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CHINA EVERGRANDE GROUP

中國恒大集團

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 3333)

POSITIVE PROFIT ALERT

This announcement is made by China Evergrande Group (the “**Company**”, and together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) pursuant to the Inside Information Provisions (as defined in the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “**Listing Rules**”)) under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Cap. 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong) and Rule 13.09 of the Listing Rules.

The board of directors (the “**Board**”) of the Company wishes to inform shareholders of the Company and potential investors that, based on the information currently available to the management, the Group is expected to record a substantial increase in its profit attributable to the Company’s shareholders and the net profit from the core business for the year ended 31 December 2017 as compared with the previous year. Of which, the profit attributable to shareholders is expected to be 4 to 5 times of that of last year, and the net profit from the core business is expected to be approximately 2 times of that of last year. The substantial increase was primarily attributable to the improvement in product quality, enhancement of product added value, reduction in expenses, increase in the floor area of properties delivered and the redemption of the perpetual capital instruments by the Group during the relevant period.

The information contained in this announcement is only based on the preliminary review by the Company’s management on the financial information currently available to it and is not based on any figures or information that has been audited or reviewed by the auditors or the audit committee of the Company. Shareholders and potential investors are advised to read carefully the results announcement of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2017 which is expected to be published in late March 2018.

Shareholders of the Company and potential investors are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the securities of the Company.

By order of the board
China Evergrande Group
Hui Ka Yan
Chairman

Hong Kong, 8 March 2018

As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. Hui Ka Yan, Mr. Xia Haijun, Ms. He Miaoling, Mr. Shi Junping, Mr. Pan Darong and Mr. Huang Xiangui, and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. Chau Shing Yim, David, Mr. He Qi and Ms. Xie Hongxi.