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**EXPERT**

**EXPERT SYSTEMS HOLDINGS LIMITED**

**思博系統控股有限公司**

*(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)*

**(Stock code: 8319)**

## **PROFIT WARNING**

This announcement is made by Expert Systems Holdings Limited (the “**Company**”), together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) pursuant to Rule 17.10 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on Growth Enterprise Market of the Stock Exchange (the “**GEM Listing Rules**”) and the Inside Information Provisions (as defined under the GEM Listing Rules) under Part XIVA of the Securities and Future Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

The board (the “**Board**”) of directors (the “**Director(s)**”) of the Company wishes to inform the shareholders of the Company (the “**Shareholders**”) and potential investors that based on the information currently available to the Board, the Group is estimated to record a substantial decrease in net profit for the nine months ended 31 December 2017 (“**Q3 FY2018**”), as compared to that of the corresponding period of 2016.

As reported in the interim report of the Company for the six months ended 30 September 2017, the market conditions and economic outlook remain weak, which cast uncertainty on the overall demand of the Group’s customers for IT infrastructure solutions. The estimated decrease in net profit for Q3 FY2018 is mainly due to the decrease in gross profit margin during the period as a result of the Group’s efforts in maintaining its market share by offering more competitive pricing under the challenging business environment.

The Company is still in the progress of finalizing its unaudited consolidated results for Q3 FY2018. The information contained in this announcement is only based on the preliminary assessment by the Board with reference to the information currently available as aforementioned, which has not been reviewed by the audit committee of the Company, and is therefore subject to change and adjustment. Shareholders and potential investors are advised to read carefully the quarterly results announcement of the Company for Q3 FY2018, which will be published in early to mid-February 2018 in accordance with the requirements of the GEM Listing Rules.

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

By order of the Board  
**Expert Systems Holdings Limited**  
**Wong Chu Kee Daniel**  
*Chairman and non-executive Director*

Hong Kong, 23 January 2018

*As at the date of this announcement, the Board composition is as follows:*

*Chairman and non-executive Director:*

Mr. Wong Chu Kee Daniel

*Chief executive officer and executive Director:*

Mr. Lau Wai Kwok

*Executive Directors:*

Ms. Lau Tsz Yan

Mr. So Cheuk Wah Benton

*Non-executive Directors:*

Mr. Chu Siu Sum Alex

Mr. Chan Kin Mei Stanley

*Independent non-executive Directors:*

Mr. Au Yu Chiu Steven

Mr. Chung Fuk Wing Danny

Mr. Ko Man Fu

Mr. Mak Wai Sing

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