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## **NewOcean Energy Holdings Limited**

## (新海能源集團有限公司)\*

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 342)

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## DISCLOSURE PURSUANT TO RULE 13.18 OF THE LISTING RULES

This announcement is made pursuant to Rule 13.18 of the Listing Rules.

On 4 September 2015 the Company entered into the Facility Agreement for a syndication loan facility of US\$170,000,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$1,322,600,000) for the purpose of refinancing of any existing indebtedness of any member of the Group and financing the general working capital requirements of the Group. The interest rate of the syndication loan is London Interbank Offered Rate plus 2.8% per annum. The loan to be made to the Company upon utilisation of the facility will be repayable in five instalments, 10% of the utilisated amount is repayable on the date which falls 12 months after the date of first drawdown, 10% of the utilisated amount is repayable on the date which falls 18 months after the date of first drawdown, 12.5% of the utilisated amount is repayable on the date which falls 24 months after the date of first drawdown, 12.5% of the utilisated amount is repayable on the date which falls 30 months after the date of first drawdown, and the remaining 55% of the utilisated amount is repayable on the date which falls 36 months after the date of the first drawdown.

Under the Facility Agreement, in the event the Shum Family cease to remain as the single largest beneficial shareholder of the Company; or maintains less than 30% shareholding of the Company, or cease to have control over the Company, the facility available to the Company will be cancelled and all outstanding amounts will then become immediately due and payable.

As at the date of this announcement, the Shum Family together hold approximately 40.89% in aggregate of the issued share capital of the Company.

The Company will continue to comply with its disclosure obligations under the Listing Rules for so long as such obligations remain in respect of the Facility Agreement.

## **DEFINITIONS**

In this announcement, the following expressions have the meanings set out below unless the context requires otherwise:

"Company"

NewOcean Energy Holdings Limited, a company incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability, whose shares are listed on the Stock Exchange

"controlling shareholder(s)"

has the meaning ascribed thereto under the Listing Rules

"Facility Agreement"

the facility agreement dated 4 September 2015 in respect of a syndication loan facility of US\$170,000,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$1,322,600,000) made available to the Company as borrower and The Hongkong Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited coordinator, Hang Seng Bank Limited, The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited, Oversea-Chinese Banking Corporation Limited, Cathay United Bank Company, Limited, Hong Kong Branch and DBS Bank Ltd. as mandated lead arrangers and bookrunners, Hang Seng Bank Limited, The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Limited, Oversea-Chinese Corporation Banking Corporation Limited, Cathay United Bank Company, Limited, Hong Kong Branch and DBS Bank (Hong Kong) Limited as original lenders and Hang Seng Bank Limited as agent

"Group"

the Company and its subsidiaries

"Listing Rules"

the Rule Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange

"Shum Family"

certain family members and relatives of Mr. Shum Siu Hung, chairman of the Company as set out in the Facility Agreement. Members of the Shum Family include Ms. Tong Shiu Ming, spouse of Mr. Shum Siu Hung, Mr. Shum Chun, Lawrence, managing director of the Company and a director and substantial shareholder of Uniocean, Mr. Shum Ho, Neo, a substantial shareholder of Uniocean, and Mr. Cen Ziniu, an executive director of the Company. Mr. Shum Chun, Lawrence and Mr. Shum Ho, Neo, are sons of Mr. Shum Siu Hung and Ms. Tong Shiu Ming. Mr. Cen Ziniu is a cousin of Mr. Shum Siu Hung. Mr. Shum Siu Hung and Mr. Shum Chun, Lawrence personally hold approximately 3.85% and 3.89% of the issued share capital of the Company respectively and together with Uniocean are deemed the controlling shareholders of the Company

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"Uniocean" Uniocean Investments Limited, a company incorporated in

the British Virgin Island, a controlling shareholder of the Company holding approximately 33.15% of the issued share capital of the Company. Uniocean is owned as to 70% by Mr. Shum Siu Hung, 15% by Mr. Shum Chun,

Lawrence and 15% by Mr. Shum Ho, Neo

"US\$" the lawful currency of the United States of America for the

time being

"HK\$" the lawful currency of Hong Kong for the time being

By order of the Board

NewOcean Energy Holdings Limited

Shum Siu Hung

Chairman

Hong Kong, 4 September 2015

As at the date of this announcement, the Board of the Company comprises Mr. Shum Siu Hung, Mr. Shum Chun, Lawrence, Mr. Cen Ziniu, Mr. Chiu Sing Chung, Raymond, Mr. Siu Ka Fai, Brian, and Mr. Wang Jian, being the executive directors, Mr. Cheung Kwan Hung, Anthony, Mr. Chan Yuk Wai, Benedict and Dr. Xu Mingshe, being the independent non-executive directors.

<sup>\*</sup> for identification purposes only