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LIFE CONCEPTS

Life Concepts Holdings Limited

生活概念控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 8056)

PROFIT WARNING

This announcement is made by Life Concepts Holdings Limited (the “**Company**”, together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) pursuant to Rule 17.10(2)(a) of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on GEM of the Stock Exchange (the “**GEM Listing Rules**”) and Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

The board (the “**Board**”) of directors (the “**Directors**”) of the Company wishes to inform the shareholders of the Company (the “**Shareholders**”) and potential investors that, based on a preliminary review of the unaudited management accounts of the Group for the nine months ended 31 December 2019 (the “**Reporting Period**”) and assessment of the latest information currently available to the Board, the Group is expected to record a significant increase in loss during the Reporting Period as compared to the same period in 2018. It was primarily attributable to the following factors:

- (i) The operating results of our restaurants were negatively impacted by the unexpected political activities in Hong Kong arising from the anti-extradition bill protests since June 2019, which outweighed the decrease in the operating costs of our food and beverage business, comprising mainly cost of inventories consumed, staff costs and other operating expenses as a result of our cost control and the close down of certain loss-making restaurants. As a result, the Company expects to record an increase in operating loss for our food and beverage business notwithstanding our efforts on expanding our business in exciting locations and with larger scale; and

- (ii) The Group also expects to record an operating loss and related administrative expenses incurred for the preparation and launch of the new interior design and fitting-out business and provision of organic vegetables consulting services in the People's Republic of China. Since the new businesses were just started in the Reporting Period, it is expected that continuous revenue and operating profit will be generated in the coming future.

Separately, for the nine months ended 31 December 2018, the Company recorded one-off impairment losses on property, plant and equipment of approximately HK\$6.3 million and HK\$3.2 million, respectively, for a Western restaurant and an Asian restaurant closed down during such period. It is expected that no such impairment loss will be recognised during the nine months ended 31 December 2019.

Regarding our restaurant operation, our management will continue to control costs in order to minimise the effect of the recent social instability.

As the Company is still in the process of finalising the unaudited consolidated interim results of the Group for the Reporting Period, the information contained in this announcement is only a preliminary assessment by the Board based on the latest information currently available, and is not based on any data or information which is reviewed by the audit committee of the Company nor audited by the auditors of the Company. The unaudited consolidated interim results of the Group for the Reporting Period may be subject to further adjustments, if any, upon further review. Shareholders and potential investors are advised to read carefully the quarterly results announcement of the Company for the Reporting Period and the 2019/20 third quarterly report of the Company.

Shareholders and potential investors should exercise caution when dealing in the securities of the Company.

By order of the Board
Life Concepts Holdings Limited
James Fu Bin Lu
Chief executive officer and Chairman

Hong Kong, 3 February 2020

As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. James Fu Bin Lu, Mr. Sandeep Sekhri, and Mr. Long Hai; the non-executive Director is Mr. Li Lun; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. Lu Cheng, Mr. Fei Dingan, and Mr. Shi Kangping.

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.

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