



# 中國基礎能源控股有限公司 China Primary Energy Holdings Limited

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)  
(Stock Code : 8117)

## Third Quarterly Report

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***HIGHLIGHTS***

Revenue was approximately HK\$135,926,000 for the nine months ended 30 September 2017 (nine months ended 30 September 2016: approximately HK\$135,583,000), representing an increase of approximately 0.3% from the corresponding period of last year.

Loss attributable to owners of the Company amounted to approximately HK\$31,121,000 (nine months ended 30 September 2016: loss of approximately HK\$41,300,000).

The Board does not recommend the payment of any interim dividend for the nine months ended 30 September 2017 (nine months ended 30 September 2016: Nil).

***UNAUDITED RESULTS***

The board of Directors (the “Board”) of China Primary Energy Holdings Limited (the “Company”) announces the unaudited consolidated results of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the “Group”) for the nine months ended 30 September 2017 together with the comparative figures as follows. The consolidated third quarterly financial statements of the Group have not been audited but have been reviewed by the audit committee of the Company.

**UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF  
PROFIT OR LOSS AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME**

	Notes	Three months ended 30 September		Nine months ended 30 September	
		2017	2016	2017	2016
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Revenue	2	23,816	30,523	135,926	135,583
Other income and gains and losses	3	9,851	877	6,715	754
Cost of sales		(19,397)	(25,447)	(111,380)	(109,689)
Staff costs, including directors' remuneration		(9,003)	(10,105)	(27,051)	(30,343)
Depreciation		(4,357)	(3,331)	(11,307)	(9,925)
Amortisation of land use rights		(186)	(187)	(541)	(565)
Amortisation of other intangible assets		(242)	(374)	(888)	(1,086)
Other operating expenses		(6,702)	(8,636)	(20,290)	(23,423)
Share of losses of associates		(197)	(289)	(526)	(753)
Finance costs	4	(1,073)	(1,137)	(3,217)	(3,083)
Loss before income tax	5	(7,490)	(18,106)	(32,559)	(42,530)
Income tax	6	-	-	-	-
Loss for the period		(7,490)	(18,106)	(32,559)	(42,530)
Other comprehensive income:					
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:					
Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations		(803)	(1,202)	17,368	(8,169)
Other comprehensive income for the period		(803)	(1,202)	17,368	(8,169)
Total comprehensive income for the period		(8,293)	(19,308)	(15,191)	(50,699)



	Note	Three months		Nine months	
		ended 30 September		ended 30 September	
		2017	2016	2017	2016
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Loss attributable to:					
Owners of the Company		(6,004)	(16,294)	(31,121)	(41,300)
Non-controlling interests		(1,486)	(1,812)	(1,438)	(1,230)
		<u>(7,490)</u>	<u>(18,106)</u>	<u>(32,559)</u>	<u>(42,530)</u>
Total comprehensive income attributable to:					
Owners of the Company		(6,853)	(17,783)	(14,950)	(49,383)
Non-controlling interests		(1,440)	(1,525)	(241)	(1,316)
		<u>(8,293)</u>	<u>(19,308)</u>	<u>(15,191)</u>	<u>(50,699)</u>
Basic and diluted loss per share	8	<u>(0.64 cents)</u>	<u>(1.75 cents)</u>	<u>(3.34 cents)</u>	<u>(4.44 cents)</u>

## **NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

### **1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION AND PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The Company is a limited liability company incorporated in the Cayman Islands, as an exempted company under the Companies Law (2001 Revision) of the Cayman Islands on 5 September 2001. The address of its registered office is Cricket Square, Hutchins Drive, P.O. Box 2681, Grand Cayman KY1-1111, Cayman Islands and its principal place of business is in Hong Kong. The Company's shares are listed on the GEM of the Stock Exchange.

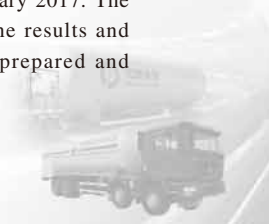
The principal activity of the Company is investment holding. The Group engages in the manufacture and sale of Polyethylene pipes ("PE pipes") and transmission and distribution of natural gas which operates primarily in the PRC market.

The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with all applicable Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards issued by Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA"), Hong Kong Accounting Standards ("HKASs") and interpretations (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "HKFRSs") and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance. In addition, the financial statements include applicable disclosures required by the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the GEM of the Stock Exchange. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention except for certain financial instruments, which are measured at fair values.

The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries. Inter-company transactions and balances between group companies together with unrealised profits are eliminated in full in preparing the consolidated financial statements. Unrealised losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence of impairment on the asset transferred, in which case the loss is recognised in profit or loss.

The accounting policies adopted in the unaudited condensed consolidated results are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2016.

In this reporting period, the Group had applied for the first time, a number of new HKFRSs and Hong Kong Accounting Standards ("HKAS") issued by the HKICPA that are effective for accounting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2017. The adoption of the new HKFRSs has had no material effect on how the results and financial position for the current or prior accounting period as prepared and presented.



## 2. REVENUE

Revenue represents the net invoiced amounts received and receivable for sales of PE pipes and natural gas to customers. An analysis of the Group's revenue is as follows:

	Three months ended 30 September		Nine months ended 30 September	
	2017 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2016 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2017 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2016 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)
Sales of PE pipes	7,159	8,262	37,039	26,873
Transmission and distribution of natural gas	16,657	22,261	98,887	108,710
	<u>23,816</u>	<u>30,523</u>	<u>135,926</u>	<u>135,583</u>

## 3. OTHER INCOME AND GAINS AND LOSSES

	Three months ended 30 September		Nine months ended 30 September	
	2017 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2016 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2017 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2016 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)
Sundry income	641	126	400	(4)
Bank interest income	18	132	64	229
Change in fair value of financial assets of fair value through profit or loss	(1,208)	424	(3,615)	757
Gain on disposal of partial interest of a subsidiary	-	-	41	-
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(2,111)	-	(2,111)	-
Fair value (loss)/gain on investments held for trading	(45)	195	(620)	(228)
Gain on disposal of subsidiaries (Note)	12,556	-	12,556	-
	<u>9,851</u>	<u>877</u>	<u>6,715</u>	<u>754</u>

*Note:* During the three months ended 30 September 2017, the Group disposed a wholly-owned subsidiary, Ningguo China Primary Energy Limited and recorded a gain on disposal.

#### 4. FINANCE COSTS

	Three months ended 30 September		Nine months ended 30 September	
	2017 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2016 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2017 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2016 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)
Interests on bank loan and other borrowings	1,001	443	2,119	1,627
Finance lease interest	72	694	1,098	1,456
	<u>1,073</u>	<u>1,137</u>	<u>3,217</u>	<u>3,083</u>

#### 5. LOSS BEFORE INCOME TAX

	Three months ended 30 September		Nine months ended 30 September	
	2017 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2016 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2017 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2016 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)
Loss before income tax is arrived at after charging:				
Minimum operating lease payments in respect of land and buildings	1,054	822	2,746	3,107
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment ( <i>Note</i> )				
– Owned	4,859	5,331	14,678	16,841
– Held under finance leases	574	320	1,769	1,112
	<u>574</u>	<u>320</u>	<u>1,769</u>	<u>1,112</u>





*Note:* Depreciation charge included amount of HK\$1,076,000 and HK\$5,140,000 respectively for the three months and nine months ended 30 September 2017 (three months and nine months ended 30 September 2016: HK\$2,319,000 and HK\$8,028,000 respectively) recognised as cost of sales for the periods under review.

## 6. INCOME TAX

Income tax in the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income represents:

	Three months ended 30 September		Nine months ended 30 September	
	2017 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2016 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2017 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	2016 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)
Income tax for the period	-	-	-	-

No provision has been made for Hong Kong profits tax as the Group has no assessable profit arising from Hong Kong during the current and prior periods. Taxation for overseas subsidiaries is charged at the appropriate current rates of taxation ruling in the relevant countries.

In accordance with the PRC Enterprise Income Tax Law approved by the National People's Congress on 16 March 2007 and became effective from 1 January 2008, the Group's subsidiaries in the PRC are subject to enterprise income tax ("EIT") at the unified EIT rate of 25%. No provision for EIT has been made as the subsidiary sustained a loss during the periods under review.

## 7. DIVIDEND

The board of directors does not recommend the payment of any interim dividend for the nine months ended 30 September 2017 (nine months ended 30 September 2016: Nil).

**8. LOSS PER SHARE**

The calculation of the basic and diluted loss per share attributable to owners of the Company is based on the following data:

<b>Three months</b>		<b>Nine months</b>	
<b>ended 30 September</b>		<b>ended 30 September</b>	
<b>2017</b>	2016	<b>2017</b>	2016
<b>HK\$'000</b>	HK\$'000	<b>HK\$'000</b>	HK\$'000
<b>(Unaudited)</b>	(Unaudited)	<b>(Unaudited)</b>	(Unaudited)

**Loss:**

Loss for the purposes of  
basic and diluted loss  
per share

<b>6,004</b>	16,294	<b>31,121</b>	41,300
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<b>Three months</b>		<b>Nine months</b>	
<b>ended 30 September</b>		<b>ended 30 September</b>	
<b>2017</b>	2016	<b>2017</b>	2016
<b>'000</b>	'000	<b>'000</b>	'000

**Number of shares:**

Weighted average number  
of ordinary shares for  
the purposes of basic  
and diluted loss per  
share

<b>930,898</b>	930,898	<b>930,898</b>	930,898
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As the convertible bonds and share options outstanding during the three months and nine months ended 30 September 2017 had an anti-dilutive effect on the basic loss per share, the conversion of the above potential dilutive shares was not assumed in the calculation of the diluted loss per share in the three months and nine months ended 30 September 2017. Accordingly, the basic and diluted loss per share for the respective reporting periods are the same.



## 9. UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

	Equity attributable to owners of the Company								Total equity HK\$'000
	Share capital HK\$'000	Share premium account HK\$'000	Convertible bonds equity reserve HK\$'000	Statutory surplus reserve HK\$'000	Exchange translation reserve HK\$'000	Share option reserve HK\$'000	Accumulated losses HK\$'000	Non-controlling interests HK\$'000	
Balance at 1 January 2016	58,181	657,018	80,179	5,240	44,081	7,976	(485,982)	21,356	388,049
Loss for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-	(41,300)	(1,230)	(42,530)
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	(8,083)	-	-	(86)	(8,169)
Total comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	(8,083)	-	(41,300)	(1,316)	(50,699)
Equity settled share-based transactions	-	-	-	-	-	8,094	-	-	8,094
Capital contribution to a non-wholly owned subsidiary by a non-controlling shareholder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,370	3,370
Balance at 30 September 2016	<u>58,181</u>	<u>657,018</u>	<u>80,179</u>	<u>5,240</u>	<u>35,998</u>	<u>16,070</u>	<u>(527,282)</u>	<u>23,410</u>	<u>348,814</u>
	Equity attributable to owners of the Company								
	Share capital HK\$'000	Share premium account HK\$'000	Convertible bonds equity reserve HK\$'000	Statutory surplus reserve HK\$'000	Exchange translation reserve HK\$'000	Share option reserve HK\$'000	Accumulated losses HK\$'000	Non-controlling interests HK\$'000	Total equity HK\$'000
Balance at 1 January 2017	58,181	657,018	80,179	5,240	18,385	18,525	(545,243)	23,400	315,685
Loss for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-	(31,121)	(1,438)	(32,559)
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	16,171	-	-	1,197	17,368
Total comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	16,171	-	(31,121)	(241)	(15,191)
Equity settled share-based transactions	-	-	-	-	-	8,013	-	-	8,013
Disposal of partial interest of a wholly owned subsidiary and acquisition of interest in a non-wholly owned subsidiary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,963	7,963
Disposal of subsidiaries	-	-	-	(131)	-	-	-	-	(131)
Balance at 30 September 2017	<u>58,181</u>	<u>657,018</u>	<u>80,179</u>	<u>5,109</u>	<u>34,556</u>	<u>26,538</u>	<u>(576,364)</u>	<u>31,122</u>	<u>316,339</u>

## **MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS**

### **Business review and future outlook**

Revenue of the Group for the nine months ended 30 September 2017 increased when compared to the corresponding period in 2016. Such increase was mainly because in 2017, the natural gas business continued to grow and contribute significant revenue to the Group. The board (the “Board”) of directors (the “Director(s)”) believes that revenue of the Group will be further improved with the development of the natural gas business, plus the upcoming trading business and anticipated improvement of the Polyethylene pipes (“PE pipes”) business. Therefore, the results of the Group will be improved accordingly.

After years of business transformation, the natural gas business has become the core business of the Group. Operating performance of the natural gas business segment continued to grow in 2017. In view of the People’s Republic of China (the “PRC”) government has implemented the policy to use clean energy in the PRC, the prospect of natural gas business is very bright. As a result of various acquisitions and investments of the natural gas business in the past two years, the Group operated the natural gas business in various areas and provinces in the PRC. Our customers include industrial and domestic customers. In 2016, the Group disposed certain assets of some subsidiaries which had low profitability and high management cost. Similar disposals may occur again in the future. The Group will focus its resources in the development of piped natural gas business with commercial and industrial clients of a larger business scale. The Group is also exploring natural gas related areas such as electricity generating business so as to fully use the synergy effect on current natural gas business. The Group is of the view that the natural gas business is still growing and is now the most significant business of the Group.

The manufacturing segment has been the major business segment of the Group in previous years and continued as one of the businesses of the Group in 2017. The PE pipes are the major products of the manufacturing segment and include both water pipes and gas pipes. They are products used for construction and city development in the PRC. The Group’s major customers are the government and public entities, or their suppliers, from different provinces and cities in the PRC. With the anticipated improvement of revenue and a strengthened customer portfolio, the PE pipes business will be improved in the long term.



From November 2017 onwards, the Group commenced its trading business segment. With the international trading platform in Hong Kong and the built up business relationship of the Group, the trading segment is anticipated to grow with variety of trading products such as natural gas, electronic components and consumables.

In view of the unstable global political environment and the pressure on economic downturn, the Board and management will be more careful and prudent in managing the operations of the Group. In the meantime, the Board has been exploring possible investing opportunities to increase the Company's value.

### **Financial review**

Revenue was approximately HK\$135,926,000 for the nine months ended 30 September 2017, which represented an increase of approximately 0.3% when compared with approximately HK\$135,583,000 in the corresponding period of last year. The Board believes that revenue of the Group will be further improved with the continue growing of the natural gas business, the commencement of the trading business and anticipated improvement of the manufacturing business.

For the nine months ended 30 September 2017, unaudited loss before income tax was approximately HK\$32,559,000 (nine months ended 30 September 2016: loss of approximately HK\$42,530,000). The loss attributable to owners of the Company was approximately HK\$31,121,000 (nine months ended 30 September 2016: loss of approximately HK\$41,300,000). Significant loss is mainly due to insufficient revenue generated in the reporting period. In the current economic environment, the Board will continue to exercise stringent cost control and maintain a low and effective overheads structure and prudently utilise the Group's corporate resources to create wealth for the shareholders.

### **Liquidity and financial resources**

As at 30 September 2017, the Directors anticipated that the Group has adequate financial resources to meet its ongoing operations and future development.

***DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVES' INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS IN THE SHARES, UNDERLYING SHARES AND DEBENTURES OF THE COMPANY OR ANY ASSOCIATED CORPORATION***

As at 30 September 2017, the interests and short positions of the directors and the chief executive of the Company in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company or its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (the "SFO")), as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company under Section 352 of the SFO, or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Rule 5.46 of the GEM Listing Rules, were as follows:

The approximate percentage of interests set out below is based on 930,897,672 ordinary shares in issue as at 30 September 2017.

- (i) *Long position in the ordinary shares of HK\$0.0625 each in the Company as at 30 September 2017:*

Name of Director	Type of interests	Number of ordinary shares held		Approximate percentage of interests
			Number of ordinary shares	
Ms. Ma Zheng	Beneficial		371,051,632	39.86%

- (ii) *Long position in the underlying shares or debentures of the Company as at 30 September 2017:*

Name of Directors	Type of interests	Description of securities	Number of underlying shares	Approximate percentage of interests
Ms. Ma Zheng	Beneficial	Share options (Note)	820,000	0.09%
Mr. Wong Pui Yiu	Beneficial	Share options (Note)	3,500,000	0.38%
Mr. Wan Tze Fan Terence	Beneficial	Share options (Note)	700,000	0.08%
Mr. Chung Chin Keung	Beneficial	Share options (Note)	700,000	0.08%
Mr. Wang Xiao Bing	Beneficial	Share options (Note)	700,000	0.08%

*Note:* On 10 April 2015, a total of 6,420,000 share options were granted to Directors as to 820,000 share options to Ms. Ma Zheng, as to 3,500,000 share options to Mr. Wong Pui Yiu, as to 700,000 share options to Mr. Wan Tze Fan Terence, as to 700,000 share options to Mr. Chung Chin Keung and as to 700,000 share options to Mr. Wang Xiao Bing. For further details of the share options granted, please refer to the announcement dated 10 April 2015 of the Company and under the heading “Share option” below.

Save as disclosed above, as at 30 September 2017, none of the Directors and chief executive of the Company had any other interests or short positions in the shares or underlying shares in, or debentures of, the Company or its associated corporations, within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to Section 352 of the SFO, or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Rule 5.46 of the GEM Listing Rules.

### ***SHARE OPTION***

On 8 May 2012, a new share option scheme (the “Share Option Scheme”) was adopted by the shareholders of the Company. The purpose of the Share Option Scheme is to provide incentives and rewards to eligible participants who would contribute to the success of the Group’s operations. Under the terms of the Share Option Scheme, the Board may, at its discretion, grant share options to any full-time employee and any Director of the Company or its subsidiaries, including any executive, non-executive or independent non-executive directors. The total number of shares which may fall to be issued upon exercise of all of the outstanding share options granted and yet to be exercised under the Share Option Scheme and other schemes of the Company must not exceed 30% of the shares in issue from time to time. The Share Option Scheme will remain in force for a period of ten years commencing the date on which the scheme becomes unconditional.

The Share Option Scheme was adopted by the shareholders of the Company at the annual general meeting of the Company held on 8 May 2012.

The definition of eligible person in the Share Option Scheme include any suppliers, consultants, agents, advisors and distributors who, in the sole discretion of the Board, have contributed or may contribute to the Group. The total number of shares in respect of which share options may be granted under the Share Option Scheme is not permitted to exceed 10% of the shares of the Company in issue as at the date of approval of the Share Option Scheme, without prior approval from the Company's shareholders. The number of shares in respect of which share options may be granted to any individual in any 12-month period is not permitted to exceed 1% of the shares of the Company in issue at any point of time, without prior approval from the Company's shareholders.

Where options are proposed to be granted to a connected person who is also a substantial shareholder or an independent non-executive Director or their respective associates and if such grant would result in the total number of shares issued and to be issued upon exercise of the share options granted and to be granted (including share options exercised, cancelled and outstanding) in any 12-month period up to and including the date of grant to such person representing in aggregate over 0.1% of the total issued shares and having an aggregate value, based on the closing price of the securities at the date of each grant, in excess of HK\$5 million, then the proposed grant must be subject to the approval of shareholders of the Company taken on a poll in a general meeting. All connected persons of the Company must abstain from voting at such general meeting.

The exercise price for shares under the Share Option Scheme may be determined by the Board at its absolute discretion but in any event will not be less than the highest of: (i) the closing price of the shares as stated in the daily quotations sheet of the Stock Exchange on the date of grant, which must be a Business Day; (ii) the average of the closing prices of the shares as stated in the daily quotations sheets of the Stock Exchange for the five Business Days immediately preceding the date of grant; and (iii) the nominal value of the share on the date of grant. Any share options granted under the Share Option Scheme shall end in any event not later than ten years from the Commencement Date (as defined in the Share Option Scheme). A nominal value of HK\$1.00 is payable on acceptance of each grant of share options.

On 10 April 2015, share options of 81,720,000 were granted by the Company to certain individuals at exercise price HK\$0.87 per share.





As at 30 September 2017, total number of share options can be granted to qualified grantees or granted but not yet lapsed or cancelled were 168,559,767. As a result, 168,559,767 shares of the Company could be issued which represented about 18.11% of the issued share capital of the Company as at 30 September 2017 if all the share options were granted and exercised.

Details of the share options granted by the Company under the Share Option Scheme to eligible persons and movement in such holding during the period are as follows:

Name or category of participant	Date of grant	Exercise period	Exercise price per share HK\$	Number of share options		
				Outstanding as at 1 January 2017	Lapsed during the period	Outstanding as at 30 September 2017
<b>Directors</b>						
Ms. Ma Zheng	10 April 2015	1 April 2018 – 7 May 2022	0.87	820,000	–	820,000
Mr. Wong Pui Yiu	10 April 2015	1 April 2018 – 7 May 2022	0.87	3,500,000	–	3,500,000
Mr. Wan Tze Fan Terence	10 April 2015	1 April 2018 – 7 May 2022	0.87	700,000	–	700,000
Mr. Chung Chin Keung	10 April 2015	1 April 2018 – 7 May 2022	0.87	700,000	–	700,000
Mr. Wang Xiao Bing	10 April 2015	1 April 2018 – 7 May 2022	0.87	700,000	–	700,000
<b>Sub-total</b>				<b>6,420,000</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>6,420,000</b>
<b>Others</b>						
Employees	10 April 2015	1 April 2018 – 7 May 2022	0.87	69,950,000	(900,000)	69,050,000
<b>Sub-total</b>				<b>69,950,000</b>	<b>(900,000)</b>	<b>69,050,000</b>
<b>Total</b>				<b>76,370,000</b>	<b>(900,000)</b>	<b>75,470,000</b>

### ***SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS' INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS IN THE SHARES AND UNDERLYING SHARES OF THE COMPANY***

The register of substantial shareholders maintained under Section 336 of the SFO shows that as at 30 September 2017, the Company had been notified that the following substantial shareholders having the following interests and short positions, being 5% or more of the nominal value of any class of share capital carrying rights to vote in all circumstances at general meetings of the Company, in the Company. These interests are shown in addition to those disclosed above in respect of the Directors and chief executives:

The approximate percentage of interests set out below is based on 930,897,672 ordinary shares in issue as at 30 September 2017.

(i) *Long position in the ordinary shares of HK\$0.0625 each in the Company as at 30 September 2017:*

<b>Name of shareholders</b>	<b>Type of interests</b>	<b>Number of the shares held</b>	<b>Approximate percentage of interests</b>
Ms. Guo Xiuqin	Corporate	123,867,678	13.31%
Tung Shing Energy Investment Limited	Corporate	123,867,678	13.31%
Excel Sino Investments Limited	Beneficial (Note 1)	123,867,678	13.31%
Mr. Ji Shengzhi	Corporate	110,000,000	11.82%
Ms. Lu Ke	Corporate	110,000,000	11.82%
Ultra Vantage Holdings Limited	Beneficial (Note 2)	110,000,000	11.82%



*Notes:*

1. Excel Sino Investments Limited, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands with limited liability, is beneficially owned as to 80% by Tung Shing Energy Investment Limited, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands (which in turn is 100% beneficially owned by Ms. Guo Xiuqin), and as to the remaining 20% by an independent investor. Tung Shing Energy Investment Limited and Ms. Guo Xiuqin are deemed to be interested in these underlying shares under SFO.
2. Ultra Vantage Holdings Limited, a company incorporated in Samoa with limited liability, is jointly owned by Ms. Lu Ke and Mr. Ji Shengzhi. Ms. Lu Ke and Mr. Ji Shengzhi are deemed to be interested in these underlying shares under SFO.

(ii) *Long position in the underlying shares or debentures of the Company as at 30 September 2017:*

<b>Name</b>	<b>Type of interests</b>	<b>Description of derivatives</b>	<b>Number of underlying shares</b>	<b>Approximate percentage of interests</b>
Golden Peak Minerals Limited	Beneficial	Convertible Bonds in the principal amount of HK\$60,000,000 <i>(Note)</i>	60,000,000	6.45%

*Note:*

On 17 February 2015, the Company entered into the conditional subscription agreement with Golden Peak Minerals Limited (the “CB Subscriber”), a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands with limited liability, pursuant to which the CB Subscriber has conditionally agreed to subscribe for and the Company has conditionally agreed to issue the five-year 4.5% coupon unlisted convertible bonds in principal amount of HK\$60,000,000 (the “Convertible Bonds”). Details are set out in the announcements dated 17 February 2015 and 8 April 2015 and the circular dated 11 March 2015 of the Company. As at the date of this report, Golden Peak Minerals Limited is jointly owned by Mr. He Xiaoyang and Mr. Yao Ge, both are independent third parties.

The Convertible Bonds were issued on 8 May 2015.

Save as disclosed above, as at 30 September 2017, the Directors are not aware of any other person (other than the Directors or chief executive of the Company) who had an interest or short position in the shares and underlying shares which would fall to be disclosed to the Company under Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO, or who had an interest, directly or indirectly, in 5% or more of the nominal value of any class of share capital carrying rights to vote in all circumstances at general meetings of the Company, or any other substantial shareholders whose interests or short position were recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company under Section 336 of the SFO.

### ***DIRECTORS' RIGHTS TO ACQUIRE SHARES***

Save as disclosed above, at no time during the period under review was the Company or any of its subsidiaries a party to any arrangement to enable the Directors or their respective spouse or children under 18 years of age to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in, or debentures of, the Company or any other body corporate.

### ***COMPETITION AND CONFLICT OF INTERESTS***

During the period under review, none of the Directors, significant shareholders, substantial shareholders and any of their respective associates had been engaged in any business that competed or might compete directly or indirectly, with the business of the Group, or had or might have any other conflicts of interest with the Group.

### ***AUDIT COMMITTEE***

The Company established an audit committee (the "Audit Committee") with written terms of reference in compliance with Rules 5.28 and 5.29 of the GEM Listing Rules. The primary role and function of the Audit Committee, among other things, are to (i) review the financial controls, internal controls and risk management systems of the Group; (ii) review and monitor the external auditors' independence and objectivity and the effectiveness of the audit process in accordance with applicable standards; and (iii) review the financial statements and the quarterly, interim and annual reports of the Group. During the period under review, the Audit Committee comprises three members, Mr. Wan Tze Fan Terence, Mr. Chung Chin Keung and Mr. Wang Xiao Bing who are the independent non-executive Directors of the Company. The Audit Committee has reviewed the Group's unaudited results for the nine months ended 30 September 2017 and has provided advice and comments thereon.



### ***REMUNERATION COMMITTEE***

The remuneration committee of the Company (the “Remuneration Committee”) was established on 1 June 2005. The primary role and function of the Remuneration Committee is to consider and recommend to the Board on the Group’s remuneration policy and structure for the remuneration of all executive Directors and senior management and to review and determine the remuneration packages of the executive Directors and senior management. During the period under review, the Remuneration Committee comprises three members, Mr. Wan Tze Fan Terence, Mr. Chung Chin Keung and Mr. Wang Xiao Bing who are the independent non-executive Directors of the Company.

### ***NOMINATION COMMITTEE***

The nomination committee of the Company (the “Nomination Committee”) was established on 22 March 2012. The primary role and function of the Nomination Committee, among other things, are to (i) review the structure, size and composition of the Board at least once a year and make recommendations on any proposed changes to the Board to complement the Company’s corporate strategy; (ii) assess the independence of the independent non-executive Directors; and (iii) make recommendations to the Board on appointment and re-appointment of Directors. During the period under review, the Nomination Committee comprises three members, Mr. Wan Tze Fan Terence, Mr. Chung Chin Keung and Mr. Wang Xiao Bing who are the independent non-executive Directors of the Company.

### ***PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF SECURITIES***

The Company had not redeemed any of its ordinary shares during the nine months ended 30 September 2017. Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries had purchased or sold any of the Company’s ordinary shares during the nine months ended 30 September 2017.

By Order of the Board  
**China Primary Energy Holdings Limited**  
**Ma Zheng**  
*Chairman*

Hong Kong, 13 November 2017

*As at the date of this report, the Board comprises Ms. MA Zheng and Mr. WONG Pui Yiu who are the executive Directors, and Mr. WAN Tze Fan Terence, Mr. CHUNG Chin Keung and Mr. WANG Xiao Bing who are the independent non-executive Directors.*