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# Winning Tower Group Holdings Limited 運 興 泰 集 團 控 股 有 限 公 司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 8362)

## JOINT ANNOUNCEMENT

DESPATCH OF COMPOSITE DOCUMENT RELATING
TO MANDATORY UNCONDITIONAL CASH OFFER
BY RAINBOW CAPITAL (HK) LIMITED FOR AND ON BEHALF OF
THE OFFERORS TO ACQUIRE ALL OF THE ISSUED SHARES
IN THE ISSUED SHARE CAPITAL OF
WINNING TOWER GROUP HOLDINGS LIMITED
(OTHER THAN THOSE SHARES ALREADY OWNED OR AGREED
TO BE ACQUIRED BY THE OFFERORS AND
PARTIES ACTING IN CONCERT WITH ANY ONE OF THEM)

Financial adviser to the Offerors



**Independent Financial Adviser to the Independent Board Committee** 

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References are made to (i) the joint announcement issued by the Offerors and the Company dated 1 February 2024 in relation to, among others, the Sale and Purchase Agreement and the Offer pursuant to Rule 3.5 of the Takeovers Code; (ii) the joint announcements issued by the Offerors and the Company dated 21 February 2024 and 5 April 2024 in relation to the delay in despatch of the Composite Document; (iii) the monthly update announcement dated 21 March 2024; and (iv) the Composite Document dated 15 April 2024. Unless otherwise defined, capitalized terms herein shall have the same meanings as those defined in the Composite Document.

#### DESPATCH OF THE COMPOSITE DOCUMENT

The Composite Document (accompanied by the Form of Acceptance) containing, among others, (i) the terms and conditions of the Offer; (ii) the recommendation from the Independent Board Committee; and (iii) a letter of advice from the Independent Financial Adviser to the Independent Board Committee in respect of the terms of the Offer and as to the acceptance of the Offer, have been despatch to the Shareholders on 15 April 2024 in accordance with the Takeovers Code.

Copies of the Composite Document and the accompanying Form of Acceptance are also available on the websites of the Stock Exchange and of the Company.

### **EXPECTED TIMETABLE**

The timetable set out below, as reproduced from the Composite Document, is indicative only and is subject to change. Any changes to the timetable will be jointly announced by the Offerors and the Company as and when appropriate. Unless otherwise specified, all dates and times contained in this joint announcement refer to Hong Kong dates and times.

2024

Despatch date of the Composite Document and
the accompanying Form of Acceptance and
commencement date of the Offer (Note 1)
Latest time and date for acceptance of the Offer
(Notes 1, 2 and 4)
Monday, 6 May
Closing Date (Notes 1 and 2)
Announcement of the results of the Offer, to be posted
on the website of the Stock Exchange (Note 1) no later than 7:00 p.m. on Monday, 6 May
Latest date for posting of remittances in respect of valid acceptances received under the Offer ( <i>Notes 3 and 4</i> ) Thursday, 16 May
Notes:

(1) The Offer, which is unconditional in all respect, is made on the date of posting of the Composite Document, and is capable of acceptance on and from that date until 4:00 p.m. on the Closing Date.

In accordance with the Takeovers Code, the Offer must remain open for acceptance for at least 21 days following the date on which the Composite Document is posted. The latest time and date for acceptance will be at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, 6 May 2024 unless the Offerors revise or extend the Offer in accordance with the Takeovers Code. The Offerors and the Company will jointly issue an announcement through the websites of the Stock Exchange and the Company no later than 7:00 p.m. on Monday, 6 May 2024 stating the results of the Offer and whether the Offer has been extended, revised or expired. In the event that the Offerors decide to extend the Offer, and the announcement regarding the extension of the Offer does not specify the next closing date, at least 14 days' notice by way of an announcement will be given before the Offer is closed to those Independent Shareholders who have not accepted the Offer.

- (2) Beneficial owners of the Shares who hold their Shares in CCASS directly as an investor participant or indirectly via a broker or custodian participant should note the timing requirements (set out in section headed "General procedures for acceptance of the Offer" in Appendix I to the Composite Document) for causing instructions to be made to CCASS in accordance with the General Rules of CCASS and CCASS Operational Procedures.
- (3) Remittances in respect of the cash consideration (after deducting the seller's ad valorem stamp duty) payable for the Offer Shares tendered under the Offer will be despatched to the Independent Shareholders accepting the Offer by ordinary post at their own risk as soon as possible, but in any event within seven (7) Business Days following the date of receipt by the Registrar of all relevant documents (receipt of which renders such acceptance complete and valid), in accordance with the Takeovers Code. Acceptances of the Offer shall be irrevocable and not capable of being withdrawn, except as permitted under the Takeovers Code. Please refer to the paragraph headed "5. Right of withdrawal" in Appendix I to the Composite Document for further information on the circumstances where acceptances may be withdrawn.
- (4) If there is a tropical cyclone warning signal number 8 or above, or "extreme conditions" caused by super typhoons or a black rainstorm warning:
  - (a) in force in Hong Kong at any local time before 12:00 noon but no longer in force after 12:00 noon on the latest date for acceptance of the Offer and the latest date for despatch of remittances for the amounts due under the Offer in respect of valid acceptances, the latest time for acceptance of the Offer will remain at 4:00 p.m. on the same Business Day and the latest date for despatch of remittances will remain on the same Business Day; or
  - (b) in force in Hong Kong at any local time between 12:00 noon and 4:00 p.m. on the latest date for acceptance of the Offer and the latest date for despatch of remittances for the amounts due under the Offer in respect of valid acceptances, the latest time for acceptance of the Offer will be rescheduled to 4:00 p.m. on the following Business Day which does not have either of those warnings in force at any time between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. and the latest date for despatch of remittances will be rescheduled to the following Business Day which does not have either of those warnings in force at any time between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m..

Save as mentioned above, if the latest time for acceptance of the Offer do not take effect on the date and time as stated above, the other dates mentioned above may be affected. The Offerors and the Company will notify the Independent Shareholders by way of announcement(s) on any change to the expected timetable as soon as practicable.

#### WARNING

Shareholders are encouraged to read the Composite Document and the accompanying Form of Acceptance carefully, in particular (i) the Letter from the Independent Financial Adviser; and (ii) the Letter from the Independent Board Committee therein, before deciding whether or not to accept the Offer.

The Shareholders and potential investors of the Company are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the Shares, and if they are in any doubt about their position, they should consult their professional advisers.

The Offerors and the Company remind their respective associates of the dealing restrictions under the Takeovers Code and to disclose their permitted dealings, if any, in any securities of the Company.

Mr. Zhong Yuhua 鍾育華 Ms. Ou Honglian 歐紅蓮 Mr. Zhong Juzhi 鍾舉至 Mr. Zhong Rongzhi 鍾荣至 By order of the Board of
Winning Tower Group Holdings Limited
Lai King Wah

Chairman and Executive Director

Hong Kong, 15 April 2024

As at the date of this joint announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. Lai King Wah, Mr. Lai Ho Yin Eldon and Mr. Ho Timothy Kin Wah; the non-executive Directors are Mr. Yu Ting Hei, Mr. Wong Wang Leong and Ms. Ou Honglian; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. Chau Chun Wai, Mr. Lo Sun Tong and Mr. Lam Lai Kiu Kelvin.

All Directors jointly and severally accept full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in this joint announcement (other than the information relating to the Offerors and parties acting in concert with them), and confirm, having made all reasonable enquires, that to the best of their knowledge, opinions expressed in this joint announcement (other than those expressed by the Offerors (in their capacity as an Offeror) and parties acting in concert with them) have been arrived at after due and careful consideration and there are no other facts not contained in this joint announcement, the omission of which would make any statement contained in this joint announcement misleading.

As at the date of this joint announcement, the Offerors are Mr. Zhong Yuhua, Ms. Ou Honglian, Mr. Zhong Juzhi and Mr. Zhong Rongzhi. The Offerors accept full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in this joint announcement (other than the information relating to the Vendors and the Group), and confirm, having made all reasonable enquires, that to the best of their knowledge, opinions expressed in this joint announcement (other than those expressed by the Directors in their capacity as such) have been arrived at after due and careful consideration and there are no other facts not contained in this joint announcement, the omission of which would make any statement contained in this joint announcement misleading.

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