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CHINA MERCHANTS BANK CO., LTD.

(A joint stock company incorporated in the People's Republic of China with limited liability)

(Stock code: 03968)

DATE OF BOARD MEETING

The board of directors (the "**Board**") of China Merchants Bank Co., Ltd. (the "**Company**") hereby announces that a meeting of the Board of the Company will be held on Tuesday, 17 March 2015 to Wednesday, 18 March 2015 for the purposes of, among other matters, considering and approving the announcement of the final results of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2014 for publication, and considering the recommendation of a final dividend, if any.

By Order of the Board China Merchants Bank Co., Ltd. Xu Shiqing Seng Sze Ka Mee Natalia Joint Company Secretaries

5 March 2015

As at the date of this announcement, the executive directors of the Company are Tian Huiyu, Zhang Guanghua and Li Hao; the non-executive directors of the Company are Li Jianhong, Ma Zehua, Li Xiaopeng, Li Yinquan, Fu Gangfeng, Sun Yueying, Su Min, Fu Junyuan and Hong Xiaoyuan; and the independent non-executive directors of the Company are Wong Kwai Lam, Leung Kam Chung, Antony, Pan Chengwei, Pan Yingli, Guo Xuemeng and Zhao Jun.