DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE CONTENTS IN THIS PROSPECTUS

This prospectus, for which our Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to our Company. Our Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that to the best of their knowledge and belief the information contained in this prospectus is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this prospectus misleading.

UNDERWRITING

This prospectus is published solely in connection with the Hong Kong Public Offer which forms part of the Global Offering. For applicants under the Hong Kong Public Offer, this prospectus and the Application Forms set out the terms and conditions of the Hong Kong Public Offer.

The Listing is sponsored by the Sole Sponsor. The Hong Kong Public Offer is fully underwritten by the Hong Kong Underwriters under the terms of the Hong Kong Underwriting Agreement and the International Placing is expected to be fully underwritten by the International Underwriters pursuant to the International Underwriting Agreement to be entered into among the parties thereto. The Global Offering is managed by the Sole Global Coordinator.

For information about the Underwriters and the underwriting arrangements, please refer to "Underwriting" in this prospectus.

INFORMATION ON THE GLOBAL OFFERING

The Offer Shares are offered solely on the basis of the information contained and representations made in this prospectus and the Application Forms and on the terms and subject to the conditions set out herein and therein. No person is authorised to give any information in connection with the Global Offering or to make any representation not contained in this prospectus, and any information or representation not contained herein must not be relied upon as having been authorised by us, the Sole Sponsor, the Sole Global Coordinator, the Underwriters, any of our Company's or their respective directors, agents, employees or advisors or any other parties involved in the Global Offering.

Further information on the structure of the Global Offering, including its conditions, is set forth in "Structure of the Global Offering" in this prospectus, and the procedures for applying for the Offer Shares are set forth in "How to Apply for Hong Kong Offer Shares" in this prospectus and in the relevant Application Forms.

RESTRICTIONS ON OFFER AND SALE OF OFFER SHARES

Each person acquiring the Offer Shares under the Global Offering will be required to, or be deemed by his/her/its subscription for Offer Shares to, confirm that he/she/it is aware of the restrictions on offers of the Offer Shares described in this prospectus.

INFORMATION ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS AND THE GLOBAL OFFERING

No action has been taken to permit an offering of the Offer Shares or the distribution in this prospectus or the Application Forms in any jurisdiction other than Hong Kong. Accordingly, this prospectus may not be used for the purpose of, and does not constitute, an offer or invitation in any jurisdiction or in any circumstances in which such an offer or invitation is not authorised or to any person to whom it is unlawful to make such an offer or invitation. The distribution in this prospectus and the offering of the Offer Shares in other jurisdictions are subject to restrictions and may not be made except as permitted under the applicable securities laws of such jurisdictions pursuant to registration with or authorisation by the relevant regulatory authorities an exemption therefrom.

APPLICATION FOR LISTING ON THE STOCK EXCHANGE

Our Company has applied to the Listing Committee of the Stock Exchange for the granting of the listing of, and permission to deal in, the Shares in issue and the Offer Shares to be issued pursuant to the Global Offering (including the additional Shares which may be issued pursuant to the exercise of the Over-allotment Option), any Shares to be issued under the Capitalisation Issue, and any Shares which may be issued upon exercise of any option to be granted under the Share Option Scheme. Save as disclosed in this prospectus, no part of the share or loan capital of our Company is listed on or dealt in on any other stock exchange and no such listing or permission to list is being or proposed to be sought in the near future.

HONG KONG BRANCH REGISTER AND STAMP DUTY

All Offer Shares issued pursuant to applications made in the Hong Kong Public Offer will be registered on our Company's branch register of members to be maintained in Hong Kong. The Company's principal register of members will be maintained by our Company's principal share registrar in the Cayman Islands.

Dealings in Offer Shares registered in the branch register of members of our Company maintained in Hong Kong will be subject to Hong Kong stamp duty.

PROFESSIONAL TAX ADVICE RECOMMENDED

Potential investors in the Global Offering are recommended to consult their professional advisors if they are in any doubt as to the taxation implications of subscribing for, purchasing or holding of and dealing in the Offer Shares. None of our Company, the Sole Global Coordinator, the Sole Sponsor, the Underwriters, any of their respective directors or any other person or party involved in the Global Offering accepts responsibility for any tax effects on, or liabilities of, any person resulting from the subscription for, purchase or holding of, or dealing in the Offer Shares.

STABILISATION AND OVER-ALLOTMENT OPTION

Stabilisation is a practice used by underwriters in some markets to facilitate the distribution of securities. To stabilise, the underwriters may bid for, or purchase, the newly issued securities in the secondary market, during a specified period of time, to retard and, if

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possible, prevent a decline in the market price of the securities below the Offer Price. In Hong Kong, the price at which stabilisation is effected is not permitted to exceed the Offer Price.

In connection with the Global Offering, the Sole Global Coordinator, as the stabilising manager, or its affiliates or any person acting for it, may over-allocate or effect transactions with a view to stabilising or maintaining the market price of the Offer Shares at a level higher than that which might otherwise prevail for a limited period after the commencement of trading in the Shares on the Stock Exchange. Such transactions may be effected in compliance with all applicable laws and regulatory requirements. However, there is no obligation on the Sole Global Coordinator, its affiliates or any person acting for it to do this. Such stabilisation, if commenced, will be conducted at the absolute discretion of the Sole Global Coordinator, its affiliates or any person acting for it and may be discontinued at any time, and must be brought to an end after a limited period.

In connection with the International Placing, the Sole Global Coordinator may overallocate up to and not more than an aggregate of 37,500,000 additional Shares and cover such over-allocations by exercising the Over-allotment Option or by making purchases in the secondary market at prices that do not exceed the Offer Price or through stock borrowing arrangements or a combination of these means.

Further details of the Over-allotment Option and stabilisation are set out in "Structure of the Global Offering — Over-allotment Option" and "Structure of the Global Offering — Stabilisation" in this prospectus.

PROCEDURE FOR APPLICATION FOR HONG KONG OFFER SHARES

The procedure for applying for Hong Kong Offer Shares is set out in "How to Apply for Hong Kong Offer Shares" in this prospectus and on the relevant Application Forms.

STRUCTURE OF THE GLOBAL OFFERING

Details of the structure of the Hong Kong Public Offer, the International Placing and the Global Offering, including its conditions, are set out in "Structure of the Global Offering" in this prospectus.

SHARES WILL BE ELIGIBLE FOR ADMISSION INTO CCASS

Subject to the granting of listing of, and permission to deal in, our Shares on the Stock Exchange and our Company's compliance with the stock admission requirements of HKSCC, the Shares will be accepted as eligible securities by HKSCC for deposit, clearance and settlement in CCASS with effect from the date of commencement of dealings in the Shares on the Stock Exchange or any other date as determined by HKSCC. Settlement of transactions between participants of the Stock Exchange is required to take place in CCASS on the second trading date after the trade date. All activities under CCASS are subject to the General Rules of CCASS and CCASS Operational Procedures in effect from time to time. All necessary arrangements have been made for the Shares to be admitted into CCASS.