executive Directors.