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This circular, for which the 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 the Company. The Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that to the best of their knowledge and belief the information contained in this circular 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 circular misleading.

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**SINOREF**  
**SINOREF HOLDINGS LIMITED**

**華耐控股有限公司**

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

**(Stock Code: 1020)**

- (1) GRANT OF GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE  
AND REPURCHASE SHARES**
- (2) RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**
- (3) NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

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Notice of the annual general meeting of Sinoref Holdings Limited to be held at Unit B, 15/F., Teda Building, 87 Wing Lok Street, Sheung Wan, Hong Kong on Friday, 10 June 2016 at 10:00 a.m. is set out on pages 14 to 18 of this circular. If you are unable to attend the meeting, please complete and return the accompanying form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon as soon as possible and in any event no later than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the meeting or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude you from attending and voting in person if you so wish.

29 April 2016

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## DEFINITIONS

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*In this circular, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the following meanings:*

“AGM Notice”	the notice for convening the Annual General Meeting set out on pages 14 to 18 of this circular
“Annual General Meeting”	the annual general meeting of the Company convened to be held on Unit B, 15/F., Teda Building, 87 Wing Lok Street, Sheung Wan, Hong Kong on Friday, 10 June 2016 at 10:00 a.m.
“Articles”	the articles of association of the Company as amended from time to time
“associate(s)”	has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules
“Board”	the board of Directors
“Companies Law”	the Companies Law, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands
“Company”	Sinoref Holdings Limited (華耐控股有限公司), a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability, the issued Shares of which are listed on the Stock Exchange
“Director(s)”	the director(s) of the Company
“Extension Mandate”	a general and unconditional mandate to the Directors to the effect that any Shares repurchased under the Repurchase Mandate will be added to the total number of Shares which may be allotted and issued under the Issue Mandate
“Group”	the Company and its subsidiaries
“Hong Kong”	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC
“Issue Mandate”	a general and unconditional mandate to the Directors to exercise the power of the Company to allot, issue or otherwise deal with Shares of up to a maximum of 20% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution at the Annual General Meeting

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“Latest Practicable Date”	25 April 2016 (Monday), being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this circular for the purpose of ascertaining certain information in this circular
“Listing Rules”	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange
“PRC”	the People’s Republic of China, which for the purpose of this circular only, excludes Hong Kong, the Macau Special Administrative Region of the PRC and Taiwan
“Registrar”	the branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, of Level 22, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen’s Road East, Hong Kong
“Repurchase Mandate”	a general and unconditional mandate to the Directors to enable them to repurchase Shares the aggregate nominal amount of which does not exceed 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital in issue as at the date of passing the relevant resolution at the Annual General Meeting
“RMB”	Renminbi, the lawful currency of the PRC
“SFO”	the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong)
“Share(s)”	ordinary share(s) of \$0.10 each in the capital of the Company
“Shareholder(s)”	holder(s) of the Share(s)
“Stock Exchange”	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited
“Takeovers Code”	the Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share Buy-backs issued by the Securities and Futures Commission in Hong Kong
“\$” and “cents”	Hong Kong dollars and cents, respectively
“%”	per cent.

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LETTER FROM THE BOARD

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**SINOREF**

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*Executive Directors:*

Mr. Xu Yejun

Mr. Sin Kwok Wai Ronald

Mr. Wu Ye

*Non-executive Directors:*

Mr. Chow Chi Wa

Ms. Yip Sum Yu

*Independent non-executive Directors:*

Mr. Cao Ke

Mr. Tong Yiu On

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Hong Kong

29 April 2016

*To the Shareholders*

Dear Sir/Madam

**(1) GRANT OF GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE  
AND REPURCHASE SHARES  
(2) RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

**1. INTRODUCTION**

The primary purposes of this circular are to provide you with information regarding the resolutions to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting and to give you notice of the Annual General Meeting. Resolutions to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting include: (a) ordinary resolutions relating to the proposed grant of the Issue Mandate, the Repurchase Mandate and the Extension Mandate; and (b) ordinary resolutions relating to the re-election of the retiring Directors.

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## LETTER FROM THE BOARD

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Pursuant to the Listing Rules, the Company is required to provide you with information reasonably necessary to enable you to make an informed decision as to whether to vote for or against the resolutions to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting. This circular is also prepared for such purpose.

### **2. ISSUE MANDATE**

At the Annual General Meeting, an ordinary resolution will be proposed that the Directors be given the Issue Mandate, i.e. a general and unconditional mandate to allot, issue or otherwise deal with new Shares of up to 20% of the aggregate nominal share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution. As at the Latest Practicable Date, a total of 2,569,320,800 Shares were in issue. Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution granting the Issue Mandate to the Directors and on the basis that no Shares will be issued or repurchased by the Company for the period from the Latest Practicable Date up to and including the date of the Annual General Meeting, the Company will be allowed under the Issue Mandate to issue a maximum of 513,864,160 Shares, representing 20% of the Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date.

### **3. REPURCHASE MANDATE AND EXTENSION MANDATE**

At the Annual General Meeting, an ordinary resolution will also be proposed to give the Directors the Repurchase Mandate, i.e. a general and unconditional mandate to exercise all powers of the Company to repurchase, on the Stock Exchange or on any other stock exchange on which the Shares may be listed, shares of up to a maximum of 10% of the aggregate nominal share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution.

In addition, an ordinary resolution regarding the Extension Mandate will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting providing that any Shares repurchased under the Repurchase Mandate (up to a maximum of 10% of the nominal value of the issued Shares as at the date of the grant of the Repurchase Mandate) will be added to the total number of Shares which may be allotted and issued under the Issue Mandate.

Each of the Issue Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate would expire at the earliest of: (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company; (b) the end of the period within which the Company is required by the Companies Law or the Articles to hold its next annual general meeting; and (c) when revoked or varied by ordinary resolution(s) of the Shareholders in a general meeting prior to the next annual general meeting of the Company.

Under the Listing Rules, the Company is required to provide Shareholders with all information which is reasonably necessary to enable Shareholders to make an informed decision as to whether to vote for or against the resolution in respect of the Repurchase Mandate at the Annual General Meeting. An explanatory statement for such purpose is set out in Appendix I to this circular.

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### 4. RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

In accordance with Article 105(A) of the Articles, each of Mr. Xu Yejun and Mr. Chow Chi Wa will retire as Director by rotation and, being eligible, offer himself for re-election as Director at the Annual General Meeting.

Further, pursuant to Article 109 of the Articles, each of Mr. Cao Ke (appointed as an independent non-executive Director on 10 June 2015) and Mr. Wu Ye (appointed as an executive Director on 20 January 2016) shall retire at the Annual General Meeting and, being eligible, offer himself for re-election.

Particulars of each of Mr. Xu Yejun, Mr. Chow Chi Wa, Mr. Cao Ke and Mr. Wu Ye are set out in Appendix II to this circular.

### 5. ACTIONS TO BE TAKEN

Set out on pages 14 to 18 of this circular is the AGM Notice. At the Annual General Meeting, resolutions will be proposed to approve, among other matters, the following:

- (a) the grant of the Issue Mandate, the Repurchase Mandate and the Extension Mandate; and
- (b) the re-election of Directors.

Pursuant to Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules, any vote of shareholders at a general meeting must be taken by poll except where the chairman, in good faith, decides to allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter to be voted on by a show of hands.

You will find enclosed with this circular a form of proxy for use at the Annual General Meeting. Whether or not you are able to attend the Annual General Meeting in person, you are requested to complete and return the form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon as soon as possible and, in any event no later than 48 hours before the time for the Annual General Meeting or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the Annual General Meeting or any adjournment thereof should you so wish.

### 6. CLOSURE OF THE REGISTER OF MEMBERS

For determining the qualification for attending the Annual General Meeting to be held on 10 June 2016, the register of members of the Company will be closed from 8 June 2016 to 10 June 2016 (both dates inclusive), during which period no transfer of Shares will be effected. In order to qualify for attending the Annual General Meeting, all transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 22, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on 7 June 2016.

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### 7. RECOMMENDATION

The Directors believe that the proposed grant of the Issue Mandate, the Repurchase Mandate and the Extension Mandate and the re-election of Directors are in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

The Directors believe that an exercise of the Issue Mandate will enable the Company to take advantage of market conditions to raise additional capital for the Company.

The Repurchase Mandate may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net asset value per Share and/or earnings per Share and will only be made when the Directors believe that such repurchases of Shares will benefit the Company and the Shareholders.

An exercise of the Repurchase Mandate in full could have a material adverse impact on the working capital and gearing position of the Company compared with that as at 31 December 2015, being the date of its latest audited consolidated accounts. The Directors do not, however, intend to make any repurchase in circumstances that would have a material adverse impact on the working capital or gearing position of the Company.

Accordingly, the Directors recommend that all Shareholders should vote in favour of the ordinary resolutions approving the grant of the Issue Mandate, the Repurchase Mandate and the Extension Mandate and the re-election of Directors at the Annual General Meeting.

### 8. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Your attention is drawn to the additional information set out in the Appendices to this circular.

Yours faithfully,  
For and on behalf of the Board  
**Sinoref Holdings Limited**  
**Xu Yejun**  
*Chairman*



*This Appendix serves as an explanatory statement, as required by the Listing Rules, to provide the requisite information as to the proposed Repurchase Mandate.*

## **1. LISTING RULES RELATING TO THE REPURCHASE OF SECURITIES**

The Listing Rules permit companies whose primary listings are on the Stock Exchange to repurchase their shares on the Stock Exchange and any other stock exchange on which the securities of the company are listed and such exchange is recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong subject to certain restrictions. Among such restrictions, the Listing Rules provide that the shares of such company must be fully paid up and all repurchase of shares by such company must be approved in advance by an ordinary resolution of shareholders, either by way of a general repurchase mandate or by specific approval of a particular transaction.

## **2. SHARE CAPITAL**

As at the Latest Practicable Date, there were a total of 2,569,320,800 Shares in issue.

Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution granting the Repurchase Mandate and on the basis that no further Shares will be issued or repurchased prior to the Annual General Meeting, the Company will be allowed under the Repurchase Mandate to repurchase a maximum of 256,932,080 Shares, representing 10% of the issued share capital of the Company as at the Latest Practicable Date.

## **3. REASONS FOR THE REPURCHASE**

The Directors believe that it is in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole to seek a general authority from the Shareholders to enable the Company to repurchase the Shares on the Stock Exchange or any other stock exchange on which the Shares are listed. Share repurchases may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net asset value per Share and/or earnings per Share and will only be made when the Directors believe that such repurchase will benefit the Company and the Shareholders.

## **4. FUNDING OF REPURCHASES**

Repurchase made pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate would be funded out of funds legally available for such purpose in accordance with the Company's memorandum of association, the Articles, the Companies Law and other applicable laws of the Cayman Islands. A listed company may not repurchase its own securities on the Stock Exchange for a consideration other than cash or for settlement otherwise than in accordance with the trading rules of the Stock Exchange. Under the Companies Law, repurchases by the Company may only be made out of profits of the Company or out of the proceeds of a fresh issue of Shares made for the purpose or, if so authorised by the Articles and subject to the provisions of the Companies Law, out of capital. Any premium payable on a redemption or purchase over the par value of the Shares to be purchased must be provided for out of profits of the Company or out of the Company's share premium account or, if so authorised by the Articles and subject to the provisions of the Companies Law, out of capital.

Taking into account the current working capital position of the Company, the Directors consider that, if the Repurchase Mandate were to be exercised in full, it might have a material adverse effect on the working capital and/or the gearing position of the Company as compared with the position as at 31 December 2015, being the date of its latest audited consolidated financial statements. However, the Directors do not intend to make any repurchases to such an extent as would, in the circumstances, have a material adverse effect on the working capital requirements or the gearing position of the Company which in the opinion of the Directors are from time to time appropriate for the Company.

## 5. SHARE PRICES

The highest and lowest prices at which the Shares were traded on the Stock Exchange in each of the twelve months preceding the Latest Practicable Date were as follows:

	<b>Highest</b> <i>HK\$</i>	<b>Lowest</b> <i>HK\$</i>
<b>2015</b>		
March	0.330	0.230
April	0.530	0.280
May	0.560	0.390
June	0.530	0.385
July	0.550	0.183
August	0.375	0.245
September	0.290	0.240
October	0.350	0.285
November	0.400	0.270
December	0.370	0.310
<b>2016</b>		
January	0.375	0.265
February	0.285	0.240
March	0.350	0.248
April ( <i>Note</i> )	0.365	0.188

*Note:* Up to the Latest Practicable Date

## 6. THE TAKEOVERS CODE AND MINIMUM PUBLIC HOLDING

If a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases on the Company exercising its powers to repurchase Shares pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate, such increase will be treated as an acquisition for the purposes of Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code. As a result, a Shareholder or group of Shareholders acting in concert (as defined in the Takeovers Code) could obtain or consolidate control of the Company and become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, according to the register kept by the Company pursuant to section 336 of the SFO and so far as is known to, or can be ascertained after reasonable enquiry by the Directors, the following persons were directly or indirectly interested in 5% or more of the issued capital of the Company. Their respective interest as at the Latest Practicable Date is shown under the column “Before repurchase” while their respective expected interest in the event that the Directors exercise in full the power to repurchase Shares in accordance with the terms of the ordinary resolutions in relation to the Repurchase Mandate to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting (and assuming that the issued share capital of the Company remains unchanged up to the date of the Annual General Meeting) is shown under the column “After repurchase”.

	<b>Capacity</b>	<b>Before repurchase (note 1)</b>	<b>After repurchase (note 1)</b>
Mr. Lee Yim (Note 2)	Interest in a controlled corporation	10.12% (L)	11.24% (L)
Wide Select Investments Limited (Note 2)	Beneficial owner	10.12% (L)	11.24% (L)

Notes:

1. The letter “L” denotes the person’s long position in our Shares.
2. Wide Select Investments Limited is the legal and beneficial owner of approximately 10.12% of the entire issued share capital of the Company. Wide Select Investments Limited is wholly owned by Mr. Lee Yim.

On the basis of the shareholding held by the Shareholders named above and assuming that there is no change as the number of issued Shares nor in the said shareholding, an exercise of the Repurchase Mandate in full will not result in any of the Shareholders named above becoming obliged to make a mandatory offer under Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code. The Directors are not aware of any consequence which would arise under the Takeovers Code as a consequence of any repurchases pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate.

The Directors have no intention to exercise the Repurchase Mandate to such an extent that the number of Shares in the hands of public falling below the prescribed minimum percentage of 25%.

## **7. SHARE REPURCHASE MADE BY THE COMPANY**

The Company had not purchased any of the Shares (whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise) in the six months preceding the Latest Practicable Date.

## **8. GENERAL**

None of the Directors nor, to the best of their knowledge, having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their close associates (as defined in the Listing Rules), have any present intention to sell to the Company or its subsidiaries any of the Shares if the Repurchase Mandate is approved at the Annual General Meeting and exercised.

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange that, so far as the same may be applicable, they will exercise the power of the Company to make repurchase of the Shares pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate in accordance with the Listing Rules, applicable laws of the Cayman Islands and the regulations set out in the memorandum of association of the Company and the Articles.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, no core connected person of the Company has notified the Company that he/she/it has a present intention to sell any Shares to the Company nor has any such core connected person undertaken not to sell any Shares held by him/her/it to the Company in the event that the Repurchase Mandate is granted.

*The particulars of the Directors eligible for re-election at the Annual General Meeting are set out below:*

### **EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS**

#### **Mr. Xu Yejun (“Mr. Xu”)**

Mr. Xu Yejun, aged 51, the co-founder of the Group, is the chairman of the Company and an executive Director. Mr. Xu is responsible for the overall strategic planning and management of our Group. Mr. Xu has extensive experience in the advanced steel flow control products industry, and has been engaging in such business for over 25 years. Mr. Xu was appointed as our executive Director on 4 February 2010. He is also the director of Sinoref (Hong Kong) Limited.

Save as disclosed above, in the three years immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Xu had not held any directorship in listed public companies or other major appointments and qualifications.

Mr. Xu has entered into a service contract with the Company for an initial term of three years from 7 June 2010 and expiring on 6 June 2013. The term of service shall be renewed and extended automatically by one year on the expiry of such initial term and on the expiry of every successive period of one year thereafter, unless either party has given at least three months’ written notice of non-renewal before the expiry of the then existing term. Under the service contract, Mr. Xu is currently entitled to an annual basic salary of RMB500,000 (subject to an annual increment after 31 December 2010 at the discretion of the Directors of not more than 10% of the annual salary immediately prior to such increase). In addition, Mr. Xu is also entitled to a discretionary management bonus provided that the aggregate amount of the bonuses payable to all executive Directors for any financial year of the Company may not exceed 10% of the audited combined or consolidated net profit of the Group (after taxation and minority interests and payment of such bonuses but before extraordinary items) in respect of that financial year of the Company. Further, Mr. Xu is entitled to the use of a car in the PRC of the style and model commensurate with his rank and position.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, (i) Mr. Xu did not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company; (ii) he did not have any interest in the shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO; (iii) he did not hold any other directorships in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas in the three years immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date; and (iv) he did not hold other positions with other members of the Group.

**Mr. Wu Ye (“Mr. Wu”)**

Mr. Wu Ye, aged 27, obtained his Bachelor of Engineering from East China University of Science and Technology in 2009 and Master of Economics from Central University of Finance and Economics in 2014. Mr. Wu has over 5 years of experience in financial investment and project management. Currently Mr Wu is the general manager of Zhongjin Equity Investment Fund Management Co., Ltd., which is a wholly owned subsidiary of 國太投資控股(集團)有限公司 (Guotai Investment Holdings (Group) Co. Ltd.)\* (“**Guotai**”). The chairman and vice-chairman of Guotai are Ms Chen Jia Jing and Ms Zhu Fengzhou, who together are the 100% owner of China Zhongjin Group Limited, a substantial shareholder of the Company. Mr Wu did not hold any other directorships in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas in the last three years.

Mr. Wu’s appointment has no fixed term and is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meeting of the Company. Mr. Wu has not entered into a service agreement with the Company. Mr. Wu’s remuneration will be determined by the Board with reference to his duties and responsibilities with the Company and the prevailing market situation.

Save as disclosed above, as at the Latest Practicable Date, (i) Mr. Wu did not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company; (ii) he did not have any interest in the shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO; (iii) he did not hold any other directorships in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas in the three years immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date; and (iv) he did not hold other positions with other members of the Group.

**NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR****Mr. Chow Chi Wa (“Mr. Chow”)**

Mr. Chow, aged 47, received a master’s degree in corporate governance from the Open University of Hong Kong. He has been an executive director and the company secretary of Sino Splendid since March 2013. He was appointed as the chief executive officer of Sino Splendid in November 2013. During his tenure in Sino Splendid, Mr. Ho Yuk Hay, an executive Director, has acted as its chief financial officer since September 2012. Mr. Chow is a member of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants and a fellow member of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants. He is an associate member of the Hong Kong Institute of Company Secretaries and the Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators. He possesses extensive experience in finance and accounting.

Mr. Chow was appointed for an initial term of one year commencing from 27 November 2013 renewable automatically for successive term of one year each commencing from the next day after the expiry of the then current term of appointment, unless terminated by either Mr. Chow or the Company giving not less than three months’ notice in writing expiring at the end of the initial term or at any time thereafter. Mr. Chow is entitled to a fixed director’s fee of HK\$20,000 per month. The director’s fee was mutually agreed upon between the Board and Mr. Chow with reference to the prevailing market conditions and was determined by the Board based on his anticipated effort and expertise to be exercised on the Company’s affairs.

Save as disclosed above, as at the Latest Practicable Date, (i) Mr. Chow did not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company; (ii) he did not have any interest in the shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO; (iii) he did not hold any other directorships in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas in the three years immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date; and (iv) he did not hold other positions with other members of the Group.

#### INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

##### Mr. Cao Ke (“Mr. Cao”)

Mr. Cao Ke, aged 41, received his bachelor’s degree in economics from Nankai University in China in 1995 and a master’s degree in business administration from the University of Hawaii in USA in 2001. Mr. Cao possesses over 10 years of experience in financial management and over 5 years of experience in financial investment and project management. Mr. Cao served as Chief Financial Officer in Guangdong Esquel Textile Enterprise Co., Ltd., Jiemi Int’l Trade (shanghai) Co., Ltd. and Guangdong Qide Education Service Ltd.. Since January 2010, Mr. Cao served as Chief Investment Officer in Youngy Investment Holding Group Co., Limited which is a reputable investment company in the PRC. Since December 2012, Mr. Cao served as Supervisor in AnHua Agricultural Insurance Company Ltd and Shenzhen Huaxunark Technology Co., Limited. Mr. Cao did not hold any other directorships in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas in the last three years.

Mr. Cao was appointed for an initial term of three years, subject to retirement by rotation at the annual general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Company’s articles of association. Mr. Cao will be entitled to a director’s fee to be determined by the Board based on his anticipated effort and expertise to be exercised on the Company’s affairs.

Save as disclosed above, as at the Latest Practicable Date, (i) Mr. Cao did not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company; (ii) he did not have any interest in the shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO; (iii) he did not hold any other directorships in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas in the three years immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date; and (iv) he did not hold other positions with other members of the Group.

Save as disclosed above, the Company is not aware of any other matters that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in relation to the re-election of each of Mr. Xu, Mr. Wu, Mr. Chow and Mr. Cao and there is no information which is discloseable nor is/was Mr. Xu, Mr. Wu, Mr. Chow and Mr. Cao involved in any matters required to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements of the provisions under paragraphs (h) to (v) of Rule 13.51(2) of the Listing Rules.

For the purpose of this section, “\*” denotes unofficial English translation.

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## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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### NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the annual general meeting of Sinoref Holdings Limited (“**Company**”) will be held at Unit B, 15/F., Teda Building, 87 Wing Lok Street, Sheung Wan, Hong Kong on Friday, 10 June 2016 at 10:00 a.m. for the following purposes:

1. to receive and approve the audited consolidated financial statements and the reports of the directors (“**Directors**”) of the Company and the Company’s auditor for the year ended 31 December 2015;
2. to consider and approve, each as a separate resolution, if thought fit, the following resolutions:
  - (a) to re-elect Mr. Xu Yejun as Director;
  - (b) to re-elect Mr. Chow Chi Wa as Director;
  - (c) to re-elect Mr. Cao Ke as Director;
  - (d) to re-elect Mr. Wu Ye as Director; and
  - (e) to authorise the board of Directors to fix the Directors’ remuneration;
3. to re-appoint Messrs. Elite Partners CPA Limited as the Company’s auditor and to authorise the board of Directors to fix their remuneration;

and, as special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolutions as ordinary resolutions:

4. “**THAT:**
  - (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, pursuant to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited, the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as defined in paragraph (d) below) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with the



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unissued shares in the capital of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options, including warrants to subscribe for shares in the Company, which might require the exercise of such powers be and the same is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) above shall authorise the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options, including warrants to subscribe for shares in the Company, which might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the aggregate nominal amount of share capital allotted and issued or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted and issued (whether pursuant to options or otherwise) by the directors of the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as defined in paragraph (d) below); or (ii) the exercise of any options granted under the share option scheme of the Company; or (iii) any scrip dividend or similar arrangements providing for the allotment and issue of Shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on shares in the Company in accordance with the articles of association of the Company in force from time to time; or (iv) any issue of shares in the Company upon the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any warrants of the Company or any securities which are convertible into shares in the Company shall not exceed the aggregate of:
  - (aa) 20 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue on the date of the passing of this resolution; and
  - (bb) (if the directors of the Company are so authorised by a separate ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company) the aggregate nominal amount of any share capital of the Company purchased by the Company subsequent to the passing of this resolution (up to a maximum equivalent to 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue on the date of the passing of this resolution),

and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be limited accordingly; and

- (d) for the purposes of this resolution:

**“Relevant Period”** means the period from the date of the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company, the Companies Law, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands or any other applicable law of the Cayman Islands to be held; and

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- (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the directors of the Company by this resolution;

“**Rights Issue**” means an offer of shares in the Company, or offer or issue of warrants, options or other securities giving rights to subscribe for shares in the Company open for a period fixed by the directors of the Company to holders of shares in the Company whose names appear on the Company’s register of members on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of shares in the Company (subject to such exclusion or other arrangements as the directors of the Company may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements, or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of, or the expense or delay which may be involved in determining the existence or extent of any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of, any jurisdiction outside Hong Kong or any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange outside Hong Kong).”

5. “**THAT:**

- (a) subject to paragraph (b) below, the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as defined in paragraph (c) below) of all powers of the Company to purchase shares in the capital of the Company on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (“**Stock Exchange**”) or any other stock exchange on which the Shares may be listed and recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong and the Stock Exchange for such purpose, and otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong, the Stock Exchange, the Companies Law, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) (“**Companies Law**”) of the Cayman Islands and all other applicable laws in this regard, be and the same is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the aggregate nominal amount of shares in the Company which may be purchased or agreed to be purchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) during the Relevant Period shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of the passing of this resolution and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be limited accordingly; and
- (c) for the purposes of this resolution, “**Relevant Period**” means the period from the date of the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:
  - (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
  - (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company, the Companies Law or any other applicable law of the Cayman Islands to be held; and

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- (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the directors of the Company by this resolution.”
6. “**THAT** conditional on the passing of resolutions numbered 4 and 5 above, the general mandate granted to the directors of the Company pursuant to paragraph (a) of resolution numbered 4 above be and it is hereby extended by the addition to the aggregate nominal amount of the shares in the capital of the Company which may be allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted by the directors of the Company pursuant to or in accordance with such general mandate of an amount representing the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company purchased by the Company pursuant to or in accordance with the authority granted under paragraph (a) of resolution numbered 5 above.”

Yours faithfully,  
For and on behalf of  
the Board of Directors of  
**Sinoref Holdings Limited**  
**Xu Yejun**  
*Chairman*

Hong Kong, 29 April 2016

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*Notes:*

1. A shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the meeting convened by the above notice is entitled to appoint another person as his proxy to attend and vote instead of him. A shareholder who is the holder of two or more shares may appoint more than one proxy to represent him and vote on his behalf at the meeting. A proxy need not be a member of the Company but must be present in person to represent him.
2. To be valid, the form of proxy together with a power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy of such power or authority must be deposited at the offices of the Company's Hong Kong branch share registrar ("**Branch Registrar**"), Tricor Investor Services Limited of Level 22, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong no later than 48 hours before the time of the meeting or any adjournment thereof.
3. The register of members of the Company will be closed from 8 June 2016 to 10 June 2016, both dates inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares will be registered. In order to qualify for voting at the meeting convened by the above notice, all transfers of shares accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Branch Registrar no later than 4:30 p.m. on 7 June 2016.
4. In relation to the proposed resolutions numbered 4 and 6 above, approval is being sought from the shareholders for the grant to the Directors of a general mandate to authorise the allotment and issue of shares under the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited ("**Listing Rules**"). The Directors have no immediate plans to issue any new shares other than shares which may fall to be issued under the share option scheme of the Company.
5. In relation to the proposed resolution numbered 5 above, the Directors wish to state that they will exercise the powers conferred thereby to purchase shares in circumstances which they deem appropriate for the benefit of the shareholders. An explanatory statement containing the information necessary to enable the shareholders to make an informed decision to vote on the proposed resolution as required by the Listing Rules is set out in a circular to the shareholders.
6. As at the date of this notice, the board of Directors comprises Mr. Xu Yejun, Mr. Sin Kwok Wai Ronald and Mr. Wu Ye as executive Directors, Mr. Chow Chi Wa and Ms. Yip Sum Yu as non-executive Directors, and Mr. Cao Ke, Mr. Tong Yiu On and Mr. Li Yik Sang, as independent non-executive Directors.