

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of shareholders of the Company will be held at the Chater Rooms II & III, Basement 1 The Ritz-Carlton, 3 Connaught Road Central, Hong Kong on Friday, 3 August 2001 at 10:00 a.m. for the following purposes:

1. To receive and consider the audited financial statements and the reports of the directors and auditors for the year ended 28 February 2001.
2. To fix the directors' fees.
3. To appoint auditors and to authorise the directors to fix their remuneration.
4. To consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (b) below, the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period of all the powers of the Company to purchase shares of HK\$0.50 each in the capital of the Company be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the total nominal amount of the shares to be purchased pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above shall not exceed 10% of the total nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue on the date of this Resolution; and
- (c) for the purpose of this Resolution, "Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this Resolution until whichever is the earlier of:
 - (i) the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company;

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- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by the Companies Ordinance to be held; or
 - (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting.”
- 5. To consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

“**THAT:**
 - (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the capital of the Company pursuant to Section 57B of the Companies Ordinance and to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such powers be and 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 which might require the exercise of such powers at any time during or after the Relevant Period;
 - (c) the total nominal amount of share capital allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) and issued by the directors of the Company pursuant to paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to: (i) a Rights Issue; or (ii) any scrip dividend or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares in lieu of the whole part of a dividend on shares of the Company in accordance with the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company; or (iii) the exercise of subscription rights under the Share Option Scheme of the

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Company, should not exceed 20% of the total nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue on the date of this Resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and

- (d) for the purpose of this Resolution, “Relevant Period” means the period from the passing of this Resolution until whichever is the earlier 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 Companies Ordinance to be held; or
 - (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting.

“Rights Issue” means an offer of shares open for a period fixed by the directors of the Company to holders of shares on the Register of Members on a fixed record date in proportion to their holdings of shares (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the directors of the Company may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlement or having regard to any restrictions and obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange in any territory outside Hong Kong).”

- 6. To consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

“**THAT** the general mandate granted to the directors of the Company and for the time being in force to exercise the powers of the Company to allot shares and to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such powers, be

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and is hereby extended by the addition to the total nominal amount of share capital which may be allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted by the directors of the Company pursuant to such general mandate of an amount representing the total nominal amount of shares in the capital of the Company which has been purchased by the Company since the granting of such general mandate pursuant to the exercise by the directors of the Company of the powers of the Company to purchase such shares, provided that such amount shall not exceed 10% of the total nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue on the date of this resolution".

By order of the Board

John K K MA

Secretary and Executive Director

Hong Kong, 21 June 2001

Notes:

- a. A member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote instead of him. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- b. The instrument appointing a proxy and the 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 lodged with the Company's Share Registrars, Tengis Limited, 4th Floor, Hutchison House, 10 Harcourt Road, Central, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time fixed for holding the meeting. Completion and return of a proxy form will not preclude a member from attending the meeting and voting in person.
- c. Concerning item 5 above, approval is being sought from the members for a general mandate to authorise allotment of shares under Section 57B of the Companies Ordinance and the Listing Rules. The directors have no immediate plan to issue any new shares of the Company other than shares to be issued pursuant to the Company's Share Option Scheme for employees.
- d. An explanatory statement containing further details as regarding items 4 to 6 above will be sent to members together with the 2001 Annual Report.