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ECO-TEK HOLDINGS LIMITED

環康集團有限公司*

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock code: 8169)

PROPOSED CHANGE OF AUDITORS OF THE GROUP

The board of directors (the "Board") of Eco-Tek Holdings Limited (the "Company") announces that the Company was notified by a letter of resignation dated 17 September 2004 from Messrs. Ernst & Young ("E&Y") of their resignation as the auditors of the Company and its subsidiaries (the "Group") with effect from 21 September 2004, being the date of receipt of the letter of resignation from E&Y by the Company, since the Company and E&Y could not arrive at a consensus on the audit fees for the financial year ending 31 October 2004. E&Y have confirmed that there were no circumstances connected with their resignation which should be brought to the attention of the shareholders or creditors of the Company. The Board proposes to appoint Grant Thornton as the Group's auditors for the year ending 31 October 2004.

The Board confirms that the proposed change of auditors of the Group will not cause any delay in the announcement of the Group's annual results for the year ending 31 October 2004 and there were no other matters connected with E&Y's resignation which should be brought to the attention of the shareholders or creditors of the Company.

General

An extraordinary general meeting is proposed to be convened and held for the purpose of considering the proposed appointment of Grant Thornton as the auditors of the Group. A notice of the extraordinary general meeting will be issued as soon as practicable.

Directors of the Company

As at the date of this announcement, the directors of the Company are as follows:

Executive directors:

Dr. Chiang Lily Dr. Pau Kwok Ping Mr. Shah Tahir Hussain

Non-executive directors:

Dr. Lui Sun Wing

Mr. Young Meng Cheung Andrew

Independent Non-executive directors:

Ms. Chan Siu Ping Rosa Mr. Takeuchi Yutaka Professor Ni Jun

> By order of the Board Eco-Tek Holdings Limited

> > **Pau Kwok Ping** *Managing Director*

Hong Kong, 22 September 2004

* For identification purpose only.

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