# Board of Directors



From left to right

Front row: William E. Mocatta; Andrew Brandler; The Hon. Sir Michael Kadoorie; Ronald J. McAulay

Back row: Peter C. Borer; John A.H. Leigh; Patrick B. Paul; Dr the Hon. Sir David K.P. Li; Dr William K.L. Fung;

Clement K.M. Kwok; Dr Rosanna Y.M. Wong; Pierre R. Boppe; Nicholas T.J. Colfer; Alan Clark

## Non-Executive Chairman

The Hon. Sir Michael Kadoorie

GBS, LL.D. (Hon), DSc (Hon), Commandeur dans l'Ordre National de la Légion d'Honneur, Commandeur de l'Ordre de Leopold II, Commandeur de l'Ordre des Arts et des Lettres

Aged 73. Appointed a Director in 1964 and elected Chairman in 1985, Sir Michael is a substantial shareholder of the Company by virtue of the Securities and Futures

Ordinance. He is the brother-in-law of a fellow Director, Mr Ronald James McAulay, and is a Director of several subsidiaries of the Company. He is also Chairman of CLP Holdings Limited, an Independent Non-Executive Director of Hutchison Whampoa Limited, an Alternate Director of Hong Kong Aircraft Engineering Company Limited, a Director of Sir Elly Kadoorie & Sons Limited, as well as holding a number of other directorships. In addition, Sir Michael acts as a trustee of a number of notable local charitable organisations. (N, E)

A – Audit Committee Member

N - Nomination Committee Member

R – Remuneration Committee Member

E - Executive Committee Member

F – Finance Committee Member

## Non-Executive Deputy Chairman

Andrew Clifford Winawer Brandler

Aged 58. Appointed a Director and Deputy Chairman in May 2014, Mr Brandler is also Chairman of two subsidiaries of the Company. He holds BA and MA degrees from the University of Cambridge, an MBA degree from Harvard Business School, and is a Member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales. From May 2000 to September 2013, Mr Brandler was the Group Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer of CLP Holdings Limited and he remains a Non-Executive Director of this company. He is a Non-Executive Director of Tai Ping Carpets International Limited and Chairman of Sir Elly Kadoorie & Sons Limited, overseeing a number of Kadoorie family interests in Hong Kong and overseas and, as such, is associated with the major shareholders of the Company. Prior to joining CLP Holdings Limited, Mr Brandler worked for Schroders, a U.K. investment bank, based in London, in Singapore and latterly in Hong Kong, where his last position was Head of Asia-Pacific Corporate Finance. He was the Chairman of The Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce between 2008 and 2010. (A, R, E, F)

## **EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS**

#### Chief Executive Officer

Clement King Man Kwok

Chevalier dans l'Ordre National de la Légion d'Honneur

Aged 55. A Bachelor of Science in Economics from the London School of Economics and a Member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales and the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants, Mr Kwok joined the Group in February 2002 as Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer, and is a Director of most of the Group's entities. His career began with Price Waterhouse and Barclays de Zoete Wedd in the United Kingdom, following which he returned to Hong Kong in 1986 to work with Schroders Asia where he was appointed as Head of Corporate Finance in 1991. From 1996 to 2002, Mr Kwok served as Finance Director of MTR Corporation.

He is an Independent Non-Executive Director of Swire Pacific Limited, a Fellow of The Hong Kong Management Association, a Council Member of the World Travel & Tourism Council, and a Board Member of the Faculty of Business and Economics of The University of Hong Kong. Over his long career in Hong Kong, he has served on the Stock Exchange Listing Committee, the Takeovers and Mergers Panel, the Securities and Futures Appeals Tribunal, the Hang Seng Index Advisory Committee and the Harbourfront Commission, as well as the Interpretations Committee of the International Accounting Standards Board in London. (E. F)

## **Chief Operating Officer**

Peter Camille Borer

Aged 61. Appointed to the Board as an Executive Director in April 2004, Mr Borer is a graduate of the Ecole Hoteliere Lausanne, Switzerland and is now a member of the International Advisory Board of the school. He is also a member of the Advisory Board of the School of Hotel and Tourism Management of The Chinese University of Hong Kong. He joined the Group in 1981 and was appointed General Manager of The Peninsula Hong Kong in 1994, taking on additional regional responsibility in 1999, culminating in his appointment as Chief Operating Officer, The Peninsula Hotels, in April 2004. Mr Borer is also a Director of most of the Group's entities.

#### **Chief Financial Officer**

Alan Philip Clark

Aged 47. A Bachelor of Accounting Science from the University of South Africa and a Member of the Chartered Institute of Management Accountants in the United Kingdom, Mr Clark joined the Group in March 2014 as Chief Financial Officer, and is a Director of most of the Group's entities. He began his career with KPMG in South Africa in 1985. He previously worked for Le Meridien Hotels & Resorts as Deputy Vice President Finance, Europe and for Malmaison & Hotel du Vin Hotels as Group Financial Controller, and then Financial Director. Since 2010 and prior to joining the Group, Mr Clark served as Group Finance Director of Rocco Forte Hotels. (F)

## Non-Executive Directors

## Ronald James McAulay

Aged 79. A graduate of the University of Glasgow, a Member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland and brother-in-law of The Hon. Sir Michael Kadoorie, Mr McAulay was appointed to the Board in 1972 and is a substantial shareholder of the Company by virtue of the Securities and Futures Ordinance. He also serves on the Board of CLP Holdings Limited, Sir Elly Kadoorie & Sons Limited and several other companies. Mr McAulay is an Honorary Trustee of the Tate Foundation in London, a trustee of the Victoria and Albert Foundation in London and various other charitable organisations.

#### William Elkin Mocatta

Aged 62. A Fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales, Mr Mocatta was appointed to the Board in 1985 and served as Deputy Chairman from 1993 until May 2002. He is also a Director of several subsidiaries of the Company. Mr Mocatta is an Executive Director of Sir Elly Kadoorie & Sons Limited, overseeing a number of Kadoorie family interests in Hong Kong and overseas and, as such, is associated with the major shareholders of the Company. He holds other non-executive positions including Vice Chairman of CLP Holdings Limited and Chairman of CLP Power Hong Kong Limited. He is also an Alternate Director for The Hon. Sir Michael Kadoorie in Hutchison Whampoa Limited.

#### John Andrew Harry Leigh

Aged 61. Mr Leigh was previously in private practice as a solicitor in Hong Kong and the United Kingdom. He was appointed to the Board in May 2006. He serves on the Boards of CLP Holdings Limited and Sir Elly Kadoorie & Sons Limited, overseeing a number of Kadoorie family interests in Hong Kong and overseas and, as such, is associated with the major shareholders of the Company. (E, F)

## Nicholas Timothy James Colfer

Aged 55. A Master of Arts and with over 30 years of experience in corporate management in the Asia Pacific region, principally in real estate, manufacturing and distribution, Mr Colfer was appointed to the Board in May 2006. He is Chairman of Tai Ping Carpets International Limited and Director of Sir Elly Kadoorie & Sons Limited, overseeing a number of Kadoorie family interests in Hong Kong and overseas and, as such, is associated with the major shareholders of the Company. He also serves on several other corporate Boards in Hong Kong.

## INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE **DIRECTORS**

#### Dr the Hon. Sir David Kwok Po Li

GBM, GBS, OBE, JP, MA Cantab. (Economics & Law), Hon. LLD (Cantab), Hon. DSc. (Imperial), Hon. LLD (Warwick), Hon. DBA (Edinburgh Napier), Hon. D.Hum.Litt. (Trinity, USA), Hon. LLD (Hong Kong), Hon. DSocSc (Lingnan), Hon. DLitt (Macquarie), Hon. DSocSc (CUHK), FCA, FCPA, FCPA (Aust.), FCIB, FHKIB, FBCS, CITP, FCIArb, Officier de l'Ordre de la Couronne, Grand Officer of the Order of the Star of Italian Solidarity, The Order of the Rising Sun, Gold Rays with Neck Ribbon, Commandeur dans l'Ordre National de la Légion d'Honneur

Aged 76. Appointed to the Board in 1987, Sir David is Chairman and Chief Executive of The Bank of East Asia, Limited. Sir David is an Independent Non-Executive Director of Guangdong Investment Limited, The Hong Kong and China Gas Company Limited, PCCW Limited, San Miguel Brewery Hong Kong Limited, SCMP Group Limited and Vitasoy International Holdings Limited (all listed in Hong Kong). Sir David was an Independent Non-Executive Director of COSCO Pacific Limited and China Overseas Land & Investment Limited (both listed in Hong Kong) until May 2012 and March 2013 respectively, a Non-Independent Non-Executive Director of AFFIN Holdings Berhad (listed in Malaysia) until August 2013 and a Director of CaixaBank, S.A. (listed in Spain) until October 2014. He also served as a member of the Legislative Council of Hong Kong from 1985 to 2012. Sir David is the Chairman of The Chinese Banks' Association Limited. He is also a member of the Council of the Treasury Markets Association. (N)

#### Patrick Blackwell Paul

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Aged 67. A Fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales, Mr Paul was appointed to the Board in February 2004. He began his career with Price Waterhouse in London in 1969. A resident of Hong Kong since 1980, he was Chairman and senior partner of PricewaterhouseCoopers in Hong Kong from 1994 until 2001. He is an Independent Non-Executive Director of Johnson Electric Holdings Limited and Pacific Basin Shipping Limited. He is also the Chairman of the Supervisory Board of the British Chamber of Commerce in Hong Kong. (A, R)

## Pierre Roger Boppe

Chevalier dans l'Ordre National de la Légion d'Honneur

Aged 67. A Master of Science from both the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology and Stanford University, Mr Boppe has held various executive positions with the international quality control company SGS and from 1996 until January 2002, he was Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer of the Group. Upon his return to Europe, Mr Boppe continues to be active in the hotel and travel industries. He was re-designated from a Non-Executive Director to an Independent Non-Executive Director in June 2009.

## Dr William Kwok Lun Fung

SBS. OBE. JP

Age 66. Appointed to the Board in January 2011, Dr Fung graduated from Princeton University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Engineering and also holds an MBA degree from the Harvard Graduate School of Business. He was conferred with Honorary Doctorate degrees of Business Administration by The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology and by The Hong Kong Polytechnic University.

Dr Fung is the Group Chairman of Li & Fung Limited and also serves as a Non-Executive Director of other Fung Group companies including Convenience Retail Asia Limited, Trinity Limited and Global Brands Group Holding Limited. He is a Director of the Fung Global Institute, an independent and non-profit think-tank. Dr Fung is an Independent Non-Executive Director of VTech Holdings Limited, Shui On Land Limited, Sun Hung Kai Properties Limited and Singapore Airlines Limited. He is a past Chairman of the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce, the Hong Kong Exporters' Association and Hong Kong Committee for the Pacific Economic Cooperation Council. (A, N)

## Dr Rosanna Yick Ming Wong

DBE, JP

Aged 62. Appointed to the Board in February 2013, Dr Wong holds a Doctor of Philosophy degree in Sociology from University of California, Davis and has been awarded Honorary Doctorates from The Chinese University of Hong Kong, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, The University of Hong Kong, The Hong Kong Institute of Education and The University of Toronto. She is a member of the National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference. She is the Executive Director of The Hong Kong Federation of Youth Groups, a Non-Executive Director of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited and an Independent Non-Executive Director of CK Hutchison Holdings Limited, Cheung Kong (Holdings) Limited and Hutchison Telecommunications Hong Kong Holdings Limited. In addition, Dr Wong is the Non-Executive Chairman of the Hongkong Bank Foundation's Advisory Committee, Honorary Chairman of World Vision Hong Kong and a Global Advisor to Mars, Incorporated. She is a member of The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology Business School Advisory Council, and an elected Member of the Council and an ex-officio Member of the Court of The University of Hong Kong. (R)