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FORTUNE TELECOM HOLDINGS LIMITED

長遠電信網絡集團有限公司*

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)

ANNOUNCEMENT

The board of Directors of Fortune Telecom Holdings Limited (the “Board”) has noted the recent increase in the price of the shares of the Company on 20th August, 2001 and wishes to state that the Board is not aware of any reasons thereof.

The Board also confirms that there are no negotiations or agreements relating to intended acquisitions or realisations disclosable under Chapters 19 to 20 of the GEM Listing Rules. The Board is also not aware of any matter disclosable under the general obligation imposed by Rule 17.10 of the GEM Listing Rules, which is or may be of a price sensitive nature. Made by the order of the Board, the Directors collectively and individually accept responsibility for the accuracy of this announcement.

By Order of the Board
Fortune Telecom Holdings Limited
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Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 20th August, 2001

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