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(Stock Code: 3988 and 4601 (Preference Shares))

ANNOUNCEMENT

Date of Board Meeting

The Board of Directors of the Bank (the "**Board**") hereby announces that a meeting of the Board will be held on Friday, 27 April 2018 for the purpose of considering and approving, among other things, the unaudited results of the Bank and its subsidiaries for the first quarter ended 31 March 2018.

By Order of the Board

Bank of China Limited

MEI Feiqi

Company Secretary

Beijing, PRC 17 April 2018

As at the date of this announcement, the directors of the Bank are: Chen Siqing, Ren Deqi, Zhang Xiangdong*, Li Jucai*, Xiao Lihong*, Wang Xiaoya*, Zhao Jie*, Nout Wellink[#], Lu Zhengfet[#], Leung Cheuk Yan[#], Wang Changyun[#] and Angela Chao[#].

- * Non-executive Directors
- * Independent Non-executive Directors