

China Mobile (Hong Kong) Limited (the "Company", together with its subsidiaries, the "Group") was incorporated in Hong Kong on 3 September 1997. It was listed on the New York Stock Exchange and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited on 22 October 1997 and 23 October 1997, respectively. The Company was admitted as a constituent stock of the Hang Seng Index in Hong Kong on 27 January 1998, and has obtained a Sovereign Rating of BBB by Standard and Poor's and Baa2 by Moody's. The Company is the world's second largest mobile operator in terms of subscriber base.

The Company owns a 100 per cent. interest in Guangdong Mobile Communication Company Limited ("Guangdong Mobile"), Zhejiang Mobile Communication Company Limited ("Zhejiang Mobile"), Jiangsu Mobile Communication Company Limited ("Jiangsu Mobile"), Fujian Mobile Communication Company Limited ("Fujian Mobile"), Henan Mobile Communication Company Limited ("Henan Mobile"), Hainan Mobile Communication Company Limited ("Hainan Mobile"), Beijing Mobile Communication Company Limited ("Beijing Mobile"), Shanghai Mobile Communication Company Limited ("Shanghai Mobile"), Tianjin Mobile Communication Company Limited ("Tianjin Mobile"), Hebei Mobile Communication Company Limited ("Hebei Mobile"), Liaoning Mobile Communication Company Limited ("Liaoning Mobile"), Shandong Mobile Communication Company Limited ("Shandong Mobile") and Guangxi Mobile Communication Company Limited ("Guangxi Mobile"), and operates mobile telecommunications services in the above mentioned provinces, municipalities and autonomous region in the People's Republic of China through these thirteen subsidiaries.

As of 31 December 2001, the Group had an aggregate staff of 38,748 employees and an aggregate mobile telecommunications subscriber base of 69.643 million.

The Company's major shareholder is China Mobile (Hong Kong) Group Limited, which, as of 31 December 2001, indirectly held an equity interest of approximately 75.58 per cent. in the Company through a wholly-owned subsidiary, China Mobile Hong Kong (BVI) Limited. The remaining approximately 24.42 per cent. equity interest in the Company is held by public investors.