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# **STONE GROUP HOLDINGS LIMITED**

四通控股有限公司 (Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 409)

# NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the annual general meeting of the Company will be held at 27/F., K. Wah Centre, 191 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong on Thursday, 23 July, 2009 at 3:00 p.m. for the following purposes:–

- 1. To receive and consider the audited consolidated financial statements and the reports of the directors and auditors for the year ended 31 March, 2009.
- 2. To re-elect directors and authorise the board of directors to fix the remuneration of the directors.
- 3. To re-appoint auditors for the ensuring year and authorise the board of directors to fix their remuneration.
- 4. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:-

## **ORDINARY RESOLUTION**

#### "THAT:-

- (a) subject to paragraph (b) below, the exercise by the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to repurchase shares of the Company on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited ("Stock Exchange") or on any other stock exchange on which the shares of the Company may be listed and recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong and the Stock Exchange for this purpose, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and the requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange or of any other stock exchange as amended from time to time, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the aggregate nominal amount of shares of the Company which the directors of the Company are authorised to repurchase pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue at the date of passing this Resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (c) for the purposes 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 applicable law or the articles of association of the Company to be held; or
  - (iii) the date on which the authority set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting."
- 5. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:-

## **ORDINARY RESOLUTION**

#### "THAT:-

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below and pursuant to Section 57B of the Companies Ordinance, the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including bonds, warrants and debentures convertible into shares of the Company) which would or might require the exercise of such power be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) above shall authorise the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including bonds, warrants and debentures convertible into shares of the Company) which would or might require the exercise of such power after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the aggregate nominal amount of share capital allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) and issued by the directors of the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than
  - (i) a Rights Issue (as defined below);
  - (ii) an issue of shares under any option scheme or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the grant or issue of shares or rights to acquire shares of the Company; or
  - (iii) an issue of shares as scrip dividends pursuant to the articles of association of the Company from time to time shall not exceed 20% of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of passing this Resolution, and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and

- (d) 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 applicable law or the articles of association of the Company to be held; or
  - (iii) the date on which the authority set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting; and

"Rights Issue" means an offer of shares or issue of options, warrants or other securities giving the right to subscribe for shares of the Company, open for a period fixed by the directors of the Company to the holders of shares of the Company, or any class of shares of the Company, whose names appear on the register of members of the Company (and, where appropriate, to holders of other securities of the Company entitled to the offer) on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares (or, where appropriate such other securities) as at that date subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the directors of the Company 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 any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange in, any territory outside Hong Kong applicable to the Company."

6. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:-

### **ORDINARY RESOLUTION**

"THAT subject to the passing of the Resolutions set out in items 4 and 5 of the notice convening this meeting, the general mandate granted to the directors of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares pursuant to the resolution set out in item 5 of the notice convening this meeting be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto of an amount representing the aggregate nominal amount of shares in the capital of the Company repurchased by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to the Resolution set out in item 4 of the notice convening this meeting, provided that such amount of shares so repurchased shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of passing the said Resolution."

By Order of the Board HUI Yick Lok, Francis Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 29 June, 2009

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#### Notes:-

- 1. At the meeting, the Chairman of the meeting will put each of the above resolution to be voted by way of a poll under Article 74 of the Company's Articles of Association.
- 2. Any member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and on a poll, vote in his stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- 3. To be valid, a proxy form, together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy thereof, must be deposited at the office of the Company's share registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Rooms 1806-1807, 18th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the appointed time for holding the meeting or any adjournment thereof.
- 4. The register of members of the Company will be closed from 20 July, 2009 to 23 July, 2009 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares will be registered. In order to determine the entitlement to attend and vote at the meeting, all transfers accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the transfer office of the Company's share registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, at Rooms 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for the registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on 17 July, 2009.
- 5. With regard to item 2 above, the retiring Directors seeking for re-election are Messrs. SHEN Guojun, SHI Yuzhu, Andrew Y. YAN and LIU Jipeng. Details of these Directors are set out in the Appendix II of the circular to shareholders of the Company dated 29 June, 2009.

As at the date of this notice of annual general meeting, the board of directors of the Company comprises ten directors of whom Messrs. DUAN Yongji, SHI Yuzhu, SHEN Guojun, ZHANG Disheng, CHEN Xiaotao and LIU Zuowei are executive directors; Mr. CHENG Fumin is non-executive director; and Messrs. NG Ming Wah, Charles, Andrew Y. YAN and LIU Jipeng are independent non-executive directors.