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# SHENG YE CAPITAL LIMITED

# 盛業資本有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

Stock code: 8469

# DISCLOSEABLE TRANSACTION — DISPOSAL OF ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

#### DISPOSAL AGREEMENT

The Board hereby announces that on 1 August 2018, SY Factoring, an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, entered into the Disposal Agreement with the Purchaser pursuant to which SY Factoring agreed to dispose of and the Purchaser agreed to acquire the Accounts Receivable at a consideration of approximately RMB164.4 million.

#### GEM LISTING RULES IMPLICATIONS

The Directors consider that since the Previous Disposal Agreements and the Disposal Agreement were entered into with the same Purchaser under the Framework Disposal Agreement within 12 months, the transactions contemplated under the Disposal Agreement shall be aggregated with the transactions under the Previous Disposal Agreements under Rule 19.22 of the GEM Listing Rules.

As the highest applicable percentage ratio for the Company as calculated under Rule 19.07 of the GEM Listing Rules in relation to the Disposal Agreement either on standalone basis or on aggregate basis exceeds 5% but is less than 25%, the Disposal Agreement constitutes a discloseable transaction for the Company under the GEM Listing Rules and is subject to the reporting and announcement requirements.

#### INTRODUCTION

Reference is made to the announcement of the Company dated 31 July 2018 in relation to the Previous Disposal Agreements.

On 1 August 2018, SY Factoring entered into the Disposal Agreement with the Purchaser whereby SY Factoring agreed to dispose of and the Purchaser agreed to acquire the Accounts Receivable at a consideration of approximately RMB164.4 million.

#### **DISPOSAL AGREEMENT**

The principal terms of the Disposal Agreement are set out as follows.

Date: 1 August 2018

Parties: (1) The Purchaser, a company established in the PRC with limited liability and is principally

engaged in trust business. To the best knowledge, information and belief of the Directors having made all reasonable enquiries, the Purchaser and its ultimate beneficial owner are Independent Third

Parties.

(2) SY Factoring, an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of the Company which principal business is, among other things, commercial

factoring.

#### The Accounts Receivable to be disposed of

The book value of the Accounts Receivable was approximately RMB156.1 million. The Accounts Receivable were comprised of accounts receivable due from the Debtor. The expiry date of the Accounts Receivable was 25 March 2019.

On 1 August 2018, SY Factoring and the Purchaser entered into an acknowledgement of disposal with the Debtor pursuant to which the parties confirmed the book value of the Accounts Receivable. Further, the Debtor acknowledged that SY Factoring has been appointed to manage the Accounts Receivable. After the completion of the Disposal Agreement, the Debtor shall continue to pay the monies due under the Accounts Receivable to SY Factoring.

The disposal is without recourse against SY Factoring, which means that SY Factoring is not liable for default in payment by the Debtor.

## Consideration and payment terms

The considerations to be paid by the Purchaser to acquire the Accounts Receivable was approximately RMB164.4 million. The consideration is expected to be settled by the Purchaser by paying to the designated bank account of SY Factoring on 1 August 2018 for the Accounts Receivable.

#### Basis of determination of the consideration

The considerations were determined on arm's length negotiations between SY Factoring and the Purchaser based on 1) the book value of the Accounts Receivable; 2) the numbers of days between the date of disposal and the expected dates of payment by the Debtor; and 3) the credit worthiness of the Debtor.

## Completion of the disposal

Completion of the Disposal Agreement is expected to take place upon the date of receipt of the consideration by SY Factoring, being 1 August 2018.

Pursuant to the transfer registration agreement between SY Factoring and the Purchaser on 31 July 2018, SY Factoring agreed to provide assistance to the Purchaser to register in the Zhongdeng Net the transfer of accounts receivable being disposed of by SY Factoring to the Purchaser pursuant to the Framework Disposal Agreement including the Accounts Receivable.

## TRUST MANAGEMENT SERVICE

According to the Purchaser, the Purchaser is acquiring the Accounts Receivable for and on behalf of a trust set up by it and using the trust funds. Pursuant to the terms of the Framework Disposal Agreement, SY Factoring agreed to provide accounts receivable management service in relation to the Accounts Receivable to the Purchaser. SY Factoring shall collect the monies due from the Debtor under the Accounts Receivable for and on behalf of the Purchaser and SY Factoring shall transfer the monies collected to a designated bank account of the Purchaser on the date of receipt of the monies (or the next business day if the date of receipt of the monies is not a business day). The services were provided in consideration of the Purchaser agreeing to enter into the Disposal Agreement and therefore no service fee will be charged by SY Factoring for the services provided by it.

#### FINANCIAL EFFECT OF THE DISPOSAL AND USE OF PROCEEDS

After the completion of the transactions under the Disposal Agreement, the Board expects that the Company will record a gain of approximately RMB7.9 million for the Disposal Agreement based on the difference between the book value of the Accounts Receivable being disposed of and the consideration of the disposal, net of sales related taxes.

The Group intends to use the proceeds from disposal of the Accounts Receivable to finance the factoring loans granted by the Group to its customers and as general working capital.

#### REASONS FOR AND BENEFITS OF THE DISPOSAL

The Group is principally engaged in the provision of enterprise financial services offering accounts receivable financing and other related solutions, mainly in the energy, construction and medical sectors in the PRC. The Directors consider that the Disposal Agreement was entered into on normal commercial terms and in the ordinary and usual course of business of the Group.

The Group entered into the Disposal Agreement with the intention of improving the cash flow of the Group, managing the Group's factoring assets portfolio and providing funds for the Group's factoring business.

Given that the Disposal Agreement was being conducted in the ordinary and usual course of business of SY Factoring and under normal commercial terms, the Directors are of the view that the terms of the Disposal Agreement are fair and reasonable and are in the interests of the Company and Shareholders as a whole.

## **GEM LISTING RULES IMPLICATIONS**

The Directors consider that since the Previous Disposal Agreements and the Disposal Agreement were entered into with the same Purchaser under the Framework Disposal Agreement within 12 months, the transactions contemplated under the Disposal Agreement shall be aggregated with the transactions under the Previous Disposal Agreements under Rule 19.22 of the GEM Listing Rules.

As the highest applicable percentage ratio for the Company as calculated under Rule 19.07 of the GEM Listing Rules in relation to the Disposal Agreements either on standalone basis or on aggregate basis exceeds 5% but is less than 25%, the Disposal Agreement constitutes a discloseable transaction for the Company under the GEM Listing Rules and is subject to the reporting and announcement requirements.

#### **DEFINITIONS**

In this announcement, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions shall have the following respective meanings.

"Accounts Receivable" the accounts receivable to be disposed of pursuant

to the Disposal Agreement

"Board" the board of Directors

"Company" Sheng Ye Capital Limited, an exempted company

incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability, whose Shares are listed on the GEM of the

Stock Exchange

"connected person(s)" has the meaning ascribed to it under the GEM

Listing Rules

"Debtor" the underlying debtor of the Accounts Receivable

which is principally engaged in trading of oil and

petrochemical products

"Disposal Agreement" the accounts receivable disposal agreement

between SY Factoring and the Purchaser dated 1 August 2018 pursuant to which SY Factoring agreed to dispose of and the Purchaser agreed to

acquire the Accounts Receivable

"Framework Disposal the framework disposal agreement between SY

Agreement" Factoring and the Purchaser dated 31 July 2018

pursuant to which SY Factoring agreed to dispose of and the Purchaser agreed to acquire accounts receivable from SY Factoring in an aggregate

amount of not more than RMB1,000 million

"GEM" the GEM operated by the Stock Exchange

"GEM Listing Rules" the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on

the GEM of the Stock Exchange

"Group" the Company and its subsidiaries

"Hong Kong" the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of

the PRC

"Independent Third Party(ies)"

the independent third party(ies) who is/are, to the best of the Directors' knowledge, information and belief having made all reasonable enquiries, independent of and not connected with the Company and the connected person(s) (as defined in the GEM Listing Rules) of the Company

"PRC"

the People's Republic of China, for the purpose of this announcement only, excludes Hong Kong, Macau Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China and Taiwan

"Previous Disposal Agreements"

collectively, the accounts receivable disposal agreements between SY Factoring and the Purchaser dated 31 July 2018 pursuant to which SY Factoring agreed to dispose of and the Purchaser agreed to acquire accounts receivable from a debtor, details of which are stipulated in the announcement of the Company dated 31 July 2018

"Purchaser"

the purchaser of the Accounts Receivable under the Disposal Agreement which is principally engaged in trust business

"RMB"

Renminbi, the lawful currency of the PRC

"Shares"

ordinary share(s) having a par value of HK\$0.01 each in the capital of the Company

"Shareholders"

the holders of Shares

"Stock Exchange"

The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"subsidiary(ies)"

has the meaning ascribed to it under the GEM

Listing Rules

"SY Factoring"

盛業商業保理有限公司 (SY Factoring Limited), a company established in the PRC and a subsidiary of the Group

"Zhongdeng Net"

中國人民銀行征信中心動產融資統一登記系統 (the People's Bank of China Credit Reference Center Movables Financing Unified Registration System\*), a registration system for transfer of accounts receivable in the PRC established under the property law of the PRC

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per cent

By order of the Board

Sheng Ye Capital Limited

Tung Chi Fung

Chairman

# Hong Kong, 1 August 2018

This announcement, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the GEM Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Company. The Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that to the best of their knowledge and belief the information contained in this announcement is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this announcement misleading.

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises two executive Directors: Mr. Tung Chi Fung and Mr. Chen Jen-Tse; one non-executive Director: Ms. Tung Ching Ching, and three independent non-executive Directors: Mr. Hung Ka Hai Clement, Mr. Loo Yau Soon and Mr. Twoon Wai Mun, Benjamin.

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