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# HUAXI HOLDINGS COMPANY LIMITED

華禧控股有限公司 (Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability) (Stock Code: 01689)

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#### GENERAL

An ordinary resolution to approve the Share Subdivision will be proposed at the EGM. A circular containing, among other things, further details of the Share Subdivision, together with the notice convening the EGM, will be despatched to the Shareholders on or before Monday, 8 January 2018.

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#### **Conditions of the Share Subdivision**

The Share Subdivision is conditional upon:

(i) the passing of an ordinary resolution to approve the Share Subdivision by the Shareholders at the EGM; and

(ii) the Stock Exchange granting the approval to the listing of, and permission to deal in, the Subdivided Shares.

The Share Subdivision will become effective after the conditions of the Share Subdivision above are fulfilled.

### Listing application

An application will be made by the Company to the Stock Exchange for the listing of and the permission to deal in the Subdivided Shares.

Subject to the granting of the listing of, and permission to deal in, the Subdivided Shares on the Stock Exchange, the Subdivided Shares will be accepted as eligible securities by HKSCC for deposit, clearance and settlement in CCASS with effect from the commencement date of dealings in the Subdivided Shares on the Stock Exchange or such other date as determined by HKSCC. Settlement of transactions between participants of the Stock Exchange on any trading day is required to take place in CCASS on the second trading day thereafter. All activities under CCASS are subject to the General Rules of CCASS and CCASS Operational Procedures in effect from time to time.

#### Effect of the Share Subdivision

As at the date of this announcement, the authorised share capital of the Company is HK\$20,000,000 divided into 2,000,000 Shares, of which 339,250,000 Shares are issued and credited as fully paid. Assuming that no further Shares are issued or repurchased between the date of this announcement and the date of the EGM, immediately after the Share Subdivision becoming effective, the authorised share capital of the Company will become HK\$20,000,000 divided into 4,000,000,000 Subdivided Shares, of which 678,500,000 Subdivided Shares will be in issue and are credited as fully paid.

Upon the Share Subdivision becoming effective, all Subdivided Shares will rank *pari passu* in all respects with the Shares in issue prior to the Share Subdivision and the Share Subdivision will not result in any change in the relevant rights of the Shareholders.

#### **Board lot size**

The Shares are currently traded in the board lot of 2,000 Shares. Upon the Share Subdivision becoming effective, the board lot size for trading will remain unchanged in board lot of 2,000 Subdivided Shares. The Share Subdivision is not expected to result in any odd lots other than those that already exist.

#### Free exchange of share certificates and trading arrangement

Subject to the Share Subdivision becoming effective, which is expected to be on Thursday, 25 January 2018, Shareholders may, during the period from Thursday, 25 January 2018 to Tuesday, 6 March 2018 (both days inclusive) between 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. on any Business Day, submit share certificates for the existing Shares in purple colour to the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shops 1712–1716, 17/F., Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, to exchange, at the expense of the Company, for new

certificates of the Subdivided Shares in blue colour. After the expiry of such period, each share certificate for the existing Shares will be accepted for exchange only on payment of a fee of HK\$2.50 (or such higher amount as may from time to time be specified by the Stock Exchange) for each new share certificate issued for the Subdivided Shares or each share certificate for the existing Shares submitted for cancellation, whichever the number of share certificates issued or cancelled is higher.

The existing share certificates will only be valid for delivery, trading, settlement and registration purposes for the period up to 4:00 p.m. on Friday, 2 March 2018, and thereafter will not be accepted for delivery, trading, settlement and registration purposes. However, the existing share certificates will continue to be good evidence of title to the Subdivided Shares on the basis of one Share for two Subdivided Shares.

It is expected that the new share certificates will be available for collection within a period of ten Business Days after the submission of the existing share certificates to the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong for exchange.

### Securities convertible or exchangeable into Shares

As at the date of this announcement, the Company has 25,790,000 outstanding Share Options granted under the Share Option Scheme. Under the relevant terms and conditions of the Share Option Scheme, the Share Subdivision may lead to adjustments to the exercise price and/or the number of Shares falling to be issued upon the exercise of the Share Options. The Company will make further announcement(s) on such adjustments as and when appropriate.

Save as disclosed above, as at the date of this announcement, the Company does not have any options outstanding under any share option scheme of the Company or any other derivatives, options, warrants and conversion rights or other similar rights which are convertible or exchangeable into Shares.

# **REASONS FOR THE SHARE SUBDIVISION**

Upon the Share Subdivision becoming effective, the par value of each share of the Company will decrease and the total number of shares of the Company in issue will increase. As a result, the Share Subdivision is expected to result in reducing the trading price of each share in the Company correspondingly which would appeal to more investors. The Board believes that the Share Subdivision will improve the liquidity in trading of the shares in the Company and thereby widen its Shareholder base.

As at the date of this announcement, the Company (i) has no any agreement, arrangement, understanding, intention, negotiation (concluded or otherwise) on any potential fund raising activities; and (ii) has no intention to carry out other corporate action in the next twelve months which may have an effect of undermining or negating the intended purpose of the Share Subdivision. Nevertheless, the Company does not obviate the possibility of conducting equity fund raising activities in the future to finance its business development and expansion as and when necessary.

Save for the relevant expenses incurred by the Company, the implementation of the Share Subdivision will have no material effect on the consolidated net asset value of the Group, nor will it alter the underlying assets, business, operations, management or financial position of the Company or the interests of the Shareholders. The Directors believe that the Share Subdivision will not have any material adverse effect on the financial position of the Group.

In view of the above, the Board considers that the Share Subdivision is fair and reasonable and in the interests of the Company and its Shareholders as a whole.

#### **EXPECTED TIMETABLE**

The expected timetable relating to the Share Subdivision and the associated trading arrangement are as follows:

Despatch of circular (including the notice of EGM) and the related form of proxy to the Shareholders On or before Monday, 8 January 2018		
Latest time for lodging transfers of shares to qualify for attending the EGM 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, 18 January 2018		
Closure of register of members for the purpose of determining members who are entitled to attend the EGM (both dates inclusive) Friday, 19 January 2018 to Wednesday, 24 January 2018		
Latest time for lodging form of proxy for the EGM 11:30 a.m. on Monday, 22 January 2018		
Record date for attending and voting at the EGM Wednesday, 24 January 2018		
Date and time of the EGM 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, 24 January 2018		
Publication of the announcement of the results of the EGM Wednesday, 24 January 2018		
The following events are conditional upon the fulfilment of the conditions for the implementation of the Share Subdivision as set out in the section headed "Conditions of the Share Subdivision" above.		
Effective date of the Share Subdivision Thursday, 25 January 2018		
Free exchange of the existing share certificates for the new share certificates for the Subdivided Shares commences		
Dealing in Subdivided Shares commence		

Original counter for trading in Shares in board lots of 2,000 Shares temporarily closes
Temporary counter for trading in Subdivided Shares in board lot size of 4,000 Subdivided Shares (in the form of existing share certificates) opens
Original counter for trading in Subdivided Shares in board lots of 2,000 Subdivided Shares (in the form of new share certificate) reopens
Parallel trading in the Subdivided Shares (in the form of existing share certificates and new share certificates) commences
Temporary counter for trading in Subdivided Shares in board lot size of 4,000 Subdivided Shares (in the form of existing share certificates) closes
Parallel trading in the Subdivided Shares (in the form of existing share certificates and new share certificates) ends
Free exchange of the existing share certificate for the new share certificates for the Subdivided Shares ends Tuesday, 6 March 2018

All times and dates stated in this announcement refer to Hong Kong local times and dates. Dates or deadlines specified in the expected timetable are indicative only and may be extended or varied. Any changes to the expected timetable will be announced as and when appropriate.

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# DEFINITIONS

In this announcement, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions shall have the following meanings when used herein:

"Board"	the board of Directors
"Business Day"	a day (other than a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday) on which licensed banks are generally open for business in Hong Kong throughout their normal business hours
"CCASS"	the Central Clearing and Settlement System established and operated by HKSCC
"Company"	Huaxi Holdings Company Limited, a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability with its securities listed on the Stock Exchange
"Director(s)"	director(s) of the Company
"EGM"	the extraordinary general meeting of the Company to be convened and held for approving, among other things, the Share Subdivision
"HKSCC"	Hong Kong Securities Clearing Company Limited
"Hong Kong"	The Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China
"Listing Committee"	has the meaning ascribed thereto under the Listing Rules
"Listing Rules"	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange
"Share(s)"	the ordinary share(s) in the issued and unissued share capital of the Company, the par value of which being of HK\$0.01 each prior to completion of the Share Subdivision
"Shareholder(s)"	the holder(s) of the Share(s) and/or the Subdivided Share(s) (as the case maybe)
"Share Option(s)"	option(s) to subscribe for Share(s) granted by the Company in accordance with the Share Option Scheme
"Share Option Scheme"	the share option scheme adopted by the Company on 14 November 2013
"Share Subdivision"	the proposed subdivision of every one (1) existing issued and unissued Share into two (2) Subdivided Shares
"Stock Exchange"	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"Subdivided Share(s)"	ordinary share(s) of par value of HK\$0.005 each in the share capital of the Company upon completion of the Share Subdivision
"HK\$"	Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong
··· 0/0 ''	per cent.
	By order of the Board

By order of the Board Huaxi Holdings Company Limited Zheng Andy Yi Sheng Chairman

Hong Kong, 14 December 2017

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Mr. Zheng Andy Yi Sheng and Mr. Zheng Minsheng as executive Directors; and Mr. Lau Kwok Hung, Mr. Fok Po Tin and Mr. Ma Wenming as independent non-executive Directors.