PRICE PAYABLE ON APPLICATION

The Offer Price will not be more than HK\$2.80 and is expected to be not less than HK\$2.10. Applicants under the Hong Kong Public Offering should pay, on application, the maximum price of HK\$2.80 per Share plus the brokerage fee of 1.0%, the SFC transaction levy of 0.003% and the Hong Kong Stock Exchange trading fee of 0.005% thereon, amounting to a total of HK\$2,828.22 for one board lot of 1,000 Shares.

If the Offer Price, as finally determined in the manner described below, is lower than HK\$2.80, being the maximum price, we will refund the respective difference (including the brokerage fee, the SFC transaction levy and the Hong Kong Stock Exchange trading fee attributable to the surplus application monies) to successful applicants, without interest. Further details are set out in "How to Apply for Hong Kong Offer Shares" in this prospectus.

DETERMINING THE OFFER PRICE

The Offer Price is expected to be determined by agreement between the Joint Global Coordinators, on behalf of the Underwriters and us on or before the Price Determination Date, when market demand for the Offer Shares will be determined. The Price Determination Date is expected to be on or around Monday, June 25, 2012 and in any event, no later than Wednesday, June 27, 2012.

The Offer Price will not be more than HK\$2.80 per Offer Share and is expected to be not less than HK\$2.10 per Offer Share. The Offer Price will fall within the Offer Price range as stated in this prospectus unless otherwise announced, as further explained below, not later than the morning of the last day for lodging applications under the Hong Kong Public Offering. Prospective investors should be aware that the Offer Price to be determined on the Price Determination Date may be, but is not expected to be, lower than the indicative Offer Price range stated in this prospectus.

The Joint Global Coordinators, on behalf of the Underwriters, may, where considered appropriate, based on the level of interest expressed by prospective professional, institutional, corporate and other investors during the book-building process, and with our consent, reduce the number of Offer Shares and/or the indicative Offer Price range below that stated in this prospectus at any time prior to the morning of the last day for lodging applications under the Hong Kong Public Offering. In such a case, we will, as soon as practicable following the decision to make such reduction, and in any event not later than the morning of the last day for lodging applications under the Hong Kong Public Offering, cause to be published in the South China Morning Post (in English) and the Hong Kong Economic Times (in Chinese) notices of the reduction in the number of Offer Shares and/or the indicative Offer Price range. Such notice will also be available at the website of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange at www.hkexnews.hk and at our Company's website at www.cnmcl.net. Upon issue of such a notice, the revised number of Offer Shares and/or Offer Price range will be final and conclusive and the Offer Price, if agreed upon with us, will be fixed within such revised Offer Price range. Such notice will also include confirmation or revision, as appropriate, of the working capital statement, the offer statistics as currently set out in the section headed "Summary" and any other financial information which may change materially as a result of such reduction.

If applications for Hong Kong Offer Shares have been submitted, then even if the number of Offer Shares and/or the Offer Price range is so reduced, such applications cannot be withdrawn subsequently.

In the absence of any such notice being so published of a reduction in the number of Offer Shares and/or the indicative Offer Price range stated in this prospectus on or before the morning of the last

day for lodging applications under the Hong Kong Public Offering, the number of Offer Shares and/ or the Offer Price, if agreed upon with us, will under no circumstances be fewer than the number of Offer Shares or be set outside the Offer Price range as stated in this prospectus.

If the Joint Global Coordinators (on behalf of the Underwriters) and our Company are unable to reach agreement on the Offer Price on Wednesday, June 27, 2012, the Global Offering will not become unconditional and will lapse immediately.

We expect to publish an announcement of the Offer Price, together with the level of interest in the International Offering and the results of application in respect of the Hong Kong Public Offering and basis of allotment of the Hong Kong Offer Shares, on Thursday, June 28, 2012.

THE GLOBAL OFFERING

This prospectus is published in connection with the Hong Kong Public Offering as part of the Global Offering. The Global Offering comprises the Hong Kong Public Offering and the International Offering. We intend to make available initially up to 870,000,000 Shares under the Global Offering, of which 783,000,000 Shares will initially be conditionally placed pursuant to the International Offering and the remaining 87,000,000 Shares will initially be offered to the public in Hong Kong at the Offer Price under the Hong Kong Public Offering (subject, in each case, to reallocation on the basis described below under "The Hong Kong Public Offering"). We will conditionally place our Shares in the International Offering with professional, institutional, corporate and other investors whom we anticipate to have a sizeable demand for our Shares in Hong Kong and other jurisdictions outside the United States to non-U.S. persons, in reliance on Regulation S, and in the United States with QIBs in reliance on Rule 144A.

Investors may apply for our Shares under the Hong Kong Public Offering or indicate an interest, if qualified to do so, for our Shares under the International Offering, but may not do both. The Hong Kong Public Offering is open to members of the public in Hong Kong as well as to institutional and professional investors in Hong Kong. The International Offering will involve selective marketing of our Shares to professional, institutional, corporate and other investors anticipated to have a sizeable demand for such Shares. Professional investors generally include brokers, dealers, companies (including fund managers) whose ordinary business involves dealing in shares and other securities and corporate entities which regularly invest in shares and other securities. Prospective professional, institutional, corporate and other investors will be asked to specify the number of our Shares under the International Offering they would be prepared to acquire either at different prices or at a particular price. This process, known as "book-building", is expected to continue up to the Price Determination Date.

Allocation of our Shares pursuant to the International Offering will be determined by the Joint Bookrunners and will be based on a number of factors including the level and timing of demand, total size of the relevant investor's invested assets or equity assets in the relevant sector and whether or not it is expected that the relevant investor is likely to buy further, and/or hold or sell, our Shares, after the Listing of the Shares on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange. Such allocation is intended to result in a distribution of our Shares on a basis which would lead to the establishment of a solid professional and institutional Shareholder base to the benefit of our Company and our Shareholders as a whole.

Allocation of Hong Kong Offer Shares to investors under the Hong Kong Public Offering will be based solely on the level of valid applications received under the Hong Kong Public Offering. The basis of allocation may vary, depending on the number of Hong Kong Offer Shares validly applied for by applicants, although the allocation of Hong Kong Offer Shares could, where appropriate,

consist of balloting, which would mean that some applicants may receive a higher allocation than others who have applied for the same number of Hong Kong Offer Shares, and those applicants who are not successful in the ballot may not receive any Hong Kong Offer Shares.

In connection with the Global Offering, we intend to grant the Over-allotment Option to the International Underwriters exercisable by the Joint Global Coordinators on behalf of the International Underwriters. Further details are set out in "— The Over-allotment Option" below.

The Hong Kong Public Offering is fully underwritten by the Hong Kong Underwriters and the International Offering is expected to be fully underwritten by the International Underwriters in each case on a several basis, each being subject to the conditions set out under "— Conditions of the Hong Kong Public Offering" below. We entered into the Hong Kong Underwriting Agreement on Friday, May 18, 2012, as amended on Tuesday, June 19, 2012, subject to an agreement on the Offer Price between us and the Joint Global Coordinators (on behalf of the Underwriters), and expect to enter into the International Underwriting Agreement on Monday, June 25, 2012. The Hong Kong Underwriting Agreement and the International Underwriting Agreement are expected to be conditional upon each other.

THE HONG KONG PUBLIC OFFERING

The Hong Kong Public Offering is a fully underwritten public offer (subject to agreement as to pricing and satisfaction or waiver of the other conditions set out in the Hong Kong Underwriting Agreement) for the subscription in Hong Kong of, initially, 87,000,000 Shares at the Offer Price representing 10% of the total number of Shares initially available under the Global Offering. Subject to the reallocation of Shares between the International Offering and the Hong Kong Public Offering, the Hong Kong Offer Shares will represent 2.51% of our Company's enlarged issued share capital immediately after completion of the Global Offering assuming that the Over-allotment Option is not exercised.

The total number of our Offer Shares available under the Hong Kong Public Offering (after taking account of any reallocation referred to below) is to be divided into two pools for allocation purposes (subject to adjustment of odd lot size): pool A and pool B. The Hong Kong Offer Shares in pool A will be allocated on an equitable basis to applicants who have applied for Hong Kong Offer Shares with an aggregate subscription price of HK\$5,000,000 (excluding the brokerage, the SFC transaction levy and the Hong Kong Stock Exchange trading fee payable) or less. The Hong Kong Offer Shares in pool B will be allocated on an equitable basis to applicants who have applied for the Hong Kong Offer Shares with an aggregate subscription price of more than HK\$5,000,000 and up to the total value of pool B (excluding the brokerage, the SFC transaction levy and the Hong Kong Stock Exchange trading fee payable). Applicants should be aware that applications in pool A and in pool B may receive different allocation ratios. If the Hong Kong Offer Shares in one (but not both) of the pools are undersubscribed, the surplus Hong Kong Offer Shares will be transferred to the other pool to satisfy demand in that pool and be allocated accordingly. Applicants can only receive an allocation of the Hong Kong Offer Shares from either pool A or pool B but not from both pools. Multiple or suspected multiple applications and any application for more than 50% of the Hong Kong Offer Shares initially included in the Hong Kong Public Offering will be rejected. Each applicant under the Hong Kong Public Offering will also be required to give an undertaking and confirmation in the application submitted by him that he and any person(s) for whose benefit he is making the application have not indicated an interest for or taken up and will not indicate an interest for or take up any Offer Shares under the International Offering, and such applicant's application will be rejected if the said undertaking and/or confirmation is breached and/or untrue (as the case may be).

The Offer Shares to be offered in the Hong Kong Public Offering and the International Offering may, in certain circumstances, be reallocated as between these offerings at the sole discretion of the Joint Global Coordinators.

The allocation of Offer Shares between the Hong Kong Public Offering and the International Offering is subject to adjustment. If the number of Offer Shares validly applied for under the Hong Kong Public Offering represents 15 times or more but less than 50 times the number of the Offer Shares initially available for subscription under the Hong Kong Public Offering, then Offer Shares will be reallocated to the Hong Kong Public Offering from the International Offering, so that the total number of Offer Shares available under the Hong Kong Public Offering will be 261,000,000 Offer Shares, representing 30% of the Offer Shares initially available under the Global Offering. If the number of Offer Shares validly applied for under the Hong Kong Public Offering represents 50 times or more but less than 100 times the number of the Offer Shares initially available for subscription under the Hong Kong Public Offering, then the number of Offer Shares to be reallocated to the Hong Kong Public Offering from the International Offering will be increased so that the total number of Offer Shares available under the Hong Kong Public Offering will be 348,000,000 Offer Shares, representing 40% of the Offer Shares initially available under the Global Offering. If the number of Offer Shares validly applied for under the Hong Kong Public Offering represents 100 times or more the number of the Offer Shares initially available for subscription under the Hong Kong Public Offering, then the number of Offer Shares to be reallocated to the Hong Kong Public Offering from the International Offering will be increased, so that the total number of Offer Shares available under the Hong Kong Public Offering will be 435,000,000 Offer Shares, representing 50% of the Offer Shares initially available under the Global Offering. In each such case, the additional Offer Shares reallocated to the Hong Kong Public Offering will be allocated equally (subject to adjustment of odd lot size) between pool A and pool B and the number of Offer Shares allocated to the International Offering will be correspondingly reduced.

In addition, if the Hong Kong Public Offering is not fully subscribed, the Joint Global Coordinators will have the discretion (but shall not be under any obligation) to reallocate to the International Offering all or any unsubscribed Hong Kong Offer Shares in such proportion and amounts as they deem appropriate. Conversely, the Joint Global Coordinators may at their discretion reallocate Offer Shares from the International Offering to the Hong Kong Public Offering to satisfy valid applications under the Hong Kong Public Offering.

References in this prospectus to applications, Application Forms, application or subscription monies or the procedure for application relate solely to the Hong Kong Public Offering.

CONDITIONS OF THE HONG KONG PUBLIC OFFERING

Acceptance of all applications for the Offer Shares pursuant to the Hong Kong Public Offering will be conditional on:

- the Listing Committee of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange granting listing of, and permission to deal in, our Shares to be issued pursuant to the Global Offering, including the additional Shares which may be issued under the Over-allotment Option, and such listing and permission not subsequently having been revoked prior to the commencement of dealings in our Shares on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange;
- the Offer Price having been duly agreed between our Company and the Joint Global Coordinators;

- the execution and delivery of the International Underwriting Agreement on or around the Price Determination Date; and
- the obligations of the Underwriters under each of the respective Underwriting Agreements becoming and remaining unconditional (including, if relevant, as a result of the waiver of any conditions by the Joint Global Coordinators, on behalf of the Underwriters) and such obligations not being terminated in accordance with the terms of the respective Underwriting Agreements,

in each case, on or before the dates and times specified in the respective Underwriting Agreements (unless and to the extent such conditions are validly waived on or before such dates and times) and in any event not later than 30 days after the date of this prospectus.

The consummation of the Hong Kong Public Offering is conditional upon, among other things, the International Offering and the Hong Kong Public Offering becoming unconditional and not having been terminated in accordance with their respective terms.

If the above conditions are not fulfilled or waived prior to the times and dates specified, the Global Offering will lapse and we will notify the Hong Kong Stock Exchange immediately. We will publish or cause to be published a notice of the lapse of the Hong Kong Public Offering in the South China Morning Post (in English) and the Hong Kong Economic Times (in Chinese) on the Business Day immediately following such lapse.

In case the Hong Kong Public Offering lapses, we will return all application monies to the applicants, without interest and on the terms set out under "How to Apply for Hong Kong Offer Shares". In the meantime, we will hold all application monies in a separate bank account or separate bank accounts with the receiving banker(s) or other bank(s) licensed under the Banking Ordinance (Chapter 155 of the Laws of Hong Kong) (as amended).

THE INTERNATIONAL OFFERING

The number of Offer Shares to be initially offered for subscription or purchase under the International Offering will be 783,000,000 Offer Shares to be offered by us representing 90% of the Offer Shares initially available under the Global Offering. The International Offering is subject to the Hong Kong Public Offering being unconditional.

Pursuant to the International Offering, the International Offer Shares will be conditionally placed by the International Underwriters, or through selling agents appointed by them, with professional, institutional, corporate and other investors anticipated to have a sizeable demand for Shares in Hong Kong and other jurisdictions outside the United States in reliance on Regulation S and in the United States with QIBs in reliance on Rule 144A.

The Joint Global Coordinators (on behalf of the Underwriters) may require any investor who has been offered Offer Shares under the International Offering, and who has made an application under the Hong Kong Public Offering to provide sufficient information to the Joint Global Coordinators so as to allow them to identify the relevant applications under the Hong Kong Public Offering and to ensure that such investor is excluded from any application for the Offer Shares under the Hong Kong Public Offering.

THE OVER-ALLOTMENT OPTION

In connection with the Global Offering, we intend to grant the Over-allotment Option to the International Underwriters, exercisable at the discretion of the Joint Global Coordinators on behalf

of the International Underwriters. The Over-allotment Option gives the Joint Global Coordinators (on behalf of the International Underwriters) the right, exercisable at any time from the date of the International Underwriting Agreement until 30 days from the last day for the lodging of applications under the Hong Kong Public Offering, to require us to allot and issue up to an aggregate of 130,500,000 additional Shares, representing in aggregate 15% of the initial size of the Global Offering at the Offer Price, to, among other things, cover over-allotment, if any, in the International Offering. The Joint Global Coordinators may also cover such over-allotment by purchasing Shares in the secondary market or by a combination of purchase in the secondary market and a partial exercise of the Over-allotment Option. Any such secondary market purchase will be made in compliance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations. If the Joint Global Coordinators exercise the Over-allotment Option in full, the number of Shares being offered in the Global Offering will increase to 1,000,500,000 Shares. In the event that the Over-allotment Option is exercised, a press announcement will be made.

STOCK BORROWING ARRANGEMENT

In order to facilitate the settlement of over-allotment in connection with the International Offering, the Stabilizing Manager may choose to borrow Shares from CNMD under the Stock Borrowing Agreement that may be entered into between the Stabilizing Manager and CNMD, or acquire Shares from other sources. The Stock Borrowing Agreement will not be subject to the restrictions of Rule 10.07(1)(a) of the Listing Rules provided that the requirements set out in Rule 10.07(3) are complied with. Furthermore, (i) Shares so borrowed will only be used for settlement of overallotment in the International Offering prior to the exercise of the Over-allotment Option; (ii) the maximum number of Shares to be borrowed from CNMD will be limited to the maximum number of Shares which may be issued and allotted by our Company upon exercise of the Over-allotment Option, which is limited to 130,500,000 Shares or 15% of the Shares initially available under the Global Offering; (iii) the same number of Shares so borrowed must be returned to CNMD on or before the seventh Business Day following the earlier of (a) the last date on which the Shares may be issued and allotted by our Company pursuant to the Over-allotment Option, and (b) the day on which the Over-allotment Option is exercised in full; (iv) borrowing of stock pursuant to the Stock Borrowing Agreement will be effected in compliance with all applicable laws and regulatory requirements; and (v) no payment will be made to CNMD in relation to the Stock Borrowing Agreement.

STABILIZING ACTION

Stabilization is a practice used by underwriters in some markets to facilitate the distribution of securities. To stabilize, the underwriters may bid for, or purchase, the newly issued securities in the secondary market, during a specified period of time, to minimize and, if possible, prevent a decline in the prices of our Shares. In Hong Kong and certain other jurisdictions, the price at which stabilization is effected is not permitted to exceed the Offer Price.

In connection with the Global Offering, China International Capital Corporation Hong Kong Securities Limited, as the Stabilizing Manager, or any person acting for it, on behalf of the Underwriters, may over-allot or effect transactions with a view to stabilizing or maintaining the market price of our Shares at a level higher than that which might otherwise prevail in the open market for a limited period commencing on the Listing Date. Such transactions may be effected in all jurisdictions where it is permissible to do so, in each case in compliance with all applicable laws and regulatory requirements including those of Hong Kong. However, there is no obligation on the Stabilizing Manager or any person acting for it to do this. Such stabilization, if commenced, will be conducted at the absolute discretion of the Stabilizing Manager or any person acting for it and may be discontinued at any time, and must be brought to an end within 30 days of the last day for the

lodging of applications under the Hong Kong Public Offering. The number of Shares that may be over-allotted will not be greater than the number of Shares which may be sold upon exercise of the Over-allotment Option, being 130,500,000 Shares, which is 15% of our Shares initially available under the Global Offering.

The Stabilizing Manager or any person acting for it may take all or any of the following stabilizing actions in Hong Kong during the stabilization period:

- purchase, or agree to purchase, any of our Shares or offer or attempt to do so for the sole purpose of preventing or minimizing any reduction in the market price of our Shares; and/or
- in connection with any action described in the foregoing paragraph:
 - (A) (1) over-allot our Shares; or
 - (2) sell or agree to sell our Shares so as to establish a short position in them,

for the sole purpose of preventing or minimizing any reduction in the market price of our Shares;

- (B) exercise the Over-allotment Option and purchase or subscribe for or agree to purchase or subscribe for our Shares in order to close out any position established under paragraph (A) above;
- (C) sell or agree to sell any of our Shares acquired by it in the course of the stabilizing action referred to in paragraph (i) above in order to liquidate any position that has been established by such action; and/or
- (D) offer or attempt to do anything as described in paragraph (A)(2), (B) or (C) above.

The Stabilizing Manager, or any person acting for it, may, in connection with the stabilizing action, maintain a long position in our Shares, and there is no certainty as to the extent to which and the time period for which it will maintain such a position. Investors should be warned of the possible impact of any liquidation of the long position by the Stabilizing Manager or any person acting for it, which may include a decline in the market price of our Shares.

Stabilization cannot be used to support the price of our Shares for longer than the stabilization period, which begins on the day on which dealings in our Shares commence on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange and ends on the 30th day after the last day for the lodging of applications under the Hong Kong Public Offering. The stabilization period is expected to expire on the 30th day after the last day for the lodging of applications under the Hong Kong Public Offering. After this date, when no further stabilizing action may be taken, demand for our Shares, and therefore their market price, could fall. A public announcement will be made within seven days after the end of the stabilizing period in accordance with the Securities and Futures (Price Stabilizing) Rules of the Hong Kong Securities and Futures Ordinance.

Any stabilizing action taken by the Stabilizing Manager, or any person acting for it, may not necessarily result in the market price of our Shares staying at or above the Offer Price either during or after the stabilization period. Stabilization bids or market purchases effected in the course of the stabilizing action may be made at any price at or below the Offer Price and can therefore be done at a price below the price investors have paid in acquiring our Shares.

DEALING

Assuming that the Hong Kong Public Offering becomes unconditional at or before 8:00 a.m. in Hong Kong on Friday, June 29, 2012, it is expected that dealings in our Shares on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange will commence at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, June 29, 2012. Our Shares will be traded on the Main Board in board lots size of 1,000 Shares each.