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Hong Kong Finance

## Hong Kong Finance Group Limited 香港信貸集團有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability) (Stock Code: 1273)

## PROPOSALS FOR (1) GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND REPURCHASE SHARES, (2) RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS, (3) PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE EXISTING ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION AND ADOPTION OF THE AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION AND (4) NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening the annual general meeting of the Company (the "AGM") to be held at Room One & Two, 1/F, Pacific Club, Harbour City, Canton Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong, on Tuesday, 6 September 2022 at 4:00 p.m. is appended to this circular.

Whether or not you are able to attend the AGM, you are requested to complete, sign and return the accompanying form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon to the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Union Registrars Limited, at Suites 3301—04, 33/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square, 338 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong, as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the AGM or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the AGM or any adjournment thereof should you so wish and in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

#### PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES FOR THE AGM

Please refer to page ii of this document for measures being taken to try to prevent and control the spread of the COVID-19 at the AGM, including:

- (1) compulsory body temperature checks
- (2) mandatory wearing of a surgical face mask
- (3) no provision of refreshments or drinks

Any person who does not comply with the precautionary measures or is subject to any Hong Kong Government prescribed quarantine may be denied entry into the AGM venue.

The Company strongly recommends and encourages Shareholders to exercise their rights by appointing the Chairman of the AGM as their proxy to vote on the relevant resolutions instead of attending the AGM in person.

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#### PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES FOR THE AGM

The Company will implement the following preventive measures at the AGM to minimise the risk of the spread of COVID-19:

- (1) Compulsory body temperature checks will be conducted on each attendee at the entrance of the AGM venue. Any attendee with a body temperature of over 37.4 degrees Celsius may be denied entry into the AGM venue, or be required to leave the AGM venue.
- (2) The Company requires each attendee to wear a surgical face mask throughout the AGM, and to maintain a safe distance between seats. No face mask will be provided at the AGM venue.
- (3) No refreshments or drinks will be provided to attendees at the AGM.
- (4) It is required to keep sufficient social distancing among all attendees. As a result, only a limited number of seats will be provided.
- (5) Any additional precautionary measures in accordance with the prevailing requirements or guidelines of the HKSAR Government and/or regulatory authorities, or as considered appropriate in light of the development of COVID-19.

To the extent permitted under law, the Company reserves the right to deny entry into the AGM venue or require any person to leave the AGM venue, in order to ensure the safety of the attendees at the AGM.

#### To protect the Shareholders from the risk of infection, the Company strongly recommends and encourages Shareholders to exercise their right by appointing the Chairman of the AGM as their proxy to vote on the relevant resolutions instead of attending the AGM in person.

In the interest of all stakeholders' health and safety and consistent with recent COVID-19 guidelines for prevention and control, the Company reminds all Shareholders that physical attendance in person at the AGM is not necessary for the purpose of exercising voting rights. As an alternative, by using form of proxy with voting instructions inserted, Shareholders may appoint the Chairman of the AGM as their proxy to vote on the relevant resolutions at the AGM instead of attending the AGM in person.

If Shareholders choosing not to attend the AGM in person but have any question about the relevant resolutions, the Company or any matters for communication with the Board, they are welcome to send such question or matter email at ir@hkfinance.com.hk

If Shareholders have any question relating to the AGM, they are also welcome to contact the Company's branch share registrar as follows:

Union Registrars Limited Suites 3301-04, 33/F. Two Chinachem Exchange Square 338 King's Road North Point, Hong Kong

E-mail: info@unionregistrars.com.hk Tel: 852 2849 3399 Fax: 852 2849 3319 In this circular, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the following meanings:

"AGM"	the annual general meeting of the Company to be held on Tuesday, 6 September 2022 at 4:00 p.m., a notice of which is set out in this circular
"Amended and Restated Articles of Association"	the amended and restated articles of association of the Company proposed to be adopted by the Shareholders by special resolution at the AGM
"Articles of Association"	the articles of association of the Company as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time
"Auditor(s)"	the auditor(s) of the Company
"Board"	the board of Directors
"Companies Act"	the Companies Act (as revised) of the Cayman Islands, as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time
"Company"	Hong Kong Finance Group 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
"Controlling Shareholder(s)"	has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules and unless the context requires otherwise
"Director(s)"	the director(s) of the Company
"Extension Mandate"	a general and unconditional mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors to the effect that any Shares repurchased under the Repurchase Mandate will be added to the total number of Shares which may be allotted and issued under the Issue Mandate
"Group"	the Company and its subsidiaries
"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

## DEFINITIONS

"Issue Mandate"	a general and unconditional mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors to exercise the power of the Company to allot, issue or otherwise deal with Shares in the manner as set out in the notice of the AGM and up to a maximum of 20% of the total number of issued Shares as at the date of passing the relevant resolution at the AGM
"Latest Practicable Date"	11 July 2022, being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this circular for ascertaining certain information contained herein
"Listing Rules"	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange
"Repurchase Mandate"	a general and unconditional mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors to repurchase Shares not exceeding 10% of the total number of issued Shares as at the date of passing the relevant resolution at the AGM and in the manner as set out in the notice of the AGM
"Retiring Directors"	the Directors retiring at the AGM and, who being eligible, offering themselves for re-election at the AGM, in accordance with the Articles of Association
"SFO"	the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong)
"Share(s)"	ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.01 each in the share capital of the Company
"Shareholder(s)"	the holder(s) of Share(s)
"Stock Exchange"	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited
"Takeovers Code"	The Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share Buy-backs issued by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time
"%"	per cent.



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Independent Non-executive Directors: Mr. Chan Siu Wing Raymond Mr. Chu Yat Pang Terry Mr. Cheung Kok Cheong Registered office: Cricket Square Hutchins Drive P.O. Box 2681 Grand Cayman KY1-1111 Cayman Islands

Headquarters and principal place of business: Unit 3410, 34th Floor Tower II, Lippo Centre 89 Queensway Admiralty Hong Kong

20 July 2022

To the Shareholders

Dear Sir or Madam,

#### **PROPOSALS FOR**

# (1) GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND REPURCHASE SHARES, (2) RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS, (3) PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE EXISTING ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION AND ADOPTION OF THE AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION AND (4) NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

#### INTRODUCTION

The Company will propose resolutions at the AGM to, inter alia, (a) grant to the Directors the Issue Mandate, the Repurchase Mandate and the Extension Mandate upon the expiry of the current general mandates to issue Shares and repurchase Shares granted to the Directors since the conclusion of the last annual general meeting of the Company held on 2 September 2021 ("Last AGM"); (b) re-elect the Retiring Directors; and (c) amend the existing Articles of Association and adopt the Amended and Restated Articles of Association.

The purpose of this circular is to provide you with further information on the resolutions to be proposed at the AGM for granting the Issue Mandate, the Repurchase Mandate and the Extension Mandate, the re-election of the Retiring Directors, the proposed amendments of the existing Articles of Association and the adoption of the Amended and Restated Articles of Association and to give you notice of the AGM at which the resolutions will be proposed to consider and, if thought fit, approve such matters.

## PROPOSED GRANT OF ISSUE MANDATE, REPURCHASE MANDATE AND EXTENSION MANDATE

Pursuant to the ordinary resolutions passed at the Last AGM, the Directors were granted the following mandates until the conclusion of the AGM: (a) a general and unconditional mandate to allot, issue and deal with Shares not exceeding 20% of the total number of the issued Shares existing as at the Last AGM date; (b) a general and unconditional mandate to repurchase Shares with an aggregate number not exceeding 10% of the total number of issued Shares on the Last AGM date; and (c) the power to extend the general mandate mentioned in (a) above by an amount representing the aggregate number of the Shares repurchased by the Company pursuant to the mandate to repurchase Shares referred to in (b) above.

The above general mandates will expire at the conclusion of the AGM. At the AGM, the following ordinary resolutions, among other matters, will be proposed:

- (a) to grant the Issue Mandate to the Directors to exercise the powers of the Company to allot, issue and otherwise deal with the Shares up to a maximum of 20% of the total number of issued Shares on the date of passing of such resolution;
- (b) to grant the Repurchase Mandate to the Directors to enable them to repurchase the Shares up to a maximum of 10% of the total number of issued Shares on the date of passing of such resolution; and
- (c) to grant the Extension Mandate to the Directors to increase the total number of Shares which may be allotted and issued under the Issue Mandate by an additional number representing such number of Shares repurchased under the Repurchase Mandate.

The full text of the above resolutions is set out in the notice of the AGM contained in pages 68 to 73 of this circular.

Each of the Issue Mandate, the Repurchase Mandate and the Extension Mandate will expire at the earliest of: (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company following the AGM; (b) the date by which the next annual general meeting is required by the Companies Act or the Articles of Association to be held; or (c) when the mandate given to the Directors thereunder is revoked or varied by ordinary resolution(s) of the Shareholders in a general meeting prior to the next annual general meeting of the Company.

Under the Listing Rules, the Company is required to give the Shareholders all information which is reasonably necessary to enable the Shareholders to make an informed decision as to whether to vote for or against the resolution in respect of the Repurchase Mandate at the AGM. An explanatory statement for such purpose is set out in Appendix I "Explanatory Statement on the Repurchase Mandate" to this circular.

#### **PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF THE RETIRING DIRECTORS**

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Company comprises three executive Directors, namely Mr. Chan Koung Nam, Mr. Chan Kwong Yin William (Chairman) and Mr. Tse Pui To (Chief Executive Officer); and three Independent Non-executive Directors, namely Mr. Chan Siu Wing Raymond, Mr. Chu Yat Pang Terry and Mr. Cheung Kok Cheong.

Pursuant to Article 84 of the Articles of Association, at each annual general meeting one-third of the directors for the time being (or, if their number is not a multiple of three, the number nearest to but not less than one-third) shall retire from office by rotation provided that every director shall be subject to retirement at an annual general meeting at least once every three years. A retiring director shall be eligible for re-election at such meeting. Accordingly, Mr. Tse Pui To (Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer) and Mr. Chan Siu Wing Raymond (Independent Non-executive Director) are the Retiring Directors and will retire at the AGM and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

The nomination committee of the Company has reviewed and also recommended to the Board that the above-mentioned Retiring Directors are eligible for reappointment. Insofar as to the extent as they shall be disclosed in accordance with the Listing Rules, particulars of each of the Retiring Directors proposed to be re-elected at the AGM are set out in Appendix II "Particulars of the Retiring Directors Proposed for Re-election at the AGM" to this circular.

#### PROPOSED ADOPTION OF THE AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

In order to (i) bring the Articles of Association in line with the relevant requirements of the Listing Rules, including the Core Shareholder Protection Standards; (ii) provide greater flexibility in relation to the conduct of general meetings by allowing general meetings to be held as an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting where the Shareholders may attend remotely through telephone, electronic or other communication facilities in addition to as a physical meeting; and (iii) make some other housekeeping improvements by way of adoption of the Amended and Restated Articles of Association, the Directors propose to amend the existing Articles of Association by adopting the Amended and Restated Articles of Association at the AGM, where a special resolution will be proposed to adopt the Amended and Restated Articles of Association in substitution for, and to the exclusion of, the existing Articles of Association.

The major proposed amendments brought by the Amended and Restated Articles of Association are summarised as follows:

- 1. to provide that the Company shall hold an annual general meeting in each financial year and such annual general meeting must be held within six months after the end of the Company's financial year;
- 2. to provide that an annual general meeting of the Company shall be called by notice of not less than twenty-one clear days. All other general meetings (including an extraordinary general meeting) must be called by notice of not less than fourteen clear days but if permitted by the Listing Rules, a general meeting may be called by shorter notice if it is so agreed;
- 3. to provide that all members of the Company ("**Members**") shall have the right to (i) speak at a general meeting of the Company; and (ii) vote at a general meeting of the Company, except where any Member is required, by the Listing Rules, to abstain from voting to approve the matter under consideration;
- 4. to provide that where any Member is, under the Listing Rules, required to abstain from voting on any particular resolution of the Company or restricted to voting only for or only against any particular resolution of the Company, any votes cast by or on behalf of such Member in contravention of such requirement or restriction shall not be counted;
- 5. to clarify that any Director appointed by the Board to fill a casual vacancy on the Board or as an addition to the existing Board shall hold office until the next following annual general meeting of the Company and shall then be eligible for re-election;
- 6. to provide that the Members may, at any general meeting convened and held in accordance with the Articles, by ordinary resolution remove the Auditors at any time before the expiration of their term of office;
- 7. to update the provision regarding the inspection of the principal and branch register which shall be opened to the members of the public at specific time;
- 8. to update the provision regarding the appointment of the Auditors by Directors to fill any casual vacancy therein that any such Auditors appointed shall hold office until the next following annual general meeting of the Company and shall then be subject to appointment by the Shareholders;
- 9. to allow all general meetings (including an annual general meeting, any adjourned meeting or postponed meeting) be held as a physical meeting in any part of the world and at one or more locations, or as a hybrid meeting or an electronic meeting;
- 10. to insert the definitions of "electronic meeting", "hybrid meeting", "Meeting Location", "physical meeting" and "Principal Meeting Place", and make corresponding changes to the relevant provisions of the new Articles;

- 11. to include additional details to be specified in a notice of general meeting in light of allowing general meetings to be held at one or more meeting locations, or as a hybrid meeting or an electronic meeting;
- 12. to provide that the chairman of the general meeting may, with the consent of the meeting at which a quorum is present, adjourn the meeting from time to time (or indefinitely), from place to place(s) and/or from one form to another (a physical meeting, a hybrid meeting or an electronic meeting);
- 13. to provide for the proceedings of general meetings which may be held at one or more locations, or as a hybrid meeting or an electronic meeting, and the powers of the Board and the chairman of the meeting in relation thereto;
- 14. to provide that, where the Directors, in their absolute discretion, consider that it is inappropriate, impracticable, unreasonable or undesirable for any reason to hold a general meeting as specified in the notice calling for such meeting, they may change or postpone the meeting to another date, time, place, change the electronic facilities and/or change the form of the meeting (a physical meeting, an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting) without approval from the Shareholders;
- 15. to provide that votes (whether on a show of hands or by way of poll) may be cast by such means, electronic or otherwise, as the Directors or the chairman of the meeting may determine;
- 16. to provide the Board with the power to capitalise reserves of the Company to pay up in full Shares to be issued pursuant to a share incentive scheme or employee benefit scheme that has been adopted or approved by the Shareholders;
- 17. to make other house-keeping amendments, including inserting definition of "electronic communication" and making consequential amendments in line with the above amendments to the existing Articles of Association;
- 18. to provide that the financial year end of the Company shall be 31st of March in each year, unless otherwise determined by the Directors from time to time; and
- 19. to make other amendments to update or clarify provisions where the Board consider desirable in accordance with or better align with the wording in the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands and the Listing Rules.

Details of the proposed amendments to the existing Articles of Association brought by the adoption of the Amended and Restated Articles of Association are set out in Appendix III to this circular. A special resolution will be proposed at the AGM to approve the Amended and Restated Articles of Association.

#### AGM

A notice of the AGM is set out on pages 68 to 73 of this circular and the form of proxy (enclosed) is also published on the websites of the Company (www.hkfinance.hk) and the Stock Exchange (www.hkex.com.hk), respectively.

To be valid, the form of proxy must be completed and signed in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and be deposited, together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy of that power or authority at the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Union Registrars Limited, at Suites 3301-04, 33/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square, 338 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong, as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the AGM or any adjournment thereof should you so wish and in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

#### VOTING BY WAY OF POLL

For good corporate governance and as requested by Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules and Article 66(1) of the Articles of Association, the chairman of the AGM will demand a poll on each of the resolutions set out in the notice of the AGM, except where the chairman of the AGM, in good faith, decides to allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative manner (as defined under the Listing Rules) to be voted on by a show of hands. During the poll, every Shareholder present in person or by proxy, or in the case of a Shareholder being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative, shall have one vote for every fully paid Share of which he is the holder.

The poll results conducted at the AGM will be published by an announcement to be made by the Company in accordance with the Listing Rules following the conclusion of the AGM at the websites of the Company and the Stock Exchange respectively.

#### **RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT**

This circular, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Company. The Directors, 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 misleading.

#### RECOMMENDATION

The Directors consider that the proposed resolutions set out in the notice of the AGM including (a) the granting of the Issue Mandate, the Repurchase Mandate and the Extension Mandate; (b) the re-election of the Retiring Directors; and (c) the proposed amendments of the existing Articles of Association and the adoption of the Amended and Restated Articles of Association, are in the interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Accordingly, the Directors, together with their associates, intend to vote in favour of all the resolutions in respect of their respective shareholdings in the Company and recommend Shareholders to vote in favour of all the resolutions to be proposed at the AGM (or any adjournment thereof).

#### GENERAL

Your attention is drawn to the additional information set out in the appendices to this circular.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

If there is any inconsistency or ambiguity between the English text and the Chinese text, the English text of this circular shall prevail over the Chinese text for the purpose of interpretation.

Yours faithfully, By order of the Board Hong Kong Finance Group Limited Chan Kwong Yin William Chairman

## **APPENDIX I**

## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT ON THE REPURCHASE MANDATE

This appendix serves as an explanatory statement, as required by the Listing Rules, to provide the requisite information to you for your consideration of the Repurchase Mandate.

#### LISTING RULES RELATING TO THE REPURCHASE OF SHARES

The Listing Rules permit companies whose primary listing is on the Stock Exchange to repurchase shares on the Stock Exchange and any other stock exchange on which securities of the company are listed and such exchange is recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong subject to certain restrictions. Among such restrictions, the Listing Rules provide that the shares of such company must be fully paid up and all repurchases of shares by such company must be approved in advance by an ordinary resolution of shareholders, either by way of a general mandate or by specific approval of a particular transaction.

#### SHARE CAPITAL

As at the Latest Practicable Date, there were a total of 415,000,000 Shares in issue.

The Repurchase Mandate will enable the Directors to repurchase the Shares up to a maximum of 10% of the aggregate amount of the Shares in issue on the date of passing the relevant ordinary resolution at the AGM. Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution granting the Repurchase Mandate and assuming that no further Shares will be issued or repurchased prior to the AGM, the Company will be allowed under the Repurchase Mandate to repurchase a maximum of 41,500,000 Shares.

The Repurchase Mandate, unless revoked or varied by way of an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in general meeting, will expire at the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company.

#### FUNDING OF REPURCHASE

The Directors propose that the repurchases of Shares will be funded out of funds legally available for the purpose in accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, the Listing Rules and the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands.

#### **REASONS FOR REPURCHASES**

The Directors believe that the Repurchase Mandate is in the best interest of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Such repurchases may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net asset value per Share and/or earnings per Share and will only be made when the Directors believe that such repurchases will benefit the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

## **APPENDIX I**

#### EFFECT OF EXERCISING THE REPURCHASE MANDATE

There might be a material adverse impact on the working capital and/or gearing position of the Company as compared with the position disclosed in the Company's annual report for the year ended 31 March 2022, being the most recently published audited accounts, in the event that the Repurchase Mandate were to be carried out in full at any time during the proposed repurchase period. However, the Directors do not intend to exercise the Repurchase Mandate to such extent as would, in the circumstances, have a material adverse effect on the working capital requirements and/or the gearing position of the Company which in the opinion of the Directors are from time to time appropriate for the Company.

#### **CONNECTED PERSONS**

None of the Directors nor, to the best of their knowledge having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their respective close associates (as defined in the Listing Rules) currently intend to sell any Shares to the Company under the Repurchase Mandate if the same is approved by the Shareholders.

No connected person (as defined in the Listing Rules) of the Company has notified the Company that he/she/it has a present intention to sell Shares to the Company, or has undertaken not to sell any of the Shares held by them to the Company if the Repurchase Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.

#### UNDERTAKING

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange that, so far as the same may be applicable, they will exercise the power of the Company to make repurchase of Shares pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate in accordance with the Listing Rules and the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands.

#### THE TAKEOVERS CODE AND MINIMUM PUBLIC HOLDING

If, as a result of a repurchase of Shares, a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases, such increase will be treated as an acquisition for the purposes of Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code.

Accordingly, a Shareholder or a group of Shareholders acting in concert (as defined in the Takeovers Code) could obtain or consolidate control of the Company and become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 or Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code. As at the Latest Practicable Date and insofar as the Directors are aware of, Controlling Shareholders owned 305,760,000 Shares, representing approximately 73.68% of the issued Shares. In the event that the Repurchase Mandate was exercised in full, the interest of the Controlling Shareholders in the Company will be increased to approximately 81.86%. Assuming that there is no change in the number of the issued Shares prior to the AGM, such increase would not give rise to an obligation to make a mandatory offer under Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code.

In any event, the Directors have no intention to exercise the Repurchase Mandate to such an extent that will result in the number of Shares being held by the public falling below the prescribed minimum percentage of 25% in the Listing Rules.

#### SHARE REPURCHASE MADE BY THE COMPANY

No repurchase of Shares has been made by the Company (whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise) during the year ended 31 March 2022 and up to and including the Latest Practicable Date.

#### SHARE PRICES

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

	Share prices	
	Highest	Lowest
	HK\$	HK\$
2021		
July	0.570	0.475
August	0.520	0.470
September	0.550	0.460
October	0.490	0.460
November	0.490	0.425
December	0.480	0.360
2022		
January	0.435	0.390
February	0.430	0.380
March	0.410	0.355
April	0.380	0.365
May	0.380	0.330
June	0.495	0.430
July (up to and including the Latest Practicable Date)	0.395	0.385

## APPENDIX II

## PARTICULARS OF THE RETIRING DIRECTORS PROPOSED FOR RE-ELECTION AT THE AGM

The following are the particulars, as required to be disclosed by the Listing Rules, of the Retiring Directors proposed for re-election at the AGM:

#### (1) Mr. Tse Pui To (Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer)

Mr. Tse Pui To ("**Mr. Tse**"), aged 56, was appointed to the Board in 2013. Mr. Tse joined our Group in 2002 and is responsible for managing the Group's business operation with focus on our loan sales, aftersales activities and other administrative functions. Prior to joining the Group, he worked as and held senior positions in various financial institutions. Mr. Tse possesses extensive experience in corporate finance activities and business promotions.

Mr. Tse entered into a service contract with the Company for a term of three years and is renewable automatically for successive terms of three years. Pursuant to the terms of the contract, he will be entitled to an annual salary of HK\$1,458,000, a guaranteed bonus equivalent to one month's salary, and a discretionary bonus (which is determined with reference to the Group's operating results and the performance of the specific Director). For the year ended 31 March 2022, Mr. Tse received remuneration of HK\$1,416,000 and a guaranteed and a discretionary bonus of HK\$351,000. The amount of remuneration of the executive Directors is determined by the remuneration committee of the Company after considering the relevant executive Director's experience, responsibility, workload and the time devoted to the Group and is subject to the review of the remuneration committee from time to time.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Tse does not hold, and has not held any other position in the Group nor any directorship in other listed public companies in the last three years. In addition, Mr. Tse is not connected with any Directors, senior management, substantial Shareholders or Controlling Shareholders of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO as at the Latest Practicable Date. He has confirmed that he is not aware of any matters that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders or any information that is required to be disclosed herein pursuant to Rules 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules.

## APPENDIX II PARTICULARS OF THE RETIRING DIRECTORS PROPOSED FOR RE-ELECTION AT THE AGM

#### (2) Mr. Chan Siu Wing Raymond (Independent Non-executive Director)

Mr. Chan Siu Wing Raymond ("Mr. Chan"), aged 57, was appointed to the Board in 2013. Currently Mr. Chan is an independent non-executive director of Quali-Smart Holdings Limited (stock code: 1348), the shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange. He is also an independent non-executive director of Phoenitron Holdings Limited (stock code: 8066), the shares of which are listed on GEM of the Stock Exchange. Mr. Chan was appointed as an independent non-executive director of Natural Home Holding Company Limited (formerly known as Nature Flooring Holding Company Limited) (stock code: 2083), from 4 May 2011 to 31 October 2011, a company listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange.

Mr. Chan possesses solid experience in the profession of accounting, taxation, finance and trust. He obtained a bachelor of economics degree from the University of Sydney. Mr. Chan is the member of both Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the Macau Society of Certified Practising Accountants.

Mr. Chan entered into a service contract with the Company for a term of two years and thereafter it may be extended for such period as he and the Company may agree in writing. Pursuant to the terms of the contract, he is entitled to an annual fee of HK\$138,000. The amount of fee of the independent non-executive Director is determined by the remuneration committee of the Company after considering the relevant independent non-executive director's experience, responsibility, workload and the time devoted to the Group and is subject to the review of the remuneration committee from time to time.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Chan was not interested nor deemed to be interested in any Shares or underlying Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Chan does not hold, and has not held any other position in the Group nor any directorship in other listed public companies in the last three years. In addition, Mr. Chan is not connected with any Directors, senior management, substantial Shareholders or Controlling Shareholders of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO as at the Latest Practicable Date. He has confirmed that he is not aware of any matters that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders or any information that is required to be disclosed herein pursuant to Rules 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules.

## **APPENDIX III**

## AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

The following are the proposed amendments to the existing Articles of Association.

*Note:* The Amended and Restated Articles of Association is prepared in English with no official Chinese version. Chinese translation is for reference only. In the event of any inconsistency, the English version shall prevail.

Article before amendments		Article after amendments	
Article 1		Article 1	
The regulations in Companies Law ( Company.	Table A in the Schedule to the (Revised) do not apply to the	The regulations in Companies Law A to the Company.	Table A in the Schedule to the $\underline{\text{cct}}$ (As Revised) do not apply
Article 2		Article 2	
(1)		(1)	
WORD	MEANING	WORD	MEANING
"associate"	has the meaning attributed to it in the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange.	<u>"Act"</u>	the Companies Act (2022 Revision), Cap. 22 of the Cayman Islands and any amendments thereto or re-enactments thereof for the time being in force and includes every other law incorporated therewith or substituted therefor.
<u></u>		<u>"announcement"</u>	an official publication of a Notice or document of the Company, including a publication, subject to and to such extent permitted by the Listing Rules, by electronic communication or by advertisement published in the newspapers or in such manner or means ascribed and permitted by the Listing Rules and applicable laws.
"business day"	shall mean a day on which the Designated Stock Exchange generally is open for the business of dealing in securities in Hong Kong. For the avoidance of doubt, where the Designated Stock Exchange is closed for the business of dealing in securities in Hong Kong on a business day for the reason of a Number 8 or higher Typhoon Signal, Black Rainstorm Warning or other similar event, such day shall for the purposes of these Articles be counted as a business day.		

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Article before am	endments	Article after ame	ndments
		<u>"associate"</u>	has the meaning attributed to it in the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange.
"dollars" and "\$"	dollars, the legal currency of Hong Kong.		
		<del>"business day"</del>	shall mean a day on which the Designated Stock Exchange generally is open for the business of dealing in securities in Hong Kong. For the avoidance of doubt, where the Designated Stock Exchange is closed for the business of dealing in securities in Hong Kong on a business day for the reason of a Number 8 or higher Typhoon Signal, Black Rainstorm Warning or other similar event, such day shall for the purposes of these Articles be counted as a business day.
"Law"	The Companies Law, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands.		
		<u>"close associate"</u>	in relation to any Director, shall have the same meaning as defined in the Listing Rules as modified from time to time, except that for purposes of Article 100 where the transaction or arrangement to be approved by the Board is a connected transaction referred to in the Listing Rules, it shall have the same meaning as that ascribed to "associate" in the Listing Rules.

Article before amendments		Article after ame	ndments	
"Sta	tutes"	the Law and every other law of the Legislature of the Cayman Islands for the time being in force applying to or affecting the Company, its memorandum of association and/or these Articles.		
Hold	osidiary and ling apany"	has the meanings attributed to them in the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange.		dollars, the legal currency of Hong Kong.
	stantial eholder"	a person who is entitled to exercise, or to control the exercise of, 10% or more (or such other percentage as may be prescribed by the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange from time to time) of the voting power at any general meeting of the Company.	communication"	a communication sent, transmitted, conveyed and received by wire, by radio, by optical means or by other similar means in any form through any medium.
(2) In these Articles, unless there be something within the subject or context with such construction:			a general meeting held and conducted wholly and exclusively by virtual attendance and participation by Members and/or proxies by means of electronic facilities.	
(e) expressions referring to writing shall, unless the contrary intention appears, be construed as including printing, lithography, photography and other modes of representing words or figures in a visible form, and including where the representation takes the form of electronic display, provided that both the mode of service of the relevant document or notice and the Member's election comply with all applicable Statutes, rules and regulations;			The Companies Law, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands.	

Article before amendments		Article after amendments	
		"hybrid meeting"	a general meeting convened for the (i) physical attendance by Members and/or proxies at the Principal Meeting Place and where applicable, one or more Meeting Locations and (ii) virtual attendance and participation by Members and/or proxies by means of electronic facilities.
(h)	references to a document being executed include references to it being executed under hand or under seal or by electronic signature or by any other method and references to a notice or document include a notice or document recorded or stored in any digital, electronic, electrical, magnetic or other retrievable form or medium and information in visible form whether having physical substance or not;	"Listing Rules"	rules and regulations of the Designated Stock Exchange.
(i)	Section 8 of the Electronic Transactions Law (2003) of the Cayman Islands, as amended from time to time, shall not apply to these Articles to the extent it imposes obligations or requirements in addition to those set out in these Articles.	"Meeting Location"	<u>has the meaning given to it</u> <u>in Article 64A.</u>
		<u>"physical</u> <u>meeting</u> "	a general meeting held and conducted by physical attendance and participation by Members and/or proxies at the Principal Meeting Place and/or where applicable, one or more Meeting Locations.
		<u>"Principal</u> Meeting Place"	shall have the meaning given to it in Article 59(2).
		"Statutes"	the Law Act and every other law of the Legislature of the Cayman Islands for the time being in force applying to or affecting the Company, its memorandum of association and/or these Articles.

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
	"Subsidiary and Holdinghas the meanings attributed to them in the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange.
	"substantial shareholder" a person who is entitled to exercise, or to control the exercise of, 10% or more (or such other percentage as may be prescribed by the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange the Listing Rules from time to time) of the voting power at any general meeting of the Company.
	(2) In these Articles, unless there be something within the subject or context with such construction:
	(e) expressions referring to writing shall, unless the contrary intention appears, be construed as including printing, lithography, photography and other modes of representing <u>or reproducing</u> words or figures in a <u>legible and non-transitory</u> form or, to the extent permitted by and in accordance with the Statutes and other applicable laws, rules and regulations, any visible substitute for writing (including an electronic communication), or modes of representing or reproducing words partly in one visible form and partly in another visible form, and including where the representation takes the form of electronic display, provided that both the mode of service of the relevant document or notice Notice and the Member's election comply with all applicable Statutes, rules and regulations;

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
	<ul> <li>(h) references to a document (including, but without limitation, a resolution in writing) being signed or executed include references to it being signed or executed under hand or under seal or by electronic signature or by electronic communication or by any other method and references to a notice Notice or document include a notice Notice or document recorded or stored in any digital, electronic, electrical, magnetic or other retrievable form or medium and information in visible form whether having physical substance or not;</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Section 8 and Section 19 of the Electronic Transactions Law Act (2003) of the Cayman Islands, as amended from time to time, shall not apply to these Articles to the extent it imposes obligations or requirements in addition to those set out in these Articles.</li> </ul>
	(j) references to the right of a Member to speak at an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting shall include the right to raise questions or make statements to the chairman of the meeting, verbally or in written form, by means of electronic facilities. Such a right shall be deemed to have been duly exercised if the questions or statements may be heard or seen by all or only some of the persons present at the meeting (or only by the chairman of the meeting) in which event the chairman of the meeting shall relay the questions raised or the statements made verbatim to all persons present at the meeting, either orally or in writing using electronic facilities;
	(k) a reference to a meeting: (a) shall mean a meeting convened and held in any manner permitted by these Articles and any Member or Director attending and participating at a meeting by means of electronic facilities shall be deemed to be present at that meeting for all purposes of the Statutes and these Articles, and attend, participate, attending, participating, attendance and participation shall be construed accordingly, and (b) shall, where the context is appropriate, include a meeting that has been postponed by the Board pursuant to Article 64E;

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
	(1) references to a person's participation in the business of a general meeting include without limitation and as relevant the right (including, in the case of a corporation, through a duly authorised representative) to speak or communicate, vote, be represented by a proxy and have access in hard copy or electronic form to all documents which are required by the Statutes or these Articles to be made available at the meeting, and participate and participating in the business of a general meeting shall be construed accordingly;
	(m) references to electronic facilities include, without limitation, website addresses, webinars, webcast, video or any form of conference call systems (telephone, video, web or otherwise); and
	(n) where a Member is a corporation, any reference in these Articles to a Member shall, where the context requires, refer to a duly authorised representative of such Member.
Article 3	Article 3
<ul> <li>Article 3</li> <li>(1) The share capital of the Company at the date on which these Articles come into effect shall be divided into shares of a par value of HK\$0.01 each.</li> <li>(2) Subject to the Law, the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association and, where applicable, the rules of any Designated Stock Exchange and/or any competent regulatory authority, the Company shall have the power to purchase or otherwise acquire its own shares and such power shall be exercisable by the Board in such manner, upon such terms and subject to such conditions as it in its absolute discretion thinks fit and any determination by the Board of the manner of purchase shall be deemed authorised by these Articles for purposes of the Law. The Company is hereby authorised to make payments in respect of the purchase of its shares out of capital or out of any other account or fund which can be authorised for this purpose in accordance with the Act.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>The share capital of the Company at the date on which these Articles come into effect shall be divided into shares of a par value of <b>HK\$</b> <u>Hong Kong dollars</u> 0.01 each.</li> <li>Subject to the <u>Law Act</u>, the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association and, where applicable, the <u>rules of any Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules and/or the</u> rules of any competent regulatory authority, the Company shall have the power to purchase or otherwise</li> </ol>

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
<ul> <li>(3) Subject to compliance with the rules and regulations of the Designated Stock Exchange and any other relevant regulatory authority, the Company may give financial assistance for the purpose of or in connection with a purchase made or to be made by any person of any shares in the Company.</li> <li>(4) No share shall be issued to bearer.</li> </ul>	regulations of the Designated StockExchange Listing Rules and the rules andregulations of any other relevantcompetent regulatory authority, theCompany may give financial assistance for
Article 4	Article 4
<ul> <li>conditions of its Memorandum of Association to:</li> <li></li> <li>(d) sub divide its shares, or any of them, into shares of smaller amount than is fixed by the Company's Memorandum of Association (subject, nevertheless, to the Law), and may by such resolution determine that, as between the holders of the shares resulting from such sub division, one or more of the shares may have any such preferred, deferred or other rights or be subject to any such restrictions as compared with the other or others as the Company has power to attach to unissued or new shares;</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>resolution in accordance with the Law Act alter the conditions of its Memorandum of Association to:</li> <li></li> <li>(d) sub divide its shares, or any of them, into shares of smaller amount than is fixed by the Company's Memorandum of Association (subject, nevertheless, to the Law Act), and may by such resolution determine that, as between the holders of the shares resulting from such sub division, one or more of the shares may have any such preferred, deferred or other rights or be subject to any such restrictions as compared with the other or others as the Company has power to attach to unissued or new shares;</li> </ul>
Article 6 The Company may from time to time by special resolution, subject to any confirmation or consent required by the Law, reduce its share capital or any capital redemption reserve or other undistributable reserve in any manner permitted by law.	resolution, subject to any confirmation or consent required by the Law Act, reduce its share capital or any capital redemption reserve or other

Article before amendments		Article after amendments	
Article 8		Article 8	
(1)	Subject to the provisions of the Law and the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association and to any special rights conferred on the holders of any shares or class of shares, any share in the Company (whether forming part of the present capital or not) may be issued with or have attached thereto such rights or restrictions whether in regard to dividend, voting, return of capital or otherwise as the Board may determine.	(1) Subject to the provisions of the Law Act and the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association and to any special rights conferred on the holders of any shares or class of shares, any share in the Company (whether forming part of the present capital or not) may be issued with or have attached thereto such rights or restrictions whether in regard to dividend, voting, return of capital or otherwise as the Board may determine.	
(2)	Subject to the provisions of the Law, the rules of any Designated Stock Exchange and the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and to any special rights conferred on the holders of any shares or attaching to any class of shares, shares may be issued on the terms that they may be, or at the option of the Company or the holder are, liable to be redeemed on such terms and in such manner, including out of capital, as the Board may deem fit.	(2) Subject to the provisions of the Law, the rules of any Designated Stock Exchange and the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and to any special rights conferred on the holders of any shares or attaching to any class of shares, shares may be issued on the terms that they may be, or at the option of the Company or the holder are, liable to be redeemed on such terms and in such manner, including out of capital, as the Board may deem fit.	
Arti	cle 9	Article 9	
Where the Company purchases for redemption a redeemable share, purchases not made through the market or by tender shall be limited to a maximum price as may from time to time be determined by the Company in general meeting, either generally or with regard to specific purchases. If purchases are by tender, tenders shall be available to all Members alike.		Where the Company purchases for redemption a redeemable share, purchases not made through the market or by tender shall be limited to a maximum price as may from time to time be determined by the Company in general meeting, either generally or with regard to specific purchases. If purchases are by tender, tenders shall be available to all Members alike.	
		Subject to the provisions of the Act, the Listing Rules and the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and to any special rights conferred on the holders of any shares or attaching to any class of shares, shares may be issued on the terms that they may be, or at the option of the Company or the holder are, liable to be redeemed on such terms and in such manner, including out of capital, as the Board may deem fit.	

Article before amendments	Article after amendments		
Article 10	Article 10		
Article 8, all or any of the special rights for the time being attached to the shares or any class of shares may, unless otherwise provided by the terms of issue of the shares of that class, from time to time (whether or not the Company is being wound up) be varied, modified or abrogated either with the consent in writing of the holders of not less than three fourths in nominal value of the issued shares of that class or with the sanction of a special resolution passed at a separate general meeting of the holders of the shares of that class. To every such separate general meeting all the provisions of these	Subject to the Law Act and without prejudice to Article 8, all or any of the special rights for the time being attached to the shares or any class of shares may, unless otherwise provided by the terms of issue of the shares of that class, from time to time (whether or not the Company is being wound up) be varied, modified or abrogated either with the consent in writing of the holders of not less than three fourths in nominal value of the issued shares of that class or with the sanction of a special resolution passed at a separate general meeting of the holders of the shares of that class. To every such separate general meeting all the provisions of these Articles relating to general meetings of the		
<ul> <li>(a) the necessary quorum (other than at an adjourned meeting) shall be two persons (or in the case of a Member being a corporation, its duly authorized representative) holding or representing by proxy not less than one third in nominal value of the issued shares of that class and at any adjourned meeting of such holders, two holders present in person or (in the case of a Member being a corporation) its duly authorized representative or by proxy (whatever the number of shares held by them) shall be a quorum; and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(a) the necessary quorum (other than at an adjourned meeting) shall be two persons (or in the case of a Member being a corporation, its duly authorized authorised representative) holding or representing by proxy not less than one third in nominal value of the issued shares of that class and at any adjourned meeting of such holders, two holders present in person or (in the case of a Member being a corporation) its duly authorized representative or by proxy (whatever the number of shares held by them) shall be a quorum; and</li> </ul>		

Article before amendments	Article after amendments		
Article 12	Article 12		
(1) Subject to the Law, these Articles, any direction that may be given by the Company in general meeting and, where applicable, the rules of any Designated Stock Exchange and without prejudice to any special rights or restrictions for the time being attached to any shares or any class of shares, the unissued shares of the Company (whether forming part of the original or any increased capital) shall be at the disposal of the Board, which may offer, allot, grant options over or otherwise dispose of them to such persons, at such times and for such consideration and upon such terms and conditions as the Board may in its absolute discretion determine but so that no shares shall be issued at a discount. Neither the Company nor the Board shall be obliged, when making or granting any allotment of, offer of, option over or disposal of shares, to make, or make available, any such allotment, offer, option or shares to Members or others with registered addresses in any particular territory or territories being a territory or territories where, in the absence of a registration statement or other special formalities, this would or might, in the opinion of the Board, be unlawful or impracticable. Members affected as a result of the foregoing sentence shall not be, or be deemed to be, a separate class of members for any purpose whatsoever.	direction that may be given by the Company in general meeting and, where applicable, the <b>rules of any Designated Stock</b> <b>Exchange Listing Rules</b> and without prejudice to any special rights or restrictions for the time being attached to any shares or any class of shares, the unissued shares of the Company (whether forming part of the original or any increased capital) shall be at the disposal of the Board, which may offer, allot, grant options over or otherwise dispose of them to such persons, at such times and for such consideration and upon such terms and conditions as the Board may in its absolute discretion determine but so that no shares shall be issued at a discount <u>to their</u> <b>nominal value</b> . Neither the Company nor the Board shall be obliged, when making or granting any allotment of, offer of, option		
Article 13	Article 13		
The Company may in connection with the issue of any shares exercise all powers of paying commission and brokerage conferred or permitted by the Law. Subject to the Law, the commission may be satisfied by the payment of cash or by the allotment of fully or partly paid shares or partly in one and partly in the other.	The Company may in connection with the issue of any shares exercise all powers of paying commission and brokerage conferred or permitted by the <b>Law</b> <u>Act</u> . Subject to the <b>Law</b> <u>Act</u> , the commission may be satisfied by the payment of cash or by the allotment of fully or partly paid shares or partly in one and partly in the other.		

Article before amendments	Article after amendments		
Article 15	Article 15		
Subject to the Law and these Articles, the Board may at any time after the allotment of shares but before any person has been entered in the Register as the holder, recognise a renunciation thereof by the allottee in favour of some other person and may accord to any allottee of a share a right to effect such renunciation upon and subject to such terms and conditions as the Board considers fit to impose.	Board may at any time after the allotment of shares but before any person has been entered in the Register as the holder, recognise a renunciation thereof by the allottee in favour of some other person and may accord to any allottee		
Article 16	Article 16		
Every share certificate shall be issued under the Seal or a facsimile thereof or with the Seal printed thereon and shall specify the number and class and distinguishing numbers (if any) of the shares to which it relates, and the amount paid up thereon and may otherwise be in such form as the Directors may from time to time determine. No certificate shall be issued representing shares of more than one class. The Board may by resolution determine, either generally or in any particular case or cases, that any signatures on any such certificates (or certificates in respect of other securities) need not be autographic but may be affixed to such certificates by some mechanical means or may be printed thereon.	Every share certificate shall be issued under the Seal or a facsimile thereof or with the Seal		
Article 17	Article 17		
(2) Where a share stands in the names of two or more persons, the person first named in the Register shall as regards service of notices and, subject to the provisions of these Articles, all or any other matters connected with the Company, except the transfer of the shares, be deemed the sole holder thereof.	(2) Where a share stands in the names of two or more persons, the person first named in the Register shall as regards service of notices <u>Notices</u> and, subject to the provisions of these Articles, all or any other matters connected with the Company, except the transfer of the shares, be deemed the sole holder thereof.		
Article 19	Article 19		
Share certificates shall be issued within the relevant time limit as prescribed by the Law or as the Designated Stock Exchange may from time to time determine, whichever is the shorter, after allotment or, except in the case of a transfer which the Company is for the time being entitled to refuse to register and does not register, after lodgment of a transfer with the Company.			

Article before amendments	Article after amendments		
Article 22	Article 22		
The Company shall have a first and paramount lien on every share (not being a fully paid share) for all moneys (whether presently payable or not) called or payable at a fixed time in respect of that share. The Company shall also have a first and paramount lien on every share (not being a fully paid share) registered in the name of a Member (whether or not jointly with other Members) for all amounts of money presently payable by such Member or his estate to the Company whether the same shall have been incurred before or after notice to the Company of any equitable or other interest of any person other than such member, and whether the period for the payment or discharge of the same shall have actually arrived or not, and notwithstanding that the same are joint debts or liabilities of such Member or his estate and any other person, whether a Member or not. The Company's lien on a share shall extend to all dividends or other moneys payable thereon or in respect thereof. The Board may at any time, generally or in any particular case, waive any lien that has arisen or declare any share exempt in whole or in part, from the provisions of this Article.	The Company shall have a first and paramount lien on every share (not being a fully paid share) for all moneys (whether presently payable or not) called or payable at a fixed time in respect of that share. The Company shall also have a first and paramount lien on every share (not being a fully paid share) registered in the name of a Member (whether or not jointly with other Members) for all amounts of money presently payable by such Member or his estate to the Company whether the same shall have been incurred before or after notice to the Company of any equitable or other interest of any person other than such <b>member</b> <b>Member</b> , and whether the period for the payment or discharge of the same shall have actually arrived or not, and notwithstanding that the same are joint debts or liabilities of such Member or his estate and any other person, whether a Member or not. The Company's lien on a share shall extend to all dividends or other moneys payable thereon or in respect thereof. The Board may at any time, generally or in any particular case, waive any lien that has arisen or declare any share exempt in whole or in part, from the		
Article 23	Article 23		
Subject to these Articles, the Company may sell in such manner as the Board determines any share on which the Company has a lien, but no sale shall be made unless some sum in respect of which the lien exists is presently payable, or the liability or engagement in respect of which such lien exists is liable to be presently fulfilled or discharged nor until the expiration of fourteen (14) clear days after a notice in writing, stating and demanding payment of the sum presently payable, or specifying the liability or engagement and demanding fulfilment or discharge thereof and giving notice of the intention to sell in default, has been served on the registered holder for the time being of the share or the person entitled thereto by reason of his death or bankruptcy.	Subject to these Articles, the Company may sell in such manner as the Board determines any share on which the Company has a lien, but no sale shall be made unless some sum in respect of which the lien exists is presently payable, or the liability or engagement in respect of which such lien exists is liable to be presently fulfilled or discharged nor until the expiration of fourteen (14) clear days after a <b>notice</b> Notice in writing, stating and demanding payment of the sum presently payable, or specifying the liability or engagement and demanding fulfilment or discharge thereof and giving <b>notice</b> Notice of the intention to sell in default, has been served on the registered holder for the time being of the share or the person entitled thereto by reason of his death or bankruptcy.		

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
Article 25	Article 25
Subject to these Articles and to the terms of allotment, the Board may from time to time make calls upon the Members in respect of any moneys unpaid on their shares (whether on account of the nominal value of the shares or by way of premium), and each Member shall (subject to being given at least fourteen (14) clear days' Notice specifying the time and place of payment) pay to the Company as required by such notice the amount called on his shares. A call may be extended, postponed or revoked in whole or in part as the Board determines but no Member shall be entitled to any such extension, postponement or revocation except as a matter of grace and favour. Article 35	calls upon the Members in respect of any moneys unpaid on their shares (whether on account of the nominal value of the shares or by way of premium), and each Member shall (subject to being given at least fourteen (14) clear days' Notice specifying the time and place of payment) pay to the Company as required by such <b>notice</b> <b>Notice</b> the amount called on his shares. A call may be extended, postponed or revoked in whole or in part as the Board determines but no Member shall be entitled to any such extension,
When any share has been forfeited, notice of the forfeiture shall be served upon the person who was before forfeiture the holder of the share. No forfeiture shall be invalidated by any omission or neglect to give such Notice. Article 44	who was before forfeiture the holder of the share.
specified by the Board at the Registration Office. The Register including any overseas or local or other branch register of Members may, after notice has been given by advertisement in an appointed newspaper or any other newspapers in accordance with the requirements of any Designated Stock Exchange or by any electronic means in such manner as may be accepted by the Designated Stock Exchange to that effect, be closed at such times or for such periods not	<b>maintained in Hong Kong</b> , as the case may be, shall be open to inspection for at least two (2) hours during business hours by Members without charge or by any other person, upon a maximum payment of <b>\$ Hong Kong dollars</b> 2.50 or such lesser sum specified by the Board, at the Office or such other place at which the Register is kept in accordance with the <b>Law Act</b> or, if appropriate, upon a maximum payment of <b>\$</b> <b>Hong Kong dollars</b> 1.00 or such lesser sum specified by the Board at the Registration Office. The Register including any overseas or local or other branch register of Members may, after notice has been given by advertisement in an appointed newspaper or any other newspapers in accordance with the requirements of any Designated Stock Exchange or by any electronic means in such manner as may be accepted by the Designated Stock Exchange to that effect, be

Article before amendments	Article after amendments		
Article 45	Article 45		
Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles the Company or the Directors may fix any date as the record date for: (a) determining the Members entitled to	<b>notwithstanding</b> any other provision of these Articles the Company or the Directors may fix any date as the record date for:		
receive any dividend, distribution, allotment or issue and such record date may be on, or at any time not more than thirty (30) days before or after, any date on which such dividend, distribution, allotment or issue is declared, paid or made;	<ul> <li>(a) determining the Members entitled to receive any dividend, distribution, allotment or issue-and such record date may be on, or at any time not more than thirty (30) days before or after, any date on which such dividend, distribution, allotment or issue is declared, paid or</li> </ul>		
(b) determining the Members entitled to receive notice of and to vote at any general	made;		
meeting of the Company.	(b) determining the Members entitled to receive <b>notice</b> Notice of and to vote at any general meeting of the Company.		
Article 46	Article 46		
Subject to these Articles, any Member may transfer all or any of his shares by an instrument of transfer in the usual or common form or in a form prescribed by the Designated Stock Exchange or in any other form approved by the Board and may be under hand or, if the transferor or transferee is a clearing house or its nominee(s), by hand or by machine imprinted signature or by such other manner of execution as the Board may approve from time to time.	(1) Subject to these Articles, any Member may transfer all or any of his shares by an instrument of transfer in the usual or common form or in a form prescribed by the Designated Stock Exchange or in any other form approved by the Board and may be under hand or, if the transferor or transferee is a clearing house or its nominee(s), by hand or by machine imprinted signature or by such other manner of execution as the Board may approve from time to time.		
	(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subparagraph (1) above, for so long as any shares are listed on the Designated Stock Exchange, titles to such listed shares may be evidenced and transferred in accordance with the laws applicable to and the Listing Rules that are or shall be applicable to such listed shares. The register of members of the Company in respect of its listed shares (whether the Register or a branch register) may be kept by recording the particulars required by Section 40 of the Act in a form otherwise than legible if such recording otherwise complies with the laws applicable to and the Listing Rules that are or shall be applicable to such listed shares.		

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Article 48		Article 48		
(4)	Unless the Board otherwise agrees (which agreement may be on such terms and subject to such conditions as the Board in its absolute discretion may from time to time determine, and which agreement the Board shall, without giving any reason therefor, be entitled in its absolute discretion to give or withhold), no shares upon the Register shall be transferred to any branch register nor shall shares on any branch register be transferred to the Register or any other branch register and all transfers and other documents of title shall be lodged for registration, and registered, in the case of any shares on a branch register, at the relevant Registration Office, and, in the case of any shares on the Register, at the Office or such other place at which the Register is kept in accordance with the Law.	(4) Unless the Board otherwise agrees (which agreement may be on such terms and subject to such conditions as the Board in its absolute discretion may from time to time determine, and which agreement the Board shall, without giving any reason therefor, be entitled in its absolute discretion to give or withhold), no shares upon the Register shall be transferred to any branch register be transferred to the Register or any other branch register and all transfers and other documents of title shall be lodged for registration, and register, at the relevant Registration Office, and, in the case of any shares on the Register, at the Office or such other place at which the Register is kept in accordance with the Law Act.		
Arti	cle 49	Article 49		
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(c)	the instrument of transfer is lodged at the Office or such other place at which the Register is kept in accordance with the Law or the Registration Office (as the case may be) accompanied by the relevant share certificate(s) and such other evidence as the Board may reasonably require to show the right of the transferor to make the transfer (and, if the instrument of transfer is executed by some other person on his behalf, the authority of that person so to do); and	<ul> <li>(c) the instrument of transfer is lodged at the Office or such other place at which the Register is kept in accordance with the Law Act or the Registration Office (as the case may be) accompanied by the relevant share certificate(s) and such other evidence as the Board may reasonably require to show the right of the transferor to make the transfer (and, if the instrument of transfer is executed by some other person on his behalf, the authority of that person so to do); and</li> </ul>		
 Arti	cle 51	 Article 51		
The registration of transfers of shares or of any class of shares may, after notice has been given by advertisement in any newspapers or by any other means in accordance with the requirements of any Designated Stock Exchange to that effect be suspended at such times and for such periods (not exceeding in the whole thirty (30) days in any year) as the Board may determine.		class of shares may, after notice has been given by <b>announcement</b> or by electronic communication or by advertisement in any newspapers or by any other means in accordance with the requirements of any Designated Stock		

Article before amendments	Article after amendments		
Article 55	Article 55		
(2) The Company shall have the power to sell, in such manner as the Board thinks fit, any shares of a Member who is untraceable, but no such sale shall be made unless:	(2) The Company shall have the power to sell, in such manner as the Board thinks fit, any shares of a Member who is untraceable, but no such sale shall be made unless:		
(c) the Company, if so required by the rules governing the listing of shares on the Designated Stock Exchange, has given notice, and caused advertisement in newspapers in accordance with the requirements of, the Designated Stock Exchange to be made of its intention to sell such shares in the manner required by the Designated Stock Exchange, and a period of three (3) months or such shorter period as may be allowed by the Designated Stock Exchange has elapsed since the date of such advertisement.	(c) the Company, if so required by the Listing <u>Rules</u> , has given notice of its intention to <u>sell such shares</u> to, and caused advertisement in newspapers <u>both in daily</u> <u>newspaper and in a newspaper</u> <u>circulating in the area of the last known</u> <u>address of such Member or any person</u> <u>entitled to the share under Article 54 and</u> <u>where applicable, in each case</u> in accordance with the requirements of, <del>the</del> <u>Designated Stock Exchange to be made of</u> <u>its intention to sell such shares in the</u> <u>manner required by</u> the Designated Stock Exchange, and a period of three (3) months or such shorter period as may be allowed by the Designated Stock Exchange has elapsed since the date of such advertisement.		
Article 56	Article 56		
meeting or not more than eighteen (18) months after the date of adoption of these Articles, unless a longer period would not infringe the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange, if any) at such time and place as may be determined by the Board.	be held in each <b>financial</b> year other than the <b>financial</b> year of the Company's adoption of these Articles (within a period of not more than <b>fifteen (15) months after the holding of the last</b> <b>preceding and such</b> annual general meeting <b>or</b> <b>not more than eighteen (18) must be held</b>		
Article 57	Article 57		
Each general meeting, other than an annual general meeting, shall be called an extraordinary general meeting. General meetings may be held in any part of the world as may be determined by the Board.	general meeting, shall be called an extraordinary general meeting. General All general meetings		

Article before amendments	Article after amendments		
Article 58	Article 58		
extraordinary general meetings. Any one or more Members holding at the date of deposit of the requisition not less than one-tenth of the paid up capital of the Company carrying the right of voting at general meetings of the Company shall at all times have the right, by written requisition to the Board or the Secretary of the Company, to require an extraordinary general meeting to be called by the Board for the transaction of any business specified in such requisition; and such meeting shall be held within two (2) months after the deposit of such requisition. If within twenty one (21) days of such deposit the Board fails to proceed to convene such meeting the requisitionist(s) himself (themselves) may do so in the same manner, and all reasonable expenses incurred by the requisitionist(s) as a result of the failure of the Board shall be reimbursed to the requisitionist(s) by the Company.	The Board may whenever it thinks fit call extraordinary general meetings. Any one or more <u>Members Member(s)</u> holding at the date of deposit of the requisition not less than one-tenth of the paid up capital of the Company carrying the right of voting at general meetings of the Company, on a one vote per share basis, shall at all times have the right, by written requisition to the Board or the Secretary of the Company, to require an extraordinary general meeting to be called by the Board for the transaction of any business or resolution specified in such requisition; and such meeting shall be held within two (2) months after the deposit of such requisition. If within twenty one (21) days of such deposit the Board fails to proceed to convene such meeting the requisitionist(s) himself (themselves) may do so in the same		
<ul> <li>Article 59</li> <li>(1) An annual general meeting shall be called by Notice of not less than twenty-one (21) clear days and not less than twenty (20) clear business days and any extraordinary general meeting at which the passing of a special resolution is to be considered shall be called by Notice of not less than twenty one (21) clear days and not less than ten (10) clear business days. All other extraordinary general meetings may be called by Notice of not less than fourteen (14) clear days and not less than ten (10) clear business days but if permitted by the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange, a general meeting may be called by shorter notice, subject to the Law, if it is so agreed:</li> <li>(a) in the case of a meeting called as an annual general meeting, by all the Members entitled to attend and vote thereat; and</li> <li>(b) in the case of any other meeting, by a majority in number of the Members having the right to attend and vote at the meeting, being a majority together holding not less than ninety five per cent. (95%) in nominal value of the issued shares giving that right.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Article 59</li> <li>(1) An annual general meeting shall must be called by Notice of not less than twenty-one (21) clear days and not less than twenty (20) clear business days and any extraordinary general meeting at which the passing of a special resolution is to be considered shall be called by Notice of not less than twenty one (21) clear days and not less than ten (10) clear business days. All other extraordinary general meetings (including an extraordinary general meeting) may must be called by Notice of not less than fourteen (14) clear days and not less than fourteen (14) clear business days. All other extraordinary general meeting may must be called by Notice of not less than fourteen (14) clear business days but if permitted by the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules, a general meeting may be called by shorter notice, subject to the Law Act, if it is so agreed:</li> <li>(a) in the case of a meeting called as an annual general meeting, by all the Members entitled to attend and vote thereat; and</li> <li>(b) in the case of any other meeting, by a majority in number of the Members having the right to attend and vote at the meeting, being a majority together holding representing not less than ninety five per cent. (95%) in nominal value of the total voting rights at the meeting of all the issued shares</li> </ul>		

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(2)	of reso and, natu conv spec gene Men unde term not e Com in co or w	notice shall specify the time and place the meeting and, particulars of lutions to be considered at the meeting in case of special business, the general re of the business. The notice vening an annual general meeting shall ify the meeting as such. Notice of every tral meeting shall be given to all obers other than to such Members as, er the provisions of these Articles or the so of issue of the shares they hold, are entitled to receive such notices from the upany, to all persons entitled to a share onsequence of the death or bankruptcy yinding up of a Member and to each of Directors and the Auditors.	(2)	and j for a meet Boar prin "Pri gene or an inclu with atter elect such Com parti at th busit annu meet than prov issue entit from a sh bank	notice Notice shall specify (a) the time place date of the meeting and, (b) save in electronic meeting, the place of the ting and if there is more than one ting location as determined by the rd pursuant to Article 64A, the cipal place of the meeting (the ncipal Meeting Place"), (c) if the ral meeting is to be a hybrid meeting n electronic meeting, the Notice shall ide a statement to that effect and details of the electronic facilities for ndance and participation by ronic means at the meeting or where details will be made available by the pany prior to the meeting, and (d) culars of resolutions to be considered ne meeting and, in case of special ness, the general nature of the ness. The notice Notice of every general ing shall be given to all Members other to such Members as, under the isions of these Articles or the terms of e of the shares they hold, are not led to receive such notices <u>Notices</u> the Company, to all persons entitled to are in consequence of the death or ruptcy or winding up of a Member and ach of the Directors and the Auditors.
Article 61		Artic	cle 61		
(1)	<ol> <li>All business shall be deemed special that is transacted at an extraordinary general meeting, and also all business that is transacted at an annual general meeting, with the exception of:</li> </ol>		(1)	All business shall be deemed special that is transacted at an extraordinary general meeting, and also all business that is transacted at an annual general meeting, with the exception of:	
	(d)	appointment of Auditors (where special notice of the intention for such appointment is not required by the Law) and other officers;		(d)	appointment of Auditors (where special notice of the intention for such appointment is not required by the $Law$ <u>Act</u> ) and other officers; <u>and</u>
	(e)	the fixing of the remuneration of the Auditors, and the voting of remuneration or extra remuneration to the Directors;		(e)	the fixing of the remuneration of the Auditors, and the voting of remuneration or extra remuneration to the Directors;.

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<ul> <li>(f) the granting of any mandate or authority to the Directors to offer, allot, grant options over or otherwise dispose of the unissued shares in the capital of the Company representing not more than twenty per cent. (20%) in nominal value of its existing issued share capital; and</li> </ul>	(f) the granting of any mandate or authority to the Directors to offer, allot, grant options over or otherwise dispose of the unissued shares in the capital of the Company representing not more than twenty per cent. (20%) in nominal value of its existing issued share capital; and
<ul> <li>(g) the granting of any mandate or authority to the Directors to repurchase securities of the Company.</li> <li>(2) No business of the the superintment of a</li> </ul>	(g) the granting of any mandate or authority to the Directors to repurchase securities of the Company.
(2) No business other than the appointment of a chairman of a meeting shall be transacted at any general meeting unless a quorum is present at the commencement of the business. Two (2) Members entitled to vote and present in person or by proxy or (in the case of a Member being a corporation) by its duly authorised representative shall form a quorum for all purposes.	(2) No business other than the appointment of a chairman of a meeting shall be transacted at any general meeting unless a quorum is present at the commencement of the business. Two (2) Members entitled to vote and present in person or by proxy or (in the case of a Member being a corporation) by its duly, for quorum purposes only, two persons appointed by the clearing house as authorised representative or proxy shall form a quorum for all purposes.
Article 62	Article 62
	appointed for the meeting a quorum is not present, the meeting, if convened on the requisition of Members, shall be dissolved. In any other case it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and (where applicable) same place(s) or to such time and (where applicable) such place(s) and in such form and manner referred to in Article 57

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Article 63	Article 63	
Article 63 The chairman of the Company shall preside as chairman at every general meeting. If at any meeting the chairman, is not present within fifteen (15) minutes after the time appointed for holding the meeting, or is not willing to act as chairman, the Directors present shall choose one of their number to act, or if one Director only is present he shall preside as chairman if willing to act. If no Director is present, or if each of the Directors present declines to take the chair, or if the chairman chosen shall retire from the chair, the Members present in person or (in the case of a Member being a corporation) by its duly authorised representative or by proxy and entitled to vote shall elect one of their number to be chairman.	(1) The chairman of the Company or if there is more than one chairman, any one of them as may be agreed amongst themselves or failing such agreement, any one of them elected by all the Directors present shall preside as chairman at every a general meeting. If at any meeting the no chairman, is not present within fifteen (15) minutes after the time appointed for holding the meeting, or is not willing to act as chairman, the deputy chairman of the Company or if there is more than one deputy chairman, any one of them as may	

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Article 64	Article 64
meeting at which a quorum is present (and shall if so directed by the meeting), adjourn the meeting from time to time and from place to place as the meeting shall determine, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business which might lawfully have been transacted at the meeting had the adjournment not taken place. When a meeting is adjourned for fourteen (14) days or more, at least seven (7) clear days' notice of the adjourned	<u>meeting</u> ) as the meeting shall determine, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business which might lawfully have been transacted at the meeting had the adjournment not taken place. When a meeting is adjourned for fourteen (14) days or more, at least seven (7) clear days' <b>notice</b> Notice of the
Article 64A	Article 64A
(New Clause)	<ul> <li>(1) The Board may, at its absolute discretion, arrange for persons entitled to attend a general meeting to do so by simultaneous attendance and participation by means of electronic facilities at such location or locations ("Meeting Location(s)") determined by the Board at its absolute discretion. Any Member or any proxy attending and participating in such way or any Member or proxy attending and participating in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities is deemed to be present at and shall be counted in the quorum of the meeting.</li> <li>(2) All general meetings are subject to the following and, where appropriate, all references to a "Member" or "Members" in this sub-paragraph (2) shall include a proxy or proxies respectively:</li> <li>(a) where a Member is attending a Meeting Location and/or in the case of a hybrid meeting, the meeting shall be treated as having commenced if it has commenced at the Principal Meeting Place;</li> </ul>

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
Article before amendments	(b)       Members present in person or by proxy at a Meeting Location and/or Members attending and participating in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities shall be counted in the quorum for and entitled to vote at the meeting in question, and that meeting shall be duly constituted and its proceedings valid provided that the chairman of the meeting is satisfied that adequate electronic facilities are available throughout the meeting to ensure that Members at all Meeting Locations and Members participating in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities are able to participate in the business for which the meeting has been convened;         (c)       where Members attend a meeting by being present at one of the Meeting Locations and/or where Members participating in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities, a failure (for any reason) of the electronic facilities or communication equipment, or any other failure in the arrangements for enabling those in a Meeting Location other than the Principal Meeting Place to participate in the business for which the meeting has been convened or in the case of an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities or participating those in a Meeting Location other than the Principal Meeting Place to participate in the business for which the meeting has been convened or in the case of an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting has been convened or in the case of an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting has been convened or in the case of an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting the inability of one or more Members or proxies to access, or continue to access, the electronic facilities despite adequate electronic facilities having been made
	facilities despite adequate electronic

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
	(d) if any of the Meeting Locations is not in the same jurisdiction as the Principal Meeting Place and/or in the case of a hybrid meeting, the provisions of these Articles concerning the service and giving of Notice for the meeting, and the time for lodging proxies, shall apply by reference to the Principal Meeting Place; and in the case of an electronic meeting, the time for lodging proxies shall be as stated in the Notice for the meeting.
Article 64B	Article 64B
(New Clause)	The Board and, at any general meeting, the chairman of the meeting may from time to time make arrangements for managing attendance and/or participation and/or voting at the Principal Meeting Place, any Meeting Location(s) and/or participation in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities (whether involving the issue of tickets or some other means of identification, passcode, seat reservation, electronic voting or otherwise) as it shall in its absolute discretion consider appropriate, and may from time to time change any such arrangements, provided that a Member who, pursuant to such arrangements, is not entitled to attend, in person or by proxy, at any Meeting Location shall be entitled so to attend at one of the other Meeting Locations; and the entitlement of any Member so to attend the meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting at such Meeting Location or Meeting Locations shall be subject to any such arrangement as may be for the time being in force and by the Notice of meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting or postponed meeting or postponed meeting or postponed meeting or postponed meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting stated to apply to the meeting.
Article 64C	Article 64C
(New Clause)	If it appears to the chairman of the generalmeeting that:(a)the electronic facilities at the PrincipalMeeting Place or at such other MeetingLocation(s) at which the meeting may beattended have become inadequate for thepurposes referred to in Article 64A(1) orare otherwise not sufficient to allow themeeting to be conducted substantially inaccordance with the provisions set out inthe Notice of the meeting; or

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	(b) in the case of an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting, electronic facilities being made available by the Company have become inadequate; or
	(c) it is not possible to ascertain the view of those present or to give all persons entitled to do so a reasonable opportunity to communicate and/or vote at the meeting; or
	(d) there is violence or the threat of violence, unruly behaviour or other disruption occurring at the meeting or it is not possible to secure the proper and orderly conduct of the meeting;
	then, without prejudice to any other power which the chairman of the meeting may have under these Articles or at common law, the chairman may, at his/her absolute discretion, without the consent of the meeting, and before or after the meeting has started and irrespective of whether a quorum is present, interrupt or adjourn the meeting (including adjournment for indefinite period). All business conducted at the meeting up to the time of such adjournment shall be valid.
Article 64D	Article 64D
(New Clause)	The Board and, at any general meeting, the chairman of the meeting may make any arrangement and impose any requirement or restriction the Board or the chairman of the meeting, as the case may be, considers appropriate to ensure the security and orderly conduct of a meeting (including, without limitation, requirements for evidence of identity to be produced by those attending the meeting, the searching of their personal property and the restriction of items that may be taken into the meeting place, determining the number and frequency of and the time allowed for questions that may be raised at a meeting). Members shall also comply with all requirements or restrictions imposed by the owner of the premises at which the meeting is held. Any decision made under this Article shall be final and conclusive and a person who refuses to comply with any such arrangements, requirements or restrictions may be refused entry to the meeting or ejected (physically or electronically) from the meeting.

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
Article 64E	Article 64E
(New Clause)	If, after the sending of Notice of a general meeting but before the meeting is held, or after the adjournment of a meeting but before the adjourned meeting is held (whether or not Notice of the adjourned meeting is required), the Directors, in their absolute discretion, consider that it is inappropriate, impracticable, unreasonable or undesirable for any reason to hold the general meeting on the date or at the time or place or by means of electronic facilities specified in the Notice calling the meeting, they may change or postpone the meeting to another date, time and/or place and/or change the electronic facilities and/or change the form of the meeting (a physical meeting, an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting) without approval from the Members. Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing, the Directors shall have the power to provide in every Notice calling a general meeting the circumstances in which a postponement of the relevant general meeting may occur automatically without further notice, including without limitation where a number 8 or higher typhoon signal, black rainstorm warning or other similar event is in force at any time on the day of the meeting. This Article shall be subject to the
	following:
	(a) when a meeting is so postponed, the Company shall endeavour to post a Notice of such postponement on the Company's website as soon as practicable (provided that failure to post such a Notice shall not affect the automatic postponement of a meeting);
	(b) when only the form of the meeting or electronic facilities specified in the Notice are changed, the Board shall notify the Members of details of such change in such manner as the Board may determine;

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	(c)when a meeting is postponed or changed in accordance with this Article, subject to and without prejudice to Article 64, unless already specified in the original Notice of the meeting, the Board shall fix the date, time, place (if applicable) and electronic facilities (if applicable) for the postponed or changed meeting and shall notify the Members of such details in such manner as the Board may determine; further all proxy forms shall be valid (unless revoked or replaced by a new proxy) if they are received as required by these Articles not less than 48 hours before the time of the postponed meeting; and	
	(d) Notice of the business to be transacted at the postponed or changed meeting shall not be required, nor shall any accompanying documents be required to be recirculated, provided that the business to be transacted at the postponed or changed meeting is the same as that set out in the original Notice of general meeting circulated to the Members.	
Article 64F	Article 64F	
(New Clause)	All persons seeking to attend and participate in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting shall be responsible for maintaining adequate facilities to enable them to do so. Subject to Article 64C, any inability of a person or persons to attend or participate in a general meeting by way of electronic facilities shall not invalidate the proceedings of and/or resolutions passed at that meeting.	
Article 64G	Article 64G	
(New Clause)	Without prejudice to other provisions in Article 64, a physical meeting may also be held by means of such telephone, electronic or other communication facilities as permit all persons participating in the meeting to communicate with each other simultaneously and instantaneously, and participation in such a meeting shall constitute presence in person at such meeting.	

Article before amendments	Article after amendments	
Article 66	Article 66	
<ul> <li>(1) Subject to any special rights or restrictions as to voting for the time being attached to any shares by or in accordance with these Articles, at any general meeting on a poll every Member present in person or by proxy or, in the case of a Member being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative shall have one vote for every fully paid share of which he is the holder but so that no amount paid up or credited as paid up on a share in advance of calls or instalments is treated for the foregoing purposes as paid up on the share. A resolution put to the vote of a meeting shall be decided by way of a poll save that the chairman of the meeting may in good faith, allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter to be voted on by a show of hands in which case every Member present in person (or being a corporation, is present by a duly authorized representative), or by proxy(ies) shall have one vote provided that where more than one proxy is appointed by a Member which is a clearing house (or its nomine(s)), each such proxy shall have one vote on a show of hands. For purposes of this Article, procedural and administrative matters are those that (i) are not on the agenda of the general meeting or in any supplementary circular that may be issued by the Company to its Members; and (ii) relate to the chairman's duties to maintain the orderly conduct of the meeting and/or allow the business of the meeting dow allowing all Members a reasonable opportunity to express their views.</li> <li>(2) Where a show of hands is allowed, before or on the declaration of the result of the show of hands, a poll may be demanded:</li> <li>(a) by at least three Members present in person or in the case of a Member being a corporation by its duly authorised representative or by proxy for the time being entitled to vote at the meeting; or</li> <li>(b) by a Member or Members present in person or in the case of a Member being a corporation by its duly authorised representing not less than one tent</li></ul>	<ol> <li>Subject to any special rights or restrictions as to voting for the time being attached to any shares by or in accordance with these Articles, at any general meeting on a poll every Member present in person or by proxy or, in the case of a Member being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative shall have one vote for every fully paid share of which he is the holder but so that no amount paid up or credited as paid up on a share in advance of calls or instalments is treated for the foregoing purposes as paid up on the share. A resolution put to the vote of a meeting shall be decided by way of a poll save that in the case of a physical meeting, the chairman of the meeting may in good faith, allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter to be voted on by a show of hands in which case every Member present in person (or being a corporation, is present by a duly authorized representative), or by proxy(ies) shall have one vote provided that where more than one proxy is appointed by a Member which is a clearing house (or its nominee(s)), each such proxy shall have one vote on a show of hands. For purposes of this Article, procedural and administrative matters are those that (i) are not on the agenda of the general meeting or in any supplementary circular that may be issued by the Company to its Members; and (ii) relate to the chairman's duties to maintain the orderly conduct of the meeting and/or allow the business of the meeting to be properly and effectively dealt with, whilst allowing all Members a reasonable opportunity to express their views. Votes (whether on a show of hands is allowed, before or or on the declaration of the result of the show of hands, a poll may be demanded:</li> <li>(2) Where In the case of a physical meeting may determine.</li> <li>(2) Where In the case of a physical meeting may determine.</li> </ol>	

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<ul> <li>(c) by a Member or Members present in person or in the case of a Member being a corporation by its duly authorised representative or by proxy and holding shares in the Company conferring a right to vote at the meeting being shares on which an aggregate sum has been paid up equal to not less than one tenth of the total sum paid up on all shares conferring that right.</li> <li>A demand by a person as proxy for a Member or in the case of a Member being a corporation by its duly authorised representative shall be deemed to be the same as a demand by the Member.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(b) by a Member or Members present in person or in the case of a Member being a corporation by its duly authorised representative or by proxy and representing not less than one tenth of the total voting rights of all Members having the right to vote at the meeting; or</li> <li>(c) by a Member or Members present in person or in the case of a Member being a corporation by its duly authorised representative or by proxy and holding shares in the Company conferring a right to vote at the meeting being shares on which an aggregate sum has been paid up equal to not less than one tenth of the total sum paid up on all shares conferring that right.</li> </ul>	
	A demand by a person as proxy for a Member or in the case of a Member being a corporation by its duly authorised representative shall be deemed to be the same as a demand by the Member.	
Article 67	Article 67	
Where a resolution is voted on by a show of hands, a declaration by the chairman that a resolution has been carried, or carried unanimously, or by a particular majority, or not carried by a particular majority, or lost, and an entry to that effect made in the minute book of the Company, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts without proof of the number or proportion of the votes recorded for or against the resolution. The result of the poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the meeting. The Company shall only be required to disclose the voting figures on a poll if such disclosure is required by the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange.	a hands, a declaration by the chairman that resolution has been carried, or carri t unanimously, or by a particular majority, or n n carried by a particular majority, or lost, and entry to that effect made in the minute book the Company, shall be conclusive evidence of t facts without proof of the number or proporti- of the votes recorded for or against t resolution. The result of the poll shall be deem y to be the resolution of the meeting. The Compa- g shall only be required to disclose the voti	
Article 70	Article 70	
All questions submitted to a meeting shall be decided by a simple majority of votes except where a greater majority is required by these Articles or by the Law. In the case of an equality of votes, the chairman of such meeting shall be entitled to a second or casting vote in addition to any other vote he may have.	All questions submitted to a meeting shall be decided by a simple majority of votes except where a greater majority is required by these Articles or by the <b>Law</b> <u>Act</u> . In the case of an equality of votes, the chairman of such meeting shall be entitled to a second or casting vote in addition to any other vote he may have.	

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Article 72 Article 72		le 72	
(1)	A Member who is a patient for any purpose relating to mental health or in respect of whom an order has been made by any court having jurisdiction for the protection or management of the affairs of persons incapable of managing their own affairs may vote, by his receiver, committee, curator bonis or other person in the nature of a receiver, committee or curator bonis appointed by such court, and such receiver, committee, curator bonis or other person may vote by proxy, and may otherwise act and be treated as if he were the registered holder of such shares for the purposes of general meetings, provided that such evidence as the Board may require of the authority of the person claiming to vote shall have been deposited at the Office, head office or Registration Office, as appropriate, not less than forty eight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting, or adjourned meeting, as the case may be.		A Member who is a patient for any purpose relating to mental health or in respect of whom an order has been made by any court having jurisdiction for the protection or management of the affairs of persons incapable of managing their own affairs may vote, by his receiver, committee, curator bonis or other person in the nature of a receiver, committee or curator bonis appointed by such court, and such receiver, committee, curator bonis or other person may vote by proxy, and may otherwise act and be treated as if he were the registered holder of such shares for the purposes of general meetings, provided that such evidence as the Board may require of the authority of the person claiming to vote shall have been deposited at the Office, as appropriate, not less than forty eight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting, or adjourned meeting, <u>or</u> <b>postponed meeting,</b> as the case may be.
(2)	Any person entitled under Article 53 to be registered as the holder of any shares may vote at any general meeting in respect thereof in the same manner as if he were the registered holder of such shares, provided that forty eight (48) hours at least before the time of the holding of the meeting or adjourned meeting, as the case may be, at which he proposes to vote, he shall satisfy the Board of his entitlement to such shares, or the Board shall have previously admitted his right to vote at such meeting in respect thereof.		Any person entitled under Article 53 to be registered as the holder of any shares may vote at any general meeting in respect thereof in the same manner as if he were the registered holder of such shares, provided that forty eight (48) hours at least before the time of the holding of the meeting or adjourned <b>meeting or postponed</b> meeting, as the case may be, at which he proposes to vote, he shall satisfy the Board of his entitlement to such shares, or the Board shall have previously admitted his right to vote at such meeting in respect thereof.

Article before amendments	Article after amendments	
Article 73	Article 73	
<ul> <li></li> <li>(2) Where the Company has knowledge that any Member is, under the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange, required to abstain from voting on any particular resolution of the Company or restricted to</li> </ul>	 (2) <u>All members shall have the right to (a)</u> <u>speak at a general meeting; and (b) vote</u> <u>at a general meeting except where a</u> <u>Member is required, by the Listing Rules,</u> to abstain from voting to approve the	
voting only for or only against any particular resolution of the Company, any votes cast by or on behalf of such Member in contravention of such requirement or restriction shall not be counted.	matter under consideration.	
Article 74	Article 74	
If:	If:	
the objection or error shall not vitiate the decision of the meeting or adjourned meeting on any resolution unless the same is raised or pointed out at the meeting or, as the case may be, the adjourned meeting at which the vote objected to is given or tendered or at which the error occurs. Any objection or error shall be referred to the chairman of the meeting and shall only vitiate the decision of the meeting on any resolution if the chairman decides that the same may have affected the decision of the meeting. The decision of the chairman on such matters shall be final and conclusive.	the objection or error shall not vitiate the decision of the meeting or adjourned <u>meeting or</u> <u>postponed</u> meeting on any resolution unless the same is raised or pointed out at the meeting or, as the case may be, the adjourned <u>meeting or</u> <u>postponed</u> meeting at which the vote objected to is given or tendered or at which the error occurs. Any objection or error shall be referred to the chairman of the meeting on any resolution if the chairman decides that the same may have affected the decision of the chairman on such matters shall be final and conclusive.	

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
Article 77	Article 77
The instrument appointing a proxy and (if required by the Board) the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed, or a certified copy of such power or authority, shall be delivered to such place or one of such places (if any) as may be specified for that purpose in or by way of note to or in any document accompanying the notice convening the meeting (or, if no place is so specified at the Registration Office or the Office, as may be appropriate) not less than forty eight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the person named in the instrument proposes to vote. No instrument appointing a proxy shall be valid after the expiration of twelve (12) months from the date named in it as the date of its execution, except at an adjourned meeting in cases where the meeting was originally held within twelve (12) months from such date. Delivery of an instrument appointing a proxy shall not preclude a Member from attending and voting in person at the meeting convened and in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.	(1) The Company may, at its absolute discretion, provide an electronic address for the receipt of any document or information relating to proxies for a general meeting (including any instrument of proxy or invitation to appoint a proxy, any document necessary to show the validity of, or otherwise relating to, an appointment of proxy (whether or not required under these Articles) and notice of termination of the authority of a proxy). If such an electronic address is provided, the Company shall be deemed to have agreed that any such document or information (relating to proxies as aforesaid) may be sent by electronic means to that address, subject as hereafter provided and subject to any other limitations or conditions specified by the Company when providing the address. Without limitation, the Company may from time to time determine that any such electronic address may be used generally for such matters or specifically for particular meetings or purposes and, if so, the Company may provide different purposes. The Company may also impose any conditions on the transmission of and its receipt of such electronic communications including, for the avoidance of doubt, imposing any security or encryption arrangements as may be specified by the Company. If any document or information required to be sent to the Company under this Article is sent to the Company be electronic means, such document or information is not treated as validly delivered to or deposited with the Company if the same is not received by the Company at its designated electronic address provided in accordance with this Article or if no electronic address is so designated by the Company for the receipt of such document or information.

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
	(2) The instrument appointing a proxy and (if required by the Board) the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed, or a certified copy of such power or authority, shall be delivered to such place or one of such places (if any) as may be specified for that purpose in or by way of note to or in any document accompanying the notice Notice convening the meeting (or, if no place is so specified at the Registration Office or the Office, as may be appropriate), or if the Company has provided an electronic address in accordance with the preceding paragraph, shall be received at the electronic address specified, not less than forty eight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting a proxy shall be valid after the expiration of twelve (12) months from the date named in it as the date of its execution, except at an adjourned meeting or postponed meeting in cases where the meeting was originally held within twelve (12) months from such date. Delivery of an instrument appointing a proxy shall not preclude a Member from attending and voting in person at the meeting convened and in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall not preclude a Member from attending and voting in person at the meeting convened and in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be revoked.
Article 78 Instruments of proxy shall be in any common form or in such other form as the Board may approve (provided that this shall not preclude the use of the two way form) and the Board may, if it thinks fit, send out with the notice of any meeting forms of instrument of proxy for use at the meeting. The instrument of proxy shall be deemed to confer authority to vote on any amendment of a resolution put to the meeting for which it is given as the proxy thinks fit. The instrument of proxy shall, unless the contrary is stated therein, be valid as well for any adjournment of the meeting as for the meeting to which it relates.	Article 78 Instruments of proxy shall be in any common form or in such other form as the Board may approve (provided that this shall not preclude the use of the two way form) and the Board may, if it thinks fit, send out with the <b>notice</b> Notice of any meeting forms of instrument of proxy for use at the meeting. The instrument of proxy shall be deemed to confer authority to vote on any amendment of a resolution put to the meeting for which it is given as the proxy thinks fit. The instrument of proxy shall, unless the contrary is stated therein, be valid as well for any adjournment or postponement of the meeting as for the meeting to which it relates. The Board may decide, either generally or in any particular case, to treat a proxy appointment as valid notwithstanding that the appointment or any of the information required under these Articles has not been received in accordance with the requirements of these Articles. Subject to aforesaid, if the proxy appointment and any of the information required under these Articles is not received in the manner set out in these Articles, the appointee shall not be entitled to vote in respect of the shares in question.

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
Article 79	Article 79
instrument of proxy shall be valid notwithstanding the previous death or insanity of	the Registration Office (or such other place as may be specified for the delivery of instruments of proxy in the <b>Notice</b> convening the meeting or other document sent therewith) two (2) hours at least before the commencement of the meeting or
Article 82	Article 82
to indicate, expressly or impliedly, unconditional approval) by or on behalf of all persons for the time being entitled to receive notice of and to attend and vote at general meetings of the Company shall, for the purposes of these Articles, be treated as a resolution duly passed at a general meeting of the Company and, where relevant, as a special resolution so passed. Any such resolution shall be deemed to have been passed at a meeting held on the date on which it was signed by the last Member to sign, and where the resolution states a date as being the date of his signature thereof by any Member the statement shall be prima facie evidence that it was signed by him on that date. Such a resolution may consist of several documents in the like	

Article before amendments			Article after amendments		
Article 83		Article 83			
(2)	Subject to the Articles and the Law, the Company may by ordinary resolution elect any person to be a Director either to fill a casual vacancy on the Board, or as an addition to the existing Board.	(2)	Subject to the Articles and the Law Act, the Company may by ordinary resolution elect any person to be a Director either to fill a casual vacancy on the Board, or as an addition to the existing Board.		
(3)	The Directors shall have the power from time to time and at any time to appoint any person as a Director either to fill a casual vacancy on the Board or as an addition to the existing Board. Any Director appointed by the Board to fill a casual vacancy shall hold office until the first general meeting of Members after his appointment and be subject to re-election at such meeting and any Director appointed by the Board as an addition to the existing Board shall hold office only until the next following annual general meeting of the Company and shall then be eligible for re-election.		The Directors shall have the power from time to time and at any time to appoint any person as a Director either to fill a casual vacancy on the Board or as an addition to the existing Board. Any Director <b>appointed</b> <b>by the Board to fill a casual vacancy shall</b> <b>hold office until the first general meeting</b> <b>of Members after his appointment and be</b> <b>subject to re-election at such meeting and</b> <b>any Director appointed by the Board as</b> <b>an addition to the existing Board so</b> <b>appointed</b> shall hold office <b>only</b> until the next following annual general meeting of the Company and shall then be eligible for re-election.		
(4)	Neither a Director nor an alternate Director shall be required to hold any shares of the Company by way of qualification and a Director or alternate Director (as the case may be) who is not a Member shall be entitled to receive notice of and to attend and speak at any general meeting of the Company and of all classes of shares of the Company.	(4)	Neither a Director nor an alternate Director shall be required to hold any shares of the Company by way of qualification and a Director or alternate Director (as the case may be) who is not a Member shall be entitled to receive notice <u>Notice</u> of and to attend and speak at any general meeting of the Company and of all classes of shares of the Company (6)A vacancy on the Board created by the removal of a Director under the provisions of subparagraph (5) above may be filled by the election or appointment by ordinary resolution <u>of</u> the Members at the meeting at which such Director is removed.		

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
Article 85	Article 85
meeting shall, unless recommended by the	intention to propose such person for election and also a Notice signed by the person to be proposed of his willingness to be elected shall have been lodged at the head office or at the Registration Office provided that the minimum length of the period, during which such Notice(s) are given, shall be at least seven (7) days and that (if the
Article 90	Article 90
An alternate Director shall only be a Director for the purposes of the Law and shall only be subject to the provisions of the Law insofar as they relate to the duties and obligations of a Director when performing the functions of the Director for whom he is appointed in the alternative and shall alone be responsible to the Company for his acts and defaults and shall not be deemed to be the agent of or for the Director appointing him	the purposes of the $Law$ Act and shall only be subject to the provisions of the $Law$ Act insofar as they relate to the duties and obligations of a Director when performing the functions of the Director for whom he is appointed in the alternative and shall alone be responsible to the
Article 98	Article 98
Subject to the Law and to these Articles, no Director or proposed or intending Director shall be disqualified by his office from contracting with the Company	Subject to the Law Act and to these Articles, no Director or proposed or intending Director shall be disqualified by his office from contracting with the Company

Article before amendments		Article after amendments	
Article 100		Article 100	
the appr any asso prol	Director shall not vote (nor be counted in quorum) on any resolution of the Board roving any contract or arrangement or other proposal in which he or any of his ociates is materially interested, but this hibition shall not apply to any of the owing matters namely:	(1) A Director shall not vote (nor be counted i the quorum) on any resolution of the Boar approving any contract or arrangement o any other proposal in which he or any of hi <u>close</u> associates is materially interested, bu this prohibition shall not apply to any of th following matters namely:	
(i) (ii) (iii) (iv)	concerning an offer of shares or debentures or other securities of or by the Company or any other company which the Company may promote or be interested in for subscription or purchase, where the Director or his associate(s) is/are or is/are to be interested as a participant in the underwriting or sub underwriting of the offer;	<ul> <li>(i) any contract or arrangement for the giving of any security or indemnite either:- <ul> <li>(a) to such the Director or his close associate(s) any security of indemnity in respect of mone lent by him or any of his associate(s) or obligation incurred or undertaken by him or any of his associate(s) them a the request of or for the benefit of the Company or any of it subsidiaries; or</li> <li>(b) any contract or arrangement for the giving of any security of indemnity to a third party i respect of a debt or obligation of the Company or any of it subsidiaries for which the Director or his close associate(shas himself/themselves assume responsibility in whole or in part and whether alone or joint under a guarantee or indemnity or by the giving of security;</li> <li>(ii) any contract or arrangement proposal concerning an offer or shares or debentures or othe securities of or by the Company or any of any the giving of security;</li> <li>(ii) any contract or arrangement proposal concerning an offer or shares or debentures or othe securities of or by the Company or any of any the giving of security;</li> </ul></li></ul>	

Article before amendments	Article after amendments	
(v) any proposal or arrangem concerning the adoption, modificati or operation of a share option scher a pension fund or retirement, death disability benefits scheme or oth arrangement which relates both Directors or his associate(s) and employees of the Company or of a of its subsidiaries and does r provide in respect of any Director, his associate(s), as such any privile or advantage not accorded generally the class of persons to which st scheme or fund relates.	(iii)       any proposal or arra- concerning the benefit of e         of the Company or its sul- including:         or       (a)         the adoption, modified operation of any er         share scheme or an         incentive or share         scheme under wh         Director or his         associate(s) may bene         h         (b)       the adoption, modified         operation of a pension         retirement, death or         benefits scheme whice         to the Director, h         associate(s) and emplet         the Company or an         subsidiaries and d         provide in respect         Director, or his         associate(s), as su         privilege or advant         generally accorded to         of persons to whi         scheme or fund relate         (iv)       any contract or arrangement         the Director or his close as         is/are interested in the same of         other holders of shares or do         or other securities of the Co         virtue only of his/their in	cation or nployees' ny share option ich the close fit; or cation or n fund or disability h relates is close oyee(s) of its oes not of any close not of any close ch any close ch any close ch such s; in which sociate(s) manner as ebentures mpany by nterest in or other <del>or</del> . <del>angement adoption, of a share fund or disability other s both to s) and to or of any accorded ersons to</del>

Article before amendments		Article after amendments		
Artio	cle 10	)1	Article 10	1
(4)	comperm Com Law of ac perm	ept as would, if the Company were a pany incorporated in Hong Kong, be hitted by Section 157H of the panies Ordinance (Chapter 32 of the s of Hong Kong) as in force at the date doption of these Articles, and except as hitted under the Law, the Company shall directly or indirectly: make a loan to a Director or a director of any holding company of the Company or to any of their respective associates (as defined by the rules, where applicable, of the Designated	eomj pern Com Law date exce The direc close woul Ordi Hon	ept as would, if the Company were a pany incorporated in Hong Kong, be nitted by Section 157H of the panies Ordinance (Chapter 32 of the s of Hong Kong) as in force at the of adoption of these Articles, and pt as permitted under the Law, the Company shall not <u>make any loan</u> , etly or indirectly:, to a Director or his associate(s) if and to the extent it id be prohibited by the Companies inance (Chapter 622 of the laws of g Kong) as if the Company were a pany incorporated in Hong Kong.
	(ii) (iii)	Stock Exchange); enter into any guarantee or provide any security in connection with a loan made by any person to a Director or such a director; or if any one or more of the Directors	(i)	make a loan to a Director or a director of any holding company of the Company or to any of their respective associates (as defined by the rules, where applicable, of the Designated Stock Exchange);
		hold (jointly or severally or directly or indirectly) a controlling interest in another company, make a loan to that other company or enter into any guarantee or provide any security in	<del>(ii)</del>	enter into any guarantee or provide any security in connection with a loan made by any person to a Director or such a director; or
		connection with a loan made by any person to that other company.	(iii)	if any one or more of the Directors hold (jointly or severally or directly or indirectly) a controlling interest in another company, make a loan to that other company or enter into any guarantee or provide any security in connection with a loan made by any person to that other company.
Arti	$\frac{1}{2}$	7	 Article 10	7
Article 107 The Board may exercise all the powers of the Company to raise or borrow money and to mortgage or charge all or any part of the undertaking, property and assets (present and future) and uncalled capital of the Company and, subject to the Law, to issue debentures, bonds and other securities, whether outright or as collateral security for any debt, liability or obligation of the Company or of any third party.		The Board Company mortgage undertakin future) an subject to bonds and collateral	d may exercise all the powers of the to raise or borrow money and to or charge all or any part of the ng, property and assets (present and d uncalled capital of the Company and, o the Law Act, to issue debentures, other securities, whether outright or as security for any debt, liability or	

Article after amendments	
Article 110	
<ul> <li></li> <li>(2) The Board shall cause a proper register to be kept, in accordance with the provisions of the Law Act, of all charges specifically affecting the property of the Company and of any series of debentures issued by the Company and shall duly comply with the requirements of the Law Act in regard to the registration of charges and debentures therein specified and otherwise.</li> </ul>	
Article 111	
The Board may meet for the despatch of business, adjourn <u>or postpone</u> and otherwise regulate its meetings as it considers appropriate. Questions arising at any meeting shall be determined by a majority of votes. In the case of any equality of votes the chairman of the meeting shall have an additional or casting vote.	
Article 112	
A meeting of the Board may be convened by the Secretary on request of a Director or by any Director. The Secretary shall convene a meeting of the Board whenever he shall be required so to do by any Director. Notice of a meeting of the Board shall be deemed to be duly given to a Director if it is given to such Director in writing or verbally (including in person or by telephone) or via by electronic mail means to an electronic address from time to time notified to the Company by such Director or (if the recipient consents to it being made available on a website) by making it available on a website or by telephone or in such other manner as the Board may from time to time determine whenever he shall be required so to do by any	

Article before amendments	Article after amendments	
Article 113	Article 113	
<ul> <li></li> <li>(2) Directors may participate in any meeting of the Board by means of a conference telephone or other communications equipment through which all persons participating in the meeting can communicate with each other simultaneously and instantaneously and, for the purpose of counting a quorum, such participation shall constitute presence at a meeting as if those participating were</li> </ul>	the Board by means of a conference telephone, electronic or other communications equipment through which all persons participating in the meeting can communicate with each other simultaneously and instantaneously and, for the purpose of counting a quorum, such participation shall constitute presence at a meeting as if those participating were	
present in person.  Article 115	present in person.  Article 115	
deputy chairman of its meetings and determine the period for which they are respectively to hold such office. If no chairman or deputy chairman is elected, or if at any meeting neither the chairman nor any deputy chairman is present within five	The Board may elect <b>a</b> one or more chairman and one or more deputy chairman of its meetings and determine the period for which they are respectively to hold such office. If no chairman or deputy chairman is elected, or if at any meeting <b>neither the no</b> chairman <b>nor any or</b> deputy chairman is present within five $(5)$ minutes after the time appointed for holding the same, the Directors present may choose one of their number to be chairman of the meeting.	

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
Article 119	Article 119
Directors except such as are temporarily unable to act through ill health or disability, and all the alternate Directors, if appropriate, whose appointors are temporarily unable to act as aforesaid shall (provided that such number is sufficient to constitute a quorum and further provided that a copy of such resolution has been given or the contents thereof communicated to all the Directors for the time being entitled to receive notices of Board meetings in the same manner as notices of meetings are required to be given by these Articles) be as valid and effectual as if a resolution had been passed at a meeting of the Board duly convened and held. Such resolution may be contained in one document or in several documents in like form each signed by one or more of the Directors or alternate Directors and for this purpose a facsimile signature of a Director or an alternate Director shall be treated as valid. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a resolution in writing shall not be passed in lieu of a meeting of the Board for the purposes of considering any matter or business in which a substantial shareholder of the Company or a Director has a conflict of interest and the Board has determined that such conflict of interest to be material.	appointors are temporarily unable to act as aforesaid shall (provided that such number is sufficient to constitute a quorum and further provided that a copy of such resolution has been given or the contents thereof communicated to all the Directors for the time being entitled to receive notices of Board meetings in the same manner as notices of meetings are required to be given by these Articles) be as valid and effectual as if a resolution had been passed at a meeting of the Board duly convened and held. <u>A</u> <b>notification of consent to such resolution given</b> <b>by a Director in writing to the Board by any</b> <b>means (including by means of electronic</b> <b>communication) shall be deemed to be his/her</b> <b>signature to such resolution in writing for the</b> <b>purpose of this Article.</b> Such resolution may be contained in one document or in several documents in like form each signed by one or more of the Directors or alternate Directors and for this purpose a facsimile signature of a Director or an alternate Director shall be treated as valid. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a resolution in writing shall not be passed in lieu of a meeting of the Board for the purposes of considering any matter or business in which a substantial shareholder of the Company or a Director has a conflict of interest and the Board has determined that such conflict of interest to be material.
<ul> <li>Article 124</li> <li>(1) The officers of the Company shall consist of a chairman, the Directors and Secretary and such additional officers (who may or may not be Directors) as the Board may from time to time determine, all of whom shall be deemed to be officers for the purposes of the Law and these Articles.</li> <li>(2) The Directors shall, as soon as may be after each appointment or election of Directors, elect amongst the Directors a chairman and if more than one (1) Director is proposed for this office, the election to such office shall take place in such manner as the Directors may determine.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>of a <u>at least one</u> chairman, the Directors and Secretary and such additional officers (who may or may not be Directors) as the Board may from time to time determine, all of whom shall be deemed to be officers for the purposes of the <u>Law Act</u> and these Articles.</li> <li>(2) The Directors shall, as soon as may be after each appointment or election of Directors,</li> </ul>
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Article before amendments	Article after amendments	
Article 125	Article 125	
(2) The Secretary shall attend all meetings of the Members and shall keep correct minutes of such meetings and enter the same in the proper books provided for the purpose. He shall perform such other duties as are prescribed by the Law or these Articles or as may be prescribed by the Board.	(2) The Secretary shall attend all meetings of the Members and shall keep correct minutes of such meetings and enter the same in the proper books provided for the purpose. He shall perform such other duties as are prescribed by the Law Act or these Articles or as may be prescribed by the Board.	
Article 127	Article 127	
A provision of the Law or of these Articles requiring or authorising a thing to be done by or to a Director and the Secretary shall not be satisfied by its being done by or to the same person acting both as Director and as or in place of the Secretary.	A provision of the <b>Law</b> <u>Act</u> or of these Articles requiring or authorising a thing to be done by or to a Director and the Secretary shall not be satisfied by its being done by or to the same person acting both as Director and as or in place of the Secretary.	
Article 128	Article 128	
more books at its Office a Register of Directors and Officers in which there shall be entered the full names and addresses of the Directors and Officers and such other particulars as required by the Law or as the Directors may determine. The Company shall send to the Registrar of Companies in the Cayman Islands a copy of such register, and shall from time to time notify to the	full names and addresses of the Directors and Officers and such other particulars as required by the <b>Law Act</b> or as the Directors may determine. The Company shall send to the Registrar of Companies in the Cayman Islands a copy of such register, and shall from time to time notify to the said Registrar of any change that takes place in	
Article 133	Article 133	
meeting may from time to time declare dividends in any currency to be paid to the Members but no dividend shall be declared in excess of the amount recommended by the Board.	-	
Article 134	Article 134	
profits of the Company, realised or unrealised, or	from any reserve set aside from profits which the Directors determine is no longer needed. With the sanction of an ordinary resolution dividends may also be declared and paid out of share premium account or any other fund or account	

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
Article 143	Article 143
The Board shall establish an account to be called the share premium account and shall carry to the credit of such account from time to time a sum equal to the amount or value of the premium paid on the issue of any share in the Company. Unless otherwise provided by the provisions of these Articles, the Board may apply the share premium account in any manner permitted by the Law. The Company shall at all times comply with the provisions of the Law in relation to the share premium account. Article 144	equal to the amount or value of the premium paid on the issue of any share in the Company. Unless otherwise provided by the provisions of these Articles, the Board may apply the share premium
the Board, at any time and from time to time pass an ordinary resolution to the effect that it is desirable to capitalise all or any part of any amount for the time being standing to the credit of any reserve or fund (including a share premium account and capital redemption reserve and the profit and loss account) whether or not the same is available for distribution and accordingly that such amount be set free for distribution among the Members or any class of Members who would be entitled thereto if it were distributed by way of dividend and in the same proportions, on the footing that the same is not paid in cash but is applied either in or towards paying up the amounts for the time being unpaid on any shares in the Company held by such Members respectively or in paying up in full	<ul> <li>the time being standing to the credit of any reserve or fund</li> <li>(2) Notwithstanding any provisions in these Articles, the Board may resolve to capitalise all or any part of any amount for the time being standing to the credit of any reserve or fund (including a share premium account and the profit and loss account) whether or not the same is available for distribution by applying such sum in paying up unissued shares to be allotted to (i) employees (including</li> </ul>
unissued shares, debentures or other obligations of the Company, to be allotted and distributed credited as fully paid up among such Members, or partly in one way and partly in the other, and the Board shall give effect to such resolution provided that, for the purposes of this Article, a share premium account and any capital redemption reserve or fund representing unrealised profits, may be applied only in paying up in full unissued shares of the Company to be allotted to such Members credited as fully paid.	corporation, partnership, association, joint-stock company, trust, unincorporated association or other entity (other than the Company) that directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by or is under common control with, the Company) upon exercise or
	whom shares are to be allotted and issued by the Company in connection with the operation of any share incentive scheme or employee benefit scheme or other arrangement which relates to such persons that has been adopted or approved by the Members at a general meeting.

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
Article 146	Article 146
The following provisions shall have effect to the extent that they are not prohibited by and are in compliance with the Law:	The following provisions shall have effect to the extent that they are not prohibited by and are in compliance with the <b>Law</b> <u>Act</u> :
Article 147	Article 147
The Board shall cause true accounts to be kept of the sums of money received and expended by the Company, and the matters in respect of which such receipt and expenditure take place, and of the property, assets, credits and liabilities of the Company and of all other matters required by the Law or necessary to give a true and fair view of the Company's affairs and to explain its transactions.	the property, assets, credits and liabilities of the Company and of all other matters required by the
Article 150	Article 150
applicable laws and regulations, provided that any person who is otherwise entitled to the annual financial statements of the Company and the directors' report thereon may, if he so requires by notice in writing served on the Company, demand that the Company sends to him, in addition to summarised financial statements, a complete printed copy of the	Subject to due compliance with all applicable Statutes, rules and regulations, including, without limitation, the <b>rules of the Designated</b> <b>Stock Exchange</b> Listing Rules, and to obtaining all necessary consents, if any, required thereunder, the requirements of Article 149 shall be deemed satisfied in relation to any person by sending to the person in any manner not prohibited by the Statutes, summarised financial statements derived from the Company's annual accounts and the directors' report which shall be in the form and containing the information required by applicable laws and regulations, provided that any person who is otherwise entitled to the annual financial statements of the Company and the directors' report thereon may, if he so requires by notice in writing served on the Company, demand that the Company sends to him, in addition to summarised financial statements, a complete printed copy of the Company's annual financial statement and the directors' report thereon.
Article 151	Article 151
Article 149 the documents referred to in that article or a summary financial report in	accordance with Article 150 shall be deemed satisfied where, in accordance with all applicable Statutes, rules and regulations, including, without limitation, the <b>rules of the Designated</b> <b>Stock Exchange Listing Rules</b> , the Company publishes copies of the documents referred to in Article 149 and, if applicable, a summary financial report complying with Article 150, on the Company's computer network or in any other permitted manner (including by sending any form of electronic communication), and that person has agreed or is deemed to have agreed to treat

Article before amendments Article after amendments		Article after amendments
Arti	cle 152	Article 152
(1)	At the annual general meeting or at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting in each year, the Members shall appoint an auditor to audit the accounts of the Company and such auditor shall hold office until the next annual general meeting. Such auditor may be a Member but no Director or officer or employee of the Company shall, during his continuance in office, be eligible to act as an auditor of the Company.	subsequent extraordinary general meeting in each year, the Members shall <u>by</u> <u>ordinary resolution</u> appoint an auditor to audit the accounts of the Company and such auditor shall hold office until the next annual general meeting. Such auditor may be a Member but no Director or officer or employee of the Company shall, during his continuance in office, be eligible to act as an auditor of the Company.
(2)	The Members may, at any general meeting convened and held in accordance with these Articles, by special resolution remove the Auditor at any time before the expiration of his term of office and shall by ordinary resolution at that meeting appoint another Auditor in his stead for the remainder of his term.	(2) The Members may, at any general meeting convened and held in accordance with these Articles, by special ordinary resolution remove the Auditor at any time before the expiration of his term of office and shall by ordinary resolution at that meeting appoint another Auditor in his stead for the remainder of his term.
Arti	cle 153	Article 153
	ect to the Law the accounts of the Company l be audited at least once in every year.	Subject to the <b>Law</b> Act the accounts of the Company shall be audited at least once in every year.
Arti	cle 154	Article 154
The remuneration of the Auditor shall be fixed by the Company in general meeting or in such manner as the Members may determine.		
Arti	cle 155	Article 155
resigned beconsor of requ	gnation or death of the Auditor, or by his ming incapable of acting by reason of illness ther disability at a time when his services are	illness or other disability at a time when his services are required, the Directors shall fill
		The Directors may fill any casual vacancy in the office of Auditor but while any such vacancy continues the surviving or continuing Auditor or Auditors, if any, may act. The remuneration of any Auditor appointed by the Directors under this Article may be fixed by the Board. Subject to Article 152(2), an Auditor appointed under this Article shall hold office until the next following annual general meeting of the Company and shall then be subject to appointment by the Members under Article 152(1) at such remuneration to be determined by the Members under Article 154.

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
Article 158	Article 158
Any Notice or document (including any "corporate communication" within the meaning ascribed thereto under the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange), whether or not, to be given or issued under these Articles from the Company to a Member shall be in writing or by cable, telex or facsimile transmission or communication and any such Notice and document may be served or delivered by the Company on or to any Member either personally or by sending it through the post in a prepaid envelope addressed to such Member at his registered address as appearing in the Register or at any other address supplied by him to the Company for the purpose or, as the case may be, by transmitting it to any such address or transmission number or electronic number or address or website supplied by him to the Company for the giving of Notice to him or which the person transmitting the notice reasonably and bona fide believes at the relevant time will result in the Notice being duly received by the Member or may also be served by advertisement in appropriate newspapers in accordance with the requirements of the Designated Stock Exchange or, to the extent permitted by the applicable laws, by placing it on the Company's website or the website of the Designated Stock Exchange, and giving to the member a notice stating that the notice or other document is available there (a "notice of availability"). The notice of availability may be given to the Member by any of the means set out above other than by posting it on a website. In the case of joint holders of a share all notices shall be given to that one of the joint holders.	"corporate communication" within the meaning ascribed thereto under the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules), whether or not, to be given or issued under these Articles from the Company shall be in writing or by cable, telex or facsimile transmission message or other form of electronic transmission or electronic communication and any such Notice and document may be served given or delivered issued by the Company on or to any Member either personally or by sending it through the post in a prepaid envelope addressed to such Member at his registered address as appearing in the Register or at any other address supplied by him to the Company for the purpose or, as the case may be, by transmitting it to any such address or transmitting it to any such address or transmitting it to any such address or transmitting the notice reasonably and bona fide believes at the relevant time will result in the Notice being duly received by the Member or may also be served by advertisement in appropriate newspapers in accordance with the requirements of the Designated Stock Exchange or, to the extent permitted by the applicable laws, by placing it on the Company's website or the website of the Designated Stock Exchange, and giving to the member a notice stating that the notice or other document is available there (a "notice of

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
	(b) by sending it through the post in a prepaid envelope addressed to such Member at his registered address as appearing in the Register or at any other address supplied by him to the Company for the purpose;
	(c) by delivering or leaving it at such address as aforesaid;
	(d) by placing an advertisement in appropriate newspapers or other publication and where applicable, in accordance with the requirements of the Designated Stock Exchange;
	(e) by sending or transmitting it as an electronic communication to the relevant person at such electronic address as he may provide under Article 158(5), subject to the Company complying with the Statutes and any other applicable laws, rules and regulations from time to time in force with regard to any requirements for the obtaining of consent (or deemed consent) from such person;
	(f)by publishing it on the Company's website to which the relevant person may have access, subject to the Company complying with the Statutes and any other applicable laws, rules and regulations from time to time in force with regard to any requirements for the obtaining of consent (or deemed consent) from such person and/or for giving notification to any such person stating that the notice, document or publication is available on the Company's computer network website (a "notice of availability"); or
	(g) by sending or otherwise making it available to such person through such other means to the extent permitted by and in accordance with the Statutes and other applicable laws, rules and regulations.

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
	(2) The notice of availability may be given by any of the means set out above other than by posting it on a website.
	(3) In the case of joint holders of a share all notices shall be given to that one of the joint holders whose name stands first in the Register and notice so given shall be deemed a sufficient service on or delivery to all the joint holders.
	(4) Every person who, by operation of law, transfer, transmission, or other means whatsoever, shall become entitled to any share, shall be bound by every notice in respect of such share, which, previously to his name and address (including electronic address) being entered in the Register as the registered holder of such share, shall have been duly given to the person from whom he derives title to such share.
	(5) Every Member or a person who is entitled to receive notice from the Company under the provisions of the Statutes or these Articles may register with the Company an electronic address to which notices can be served upon him.
	(6) Subject to any applicable laws, rules and regulations and the terms of these Articles, any notice, document or publication, including but not limited to the documents referred to in Articles, 149, 150 and 158 may be given in the English language only or in both the English language and the Chinese language or, with the consent of or election by any member, in the Chinese language only to such member.

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
Article 159	Article 159
<ul> <li>(c) if served or delivered in any other manner contemplated by these Articles, shall be deemed to have been served or delivered at the time of personal service or delivery or, as the case may be, at the time of the relevant despatch or transmission; and in proving such service or delivery a certificate in writing signed by the Secretary or other officer of the Company or other person appointed by the Board as to the act and time of such service, delivery, despatch or transmission shall be conclusive evidence thereof; and</li> <li>(d) may be given to a Member either in the English language or the Chinese language, subject to due compliance with all applicable Statutes, rules and regulations.</li> </ul>	shall be deemed to have been served on the day on which the notice, document or publication first so appears on the Company's website to which the relevant person may have access or the day on which the notice of availability is deemed to have been served or delivered to such person under these Articles, whichever is later;
	advertisement in a newspaper or other publication permitted under these Articles, shall be deemed to have been served on the day on which the advertisement first so appears.
Article 161	Article 161
For the purposes of these Articles, a facsimile or electronic transmission message purporting to come from a holder of shares or, as the case may be, a Director or alternate Director, or, in the case of a corporation which is a holder of shares from a director or the secretary thereof or a duly appointed attorney or duly authorised representative thereof for it and on its behalf, shall in the absence of express evidence to the contrary available to the person relying thereon at the relevant time be deemed to be a document or instrument in writing signed by such holder or Director or alternate Director in the terms in which it is received.	electronic transmission message purporting to come from a holder of shares or, as the case may be, a Director or alternate Director, or, in the case of a corporation which is a holder of shares from a director or the secretary thereof or a duly

Article before amendments		Arti	cle after amendments
Arti	cle 162	Artic	cle 162
(1)	The Board shall have power in the name and on behalf of the Company to present a petition to the court for the Company to be wound up.	(1)	<b>The</b> Subject to Article 162(2), the Board shall have power in the name and on behalf of the Company to present a petition to the court for the Company to be wound up.
(2)	A resolution that the Company be wound up by the court or be wound up voluntarily shall be a special resolution.	(2)	AUnless otherwise provided by the Act, a resolution that the Company be wound up by the court or bewound up voluntarily shall be a special resolution.
Arti	cle 163	Artic	ele 163
(1)	Subject to any special rights, privileges or restrictions as to the distribution of available surplus assets on liquidation for the time being attached to any class or classes of shares (i) (if the Company shall be wound up and the assets available for distribution amongst the Members shall be more than sufficient to repay the whole of the capital paid up at the commencement of the winding up, the excess shall be distributed pari passu amongst such members in proportion to the amount paid up on the shares held by them respectively and (ii) if the Company shall be wound up and the assets available for distribution amongst the Members as such shall be insufficient to repay the whole of the paid-up capital such assets shall be distributed so that, as nearly as may be, the losses shall be borne by the Members in proportion to the capital paid up, or which ought to have been paid up, at the commencement of the winding up on the shares held by them respectively.	(1)	Subject to any special rights, privileges or restrictions as to the distribution of available surplus assets on liquidation for the time being attached to any class or classes of shares (i) (if the Company shall be wound up and the assets available for distribution amongst <b>the</b> Members shall be more than sufficient to repay the whole of the capital paid up at the commencement of the winding up, the excess shall be distributed pari passu amongst such <b>members</b> Members in proportion to the amount paid up on the shares held by them respectively and (ii) if the Company shall be wound up and the assets available for distribution amongst the Members as such shall be insufficient to repay the whole of the paid-up capital such assets shall be distributed so that, as nearly as may be, the losses shall be borne by the Members in proportion to the capital paid up, or which ought to have been paid up, at the commencement of the winding up on the shares held by them respectively.
(2)	If the Company shall be wound up (whether the liquidation is voluntary or by the court) the liquidator may, with the authority of a special resolution and any other sanction required by the Law, divide among the Members in specie or kind the whole or any part of the assets of the Company and whether or not the assets shall consist of properties of one kind or shall consist of properties to be divided as aforesaid of different kinds, and may for such purpose set such value as he deems fair upon any one or more class or classes of property and may determine how such division shall be carried out as between the Members or different classes of Members. The liquidator may, with the like authority, vest any part of the assets in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the Members as the liquidator with the like authority shall think fit, and the liquidation of the Company may be closed and the Company dissolved, but so that no contributory shall be compelled to accept any shares or other property in respect of which there is a liability.	(2)	If the Company shall be wound up (whether the liquidation is voluntary or by the court) the liquidator may, with the authority of a special resolution and any other sanction required by the <b>Law Act</b> , divide among the Members in specie or kind the whole or any part of the assets of the Company and whether or not the assets shall consist of properties of one kind or shall consist of different kinds, and may for such purpose set such value as he deems fair upon any one or more class or classes of property and may determine how such division shall be carried out as between the Members. The liquidator may, with the like authority, vest any part of the assets in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the Members as the liquidator with the like authority shall think fit, and the liquidation of the Company may be closed and the Company dissolved, but so that no contributory shall be compelled to accept any shares or other property in respect of which there is a liability.

## **APPENDIX III**

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
(3) In the event of winding-up of the Company in Hong Kong, every Member who is not for the time being in Hong Kong shall be bound, within fourteen (14) days after the passing of an effective resolution to wind up the Company voluntarily, or the making of an order for the winding-up of the Company, to serve notice in writing on the Company appointing some person resident in Hong Kong and stating that person's full name, address and occupation upon whom all summonses, notices, process, orders and judgements in relation to or under the winding-up of the Company may be served, and in default of such nomination the liquidator of the Company shall be at liberty on behalf of such Member to appoint some such person, and service upon any such appointee, whether appointed by the Member or the liquidator, shall be deemed to be good personal service on such Member for all purposes, and, where the liquidator makes any such appointment, he shall with all convenient speed give notice thereof to such Member by advertisement as he shall deem appropriate or by a registered letter sent through the post and addressed to such Member at his address as appearing in the register, and such notice shall be deemed to be service on the day following that on which the advertisement first appears or the letter is posted.	(3) In the event of winding-up of the Company in Hong Kong, every Member who is not for the time being in Hong Kong shall be bound, within fourteen (14) days after the passing of an effective resolution to wind up the Company voluntarily, or the making of an order for the winding-up of the Company, to serve notice in writing on the Company appointing some person resident in Hong Kong and stating that person's full name, address and occupation upon whom all summonses, notices, process, orders and judgements in relation to or under the winding-up of the Company may be served, and in default of such nomination the liquidator of the Company shall be at liberty on behalf of such Member to appoint some such person, and service upon any such appointee, whether appointed by the Member or the liquidator, shall be deemed to be good personal service on such Member for all purposes, and, where the liquidator makes any such appointment, he shall with all convenient speed give notice thereof to such Member by advertisement as he shall deem appropriate or by a registered letter sent through the post and addressed to such Member at his address as appearing in the register, and such notice shall be deemed to be service on the day following that on which the advertisement first appears or the letter is posted.
Article 164	Article 164
<ul> <li>(1) The Directors, Secretary and other officers and every Auditor for the time being of the Company and the liquidator or trustees (if any) for the time being acting in relation to any of the affairs of the Company and everyone of them, and everyone of their heirs, executors and administrators, shall be indemnified and secured harmless out of the assets and profits of the Company.</li> </ul>	and every Auditor for the time being of the Company <u>at any time, whether at present</u> <u>or in the past,</u> and the liquidator or trustees (if any) for the time being acting <u>or who</u>
(New Clause)	FINANCIAL YEAR
(New Clause)	Article 165
	Unless otherwise determined by the Directors, the financial year of the Company shall end on the 31 day of March in each year.

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
Article 165	Article <u>166</u>
and no new Article shall be made until the same has been approved by a special resolution of the Members. A special resolution shall be required to alter the provisions of the memorandum of	No Article shall be rescinded, altered or amended and no new Article shall be made until the same has been approved by a special resolution of the Members. A special resolution shall be required to alter the provisions of the memorandum of association or to change the name of the Company.
Article 166	Article 167
of or any information respecting any detail of the Company's trading or any matter which is or may be in the nature of a trade secret or secret process which may relate to the conduct of the business of the Company and which in the opinion of the Directors it will be inexpedient in the interests of	No Member shall be entitled to require discovery of or any information respecting any detail of the Company's trading or any matter which is or may be in the nature of a trade secret or secret process which may relate to the conduct of the business of the Company and which in the opinion of the Directors it will be inexpedient in the interests of the <b>members of the Company</b> <u>Members</u> to communicate to the public.



# Hong Kong Finance Group Limited 香港信貸集團有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability) (Stock Code: 1273)

#### NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an annual general meeting of Hong Kong Finance Group Limited (the "**Company**") will be held at Room One & Two, 1/F, Pacific Club, Harbour City, Canton Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong, on Tuesday, 6 September 2022 at 4:00 p.m. for the following purposes:

- 1. To receive and approve the audited consolidated financial statements together with the directors' report and the independent auditor's report of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2022.
- 2. To declare a final dividend of HK1.3 cents per share for the year ended 31 March 2022.
- 3. To re-elect the following retiring directors of the Company:
  - (a) Mr. Tse Pui To; and
  - (b) Mr. Chan Siu Wing Raymond.
- 4. To authorise the board of directors of the Company to fix the directors' remuneration.
- 5. To re-appoint PricewaterhouseCoopers as auditors of the Company from the conclusion of this meeting until the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company, and to authorise the board of directors of the Company to fix their remuneration.

As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolutions as ordinary resolutions:

#### 6. **"THAT**:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, and pursuant to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") (the "Listing Rules"), the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined in this resolution) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and otherwise deal with any unissued shares of the Company and to make, issue or grant offers, agreements and options (including but not limited to warrants, bonds and debentures convertible into shares of the Company) which will or might require the exercise of such power, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) shall authorise the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including warrants, bonds and debentures convertible into shares of the Company) which will or might require the shares of the Company to be issued either during or after the end of the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined);
- (c) the aggregate number of shares allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted or issued (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the directors of the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined); or (ii) an issue of shares upon the exercise of options which may be granted under any share option scheme or under any option scheme 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 or any other person of shares or rights to acquire shares of the Company; or (iii) any scrip dividend schemes or similar arrangements providing for the allotment and issue of shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on shares of the Company in accordance with the articles of association of the Company; or (iv) a specific authority granted by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting, shall not exceed 20% of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the date of the 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 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 of the Cayman Islands to be held; or
- (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking, varying or renewing the authority given to the directors of the Company by this resolution; and

"**Rights Issue**" means an offer of shares of the Company or issue of option, warrants or other securities giving the right to subscribe for shares of the Company, open for a period fixed by the directors of the Company to holders of shares of the Company 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 (or, where appropriate, such other securities) (subject in all cases 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 in, any territory applicable to the Company)."

#### 7. **"THAT**:

- (a) subject to paragraph (b) below, the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all powers of the Company to repurchase shares of the Company on Stock Exchange or on any other stock exchange on which the shares of the Company may be listed and which is recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong and the Stock Exchange for this purpose, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and/or the requirements of the Listing Rules or of any other stock exchange as amended from time to time, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the aggregate number of the shares of the Company which the Company is authorised to repurchase pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) 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 authority granted pursuant to paragraph (a) above shall be limited accordingly; and
- (c) for the purposes 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; or

- (ii) 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 of the Cayman Islands to be held; or
- (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking, varying or renewing the authority given to the directors of the Company by this resolution."
- 8. "THAT conditional upon the ordinary resolutions numbered 6 and 7 set out in the notice of meeting of which this resolution forms part, the general mandate granted to the directors of the Company to allot, issue and otherwise deal with any unissued shares pursuant to the ordinary resolution numbered 6 be and is hereby extended by the addition to the aggregate number of the shares of the Company which may be allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted by the directors of the Company pursuant to such general mandate of an amount representing the aggregate number of the shares of the Company under to the authority as granted under the ordinary resolution numbered 7, provided that such extended number shall not exceed 10% of the total number of issued shares of the Company in issue at the date of the passing of this resolution."
- 9. To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as a special resolution:

"THAT the existing articles of association of the Company be amended in the manner as set out in the circular of the Company dated 20 July 2022 (the "Circular") and the amended and restated articles of association (the "Amended and Restated Articles of Association") in the form of the document marked "A" and produced to the meeting and for the purpose of identification initialed by the chairman of the meeting, which consolidates all the proposed amendments mentioned in the Circular, be approved and adopted in substitution for and to the exclusion of the existing articles of association of the Company (the "Articles of Association") with immediate effect and that the directors, the company secretary and the registered office provider of the Company be and are hereby authorised to do all things necessary to implement the adoption of the Amended and Restated Articles of Association, including but not limited to deal with all necessary filings in Hong Kong and the Cayman Islands in connection with the foregoing."

> By order of the Board Hong Kong Finance Group Limited Chan Kwong Yin William Chairman

Hong Kong, 20 July 2022

Notes:

<sup>1.</sup> A member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the meeting (the "**Member**") is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and, on a poll, vote on his behalf. A proxy need not be a Member.

- 2. In order to be valid, a form of proxy together with a power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy thereof, must be deposited with Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Union Registrars Limited (the "**Branch Registrar**"), at Suites 3301–04, 33/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square, 338 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or any adjournment thereof.
- 3. The register of members of the Company will be closed during the following periods, and no transfers of shares of the Company will be effected during such periods:
  - (i) from Thursday, 1 September 2022 to Tuesday, 6 September 2022, both days inclusive, for the purpose of ascertaining Shareholders' entitlement to attend and vote at the annual general meeting (the "AGM"). In order to be entitled to attend and vote at the AGM, all transfers of ordinary shares of the Company, duly accompanied by the relevant share certificates, must be lodged with Branch Share Registrar at the address set out above for registration no later than 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, 31 August 2022; and
  - (ii) from Tuesday, 13 September 2022 to Thursday, 15 September 2022, both days inclusive, for the purpose of ascertaining Shareholders' entitlement to the proposed final dividend for the year ended 31 March 2022. In order to determine entitlements to the proposed final dividend, all transfers of ordinary shares of the Company, duly accompanied by the relevant share certificates, must be lodged with the Branch Share Registrar at the address set out above for registration no later than 4:00 p.m. on Friday, 9 September 2022.
- 4. According to Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules and Article 66(1) of the articles of association of the Company, any vote of Shareholders at general meeting of the Company must be taken by poll. Therefore, all proposed resolutions put to the vote at the meeting will be taken by way of poll and the Company will announce the results of the poll in the manner prescribed under Rule 13.39(5) of the Listing Rules.
- 5. With regard to ordinary resolutions numbered 6 to 8 of this notice, the directors of the Company have no immediate plan to repurchase any existing shares in the Company or to issue any new shares in the Company. A circular giving details of the re-election of directors of the Company regarding ordinary resolution numbered 3 and general mandates to issue and to repurchase shares will be despatched to Shareholders of the Company. The biographical details of the retiring directors who are subject to re-election at the annual general meeting and an explanatory statement on the repurchase of shares are set out in Appendix II and Appendix I to the circular, respectively.
- 6. As at the date of this notice, the Company comprises Mr. Chan Kwong Yin William (Chairman), Mr. Chan Koung Nam and Mr. Tse Pui To (Chief Executive Officer) being the executive directors; and Mr. Chan Siu Wing Raymond, Mr. Chu Yat Pang Terry and Mr. Cheung Kok Cheong being the independent non-executive directors.
- 7. If Typhoon Signal No. 8 or above is expected to be hoisted or a Black Rainstorm Warning Signal is expected to be in force any time after 12:00 noon on the date of the AGM, then the AGM will be adjourned in accordance with the articles of association of the Company and the shareholders will be informed of the date, time and place of the adjourned meeting and, if necessary, be given notice thereof pursuant to the articles of association of the Company.
- 8. The Company will implement the following preventive measures at the AGM to minimise the risk of the spread of COVID-19:
  - Compulsory body temperature checks will be conducted on each attendee at the entrance of the AGM venue. Any attendee with a body temperature of over 37.4 degrees Celsius may be denied entry into the AGM venue, or be required to leave the AGM venue.
  - The Company requires each attendee to wear a surgical face mask throughout the AGM, and to maintain a safe distance between seats. No face mask will be provided at the AGM venue.
  - No refreshments or drinks will be provided to attendees at the AGM.
  - It is required to keep sufficient social distancing among all attendees. As a result, only a limited number of seats will be provided.

• Any additional precautionary measures in accordance with the prevailing requirements or guidelines of the HKSAR Government and/or regulatory authorities, or as considered appropriate in light of the development of COVID-19.

To protect the Shareholders form the risk of infection, the Company strongly recommends and encourages Shareholders to exercise their right by appointing the Chairman of the AGM as their proxy to vote on the relevant resolutions instead of attending the AGM in person.