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# NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an annual general meeting of China Ocean Group Development Limited (the "**Company**") will be held at Room 3005, 30/F, Greater China International Exchange Plaza, 1 Fuhua 1st Road, Futian, Shenzhen on 29 December 2023 at 10:30 a.m. for the following purposes:

## **ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS**

- To consider and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company and the reports of the directors (the "Directors") and independent auditor (the "Independent Auditor") of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2023;
- 2. (a) To re-elect Mr. Cai Haiming as an executive Director ("ED");
  - (b) To re-elect Mr. Cai Haipeng as an ED;
  - (c) To re-elect Mr. Lui Chun Pong as a non-executive Director;
  - (d) To re-elect Mr. Kam Hou Yin, John as an independent non-executive Director ("INED");
  - (e) To re-elect Mr. Liu Qiang as an INED;
  - (f) To authorise the board of Directors (the "**Board**") to fix the remuneration of the Directors for the year ending 31 March 2024;

- 3. To fix the maximum number of Directors at 15 and authorise the Directors to appoint additional Directors up to such maximum number as and when the Board considers necessary and appropriate;
- 4. To re-appoint Elite Partners CPA Limited ("Elite Partners") as the Independent Auditor to hold office until the conclusion of the next annual general meeting and authorise the Board to fix its remuneration;

As special business to consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without modification, the following resolutions as Ordinary Resolutions:

### 5. **"THAT**:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) of this Resolution below, pursuant to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on GEM of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited, the exercise by the directors of the Company (the "Directors") during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with unissued shares in the share capital of the Company (the "Shares") or securities convertible into or exchangeable for the Shares, or options or warrants for similar rights to subscribe for any Shares and to make or grant offers, agreements and options, including warrants to subscribe for Shares, which might require the exercise of such powers be and the same is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) of this Resolution above shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period (as defined below) to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the aggregate number of Shares allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to options or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this Resolution above, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as defined below); or (ii) the exercise of any options granted under the share option scheme of the Company; or (iii) any scrip dividend or similar arrangements providing for the allotment and issue of Shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on Shares in accordance with the bye-laws of the Company (the "**Bye-laws**") in force from time to time; or (iv) any issue of Shares upon the exercise of rights of subscription, conversion or exchange under the terms of any warrants of the Company or any securities which are convertible into or exchange for Shares, shall not exceed the aggregate of:
  - (aa) 20% of the aggregate number of Shares as at the date of the passing of this Resolution; and

(bb) (if the Directors are so authorised by a separate ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company (the "**Shareholders**") the aggregate number of any Shares repurchased by the Company subsequent to the passing of this Resolution (up to a maximum equivalent to 10% of the aggregate number of Shares as at the date of the passing of this Resolution),

and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) of this Resolution above shall be limited accordingly; and

(d) for the purposes of this Resolution:

"**Relevant Period**" means the period from the date of the passing of this Resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Bye-laws, the Companies Act 1981 of Bermuda (as amended) or any other applicable laws of Bermuda to be held; and
- (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the Shareholders in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the Directors by this Resolution;

"**Rights Issue**" means an offer of Shares, or offer or issue of warrants, options or other securities giving rights to subscribe for Shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of Shares on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of Shares (subject to such exclusion or other arrangements as the Directors may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements, or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of, or the expense or delay which may be involved in determining the existence or extent of any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of, any jurisdiction outside Hong Kong or any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange outside Hong Kong)."

### 6. **"THAT:**

- (a) subject to paragraph (b) of this Resolution below, the exercise by the directors of the Company (the "Directors") during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all powers of the Company to purchase shares in the share capital of the Company (the "Shares") on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") or any other stock exchange on which the Shares may be listed and recognized by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong (the "Commission") and the Stock Exchange under the Hong Kong Code on Share Buy-backs administered by the Commission for such purpose, and otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Commission, the Stock Exchange, the Companies Act 1981 of Bermuda (as amended) (the "Companies Act") and all other applicable laws in this regard, be and the same is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the aggregate number of the Shares which may be purchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this Resolution above during the Relevant Period (as defined below) shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate number of the issued Shares as at the date of the passing of this Resolution and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) of this Resolution shall be limited accordingly; and
- (c) for the purpose of this Resolution:

"**Relevant Period**" means the period from the passing of this Resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the bye-laws of the Company, the Companies Act or any other applicable laws of Bermuda to be held; and
- (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the Directors by this Resolution."

7. **"THAT** subject to the passing of Resolutions no. 5 and 6 set out in the notice convening the annual general meeting of the Company (the "**Notice**"), the authority of the directors of the Company pursuant to Resolution no. 5 set out in the Notice be and is hereby approved to extend to cover such amount representing the aggregate number of the issued Shares repurchased pursuant to the authority granted pursuant to Resolution no. 6 set out in the Notice."

## AS SPECIAL RESOLUTION

8. "THAT the proposed amendments to the existing bye-laws of the Company (the "**Proposed Amendments**") as set out in Appendix III to the circular of the Company dated 7 Decemebr 2023 (the "**Circular**") be and are hereby approved and the new bye-laws of the Company consolidating all the Proposed Amendments, a copy of which is produced to the meeting and marked "A" and has been signed by the Chairman of the meeting for the purpose of identification, be and are hereby approved and adopted as the new bye-laws of the Company in substitution for and to the exclusion of all of the existing bye-laws of the Company."

By Order of the Board China Ocean Group Development Limited Liu Rongsheng Executive Director and Chairman

Hong Kong, 7 December 2023

Registered office: Clarendon House 2 Church Street Hamilton HM 11 Bermuda Head office and principal place of business in Hong Kong: Room 03, 22/F., China Resources Building 26 Harbour Road Wan Chai, Hong Kong

#### Notes:

1. A member of the Company (the "**Member**") entitled to attend and vote at the annual general meeting of the Company (the "AGM") convened by the above Notice or its adjourned meeting (as the case may be) is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and, subject to the provisions of the Bye-laws, to vote on his/her/its behalf. A proxy need not be a Member but must be present in person at the AGM to represent the Member. If more than one proxy is so appointed, the appointment shall specify the number and class of Shares in respect of which each such proxy is so appointed.

- 2. In order to be valid, the form of proxy must be deposited together with a power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a certified copy of that power or authority, at the offices of the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong not later than 48 hours (i.e. 10:30 a.m. on 27 December 2023) before the time for holding the AGM or its adjourned meeting. Completion and return of a form of proxy will not preclude a Member from attending in person and voting at the AGM or its adjourned meeting should he/she/it so wish.
- 3. Where there are joint holders of any Share, any one of such joint holders may vote at the AGM, either in personal or by proxy, in respect of such Share as if he/she/it were solely entitled thereto; but should more than one of such joint holders be present at the AGM in person or by proxy, that one of the said joint holders so present whose name stands first on the register of members of the Company in respect of such Share(s) shall alone be entitled to vote in respect thereof.
- 4. For determining Members' entitlement to attend and vote at the AGM, the register of Members will be closed on Wednesday, 20 December 2023 to Friday, 29 December 2023 (both dates inclusive), during which period no transfer of Shares will be effected. In order to qualify for attending the forthcoming AGM, all transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, 19 December 2023.
- 5. In relation to the proposed Resolution no. 4 above, the Board concurs with the views of the Audit Committee of the Company and has recommended that Elite Partners be re-appointed as the Independent Auditor.
- 6. In relation to proposed Resolutions nos. 5 and 7 above, approval is being sought from the Members for the grant to the Directors of a general mandate to authorise the allotment and issue of Shares under the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the GEM of the Stock Exchange (the "GEM Listing Rules"). The Directors have no immediate plans to issue any new Shares.
- 7. In relation to proposed Resolution no. 6 above, the Directors wish to state that they will exercise the powers conferred thereby to repurchase Shares in circumstances which they consider appropriate for the benefit of the Members as a whole. An explanatory statement containing the information necessary to enable the Members to make an informed decision to vote on the proposed resolution as required by the GEM Listing Rules is set out in Appendix I of the circular.
- 8. According to Rule 17.47(4) of the GEM Listing Rules, voting on all proposed resolutions set out in the Notice will be taken by a poll.
- 9. If tropical cyclone warning signal no. 8 or above is hoisted or "extreme conditions" caused by super typhoons or a black rainstorm warning signal is in force at 7:00 a.m. on Friday, 29 December 2023, the meeting will be postponed and further announcement for details of alternative meeting arrangements will be made. The meeting will be held as scheduled even when tropical cyclone warning signal no. 3 or below is hoisted, or an amber or red rainstorm warning signal is in force. You should make your own decision as to whether you would attend the meeting under bad weather conditions and if you should choose to do so, you are advised to exercise care and caution.

As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. Liu Rongsheng, Mr. Cai Haiming, Cai Haipeng and Mr. Fan Guocheng; the non-executive Director is Mr. Lui Chun Pong; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. Kam Hou Yin, John, Mr. Li Cao and Mr. Liu Qiang.

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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