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# 中外運航運有限公司 SINOTRANS SHIPPING LTD． 

（Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability）
（Stock Code：368）

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of Sinotrans Shipping Limited（the ＂Company＂）will be held at Regal Ballroom，Basement 1，Regal Hong Kong Hotel， 88 Yee Wo Street， Causeway Bay，Hong Kong on Thursday， 14 June 2018 at 2：00 p．m．for the following purposes：

1．To receive and consider the audited financial statements，the report of the Directors and the independent auditor＇s report for the year ended 31 December 2017.

2．To declare a final dividend．

3．（a）Each as a separate resolution，to re－elect the following retiring Directors：
（1）To re－elect Mr．Li Hua as executive Director；
（2）To re－elect Mr．Su Xingang as non－executive Director；
（3）To re－elect Mr．Liu Weiwu as non－executive Director；and
（4）To re－elect Mr．Wu Tak Lung as independent non－executive Director；
（b）To authorise the Board to fix the Directors＇remuneration．

4．To appoint auditor and authorise the Directors to fix the remuneration of the auditor and in this connection，to consider and，if thought fit，to pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution：

## ORDINARY RESOLUTION

"THAT SHINEWING (HK) CPA LIMITED be and is hereby appointed auditor of the Company in place of the retiring auditor, PricewaterhouseCoopers, to hold office until the conclusion of the next annual general meeting at a remuneration to be fixed by the board of directors."
5. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without modifications, the following resolutions as ordinary resolutions of the Company:-

## ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

## (1) "THAT:

(a) a general mandate be and is hereby generally and unconditionally given to the directors of the Company to exercise during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) all the powers of the Company to buy back shares of the Company on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") or on any other stock exchange on which the shares of the Company may be listed and which is 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 provided however that the total number of the shares to be bought back pursuant to this resolution shall not exceed $10 \%$ of the total number of the shares of the Company in issue as at the date of the passing of this resolution (such total number to be subject to adjustment in the case of any conversion of any or all of the shares of the Company into a larger or smaller number of shares of the Company after the passing of this resolution); and
(b) 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 law 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 in general meeting."
(a) subject to paragraph (c) of this resolution and pursuant to Sections 140 and 141 of the Companies Ordinance (Chapter 622 of the Laws of Hong Kong), the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares of the Company and to make and grant offers, agreements and options (including warrants, bonds, debentures, notes and other securities which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible or exchangeable into shares of the Company) which would or might require shares to be allotted be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
(b) the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution shall authorize the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period to make and grant offers, agreements and options (including warrants, bonds, debentures, notes and other securities which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into shares of the Company) which would or might require shares to be allotted after the end of the Relevant Period;
(c) the total number of the shares allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the directors of the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined) or (ii) the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any existing warrants, bonds, debentures, notes or other securities issued by the Company which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible or exchangeable into shares of the Company or (iii) any scrip dividend or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on shares of the Company in accordance with the Articles of Association of the Company, shall not exceed $20 \%$ of the total number of the shares of the Company in issue at the date of the passing of this resolution (such total number to be subject to adjustment in the case of any conversion of any or all of the shares of the Company into a larger or smaller number of shares of the Company after the passing of this resolution) and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
(d) 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 law to be held; and
(iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the directors of the Company by this resolution; 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 holders of shares 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 of the Company (or, where appropriate such other securities) (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 recognized regulatory body or any stock exchange in, any territory applicable to the Company)."
(3) "THAT subject to the passing of resolution Nos. 5(1) and 5(2) set out in the notice convening this meeting, the general mandate granted to the directors of the Company to exercise the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the Company pursuant to resolution No. $5(2)$ set out in the notice convening this meeting be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto of the total number of the shares of the Company bought back by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to the resolution No. $5(1)$ set out in the notice convening this meeting, provided that such extended number of shares shall not exceed $10 \%$ of the total number of the shares of the Company in issue at the date of the passing of this resolution (such total number to be subject to adjustment in the case of any conversion of any or all of the shares of the Company into a larger or smaller number of shares of the Company after the passing of this resolution)."

By Order of the Board<br>Sinotrans Shipping Limited KOO Ching Fan<br>Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 30 April 2018

## Notes:

1. Any member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend, speak and, on a poll, vote instead of him. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
2. To be valid, a proxy form and the power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy of such power or authority must be deposited at the registered office of the Company at 21st Floor, Great Eagle Centre, 23 Harbour Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or any adjourned meeting.
3. To ascertain shareholders' eligibility to attend and vote at the meeting, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Monday, 11 June 2018 to Thursday, 14 June 2018, both dates inclusive, during which period no share transfers will be effected. In order to qualify to attend and vote at the meeting, all share transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Share Registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 8 June 2018 for registration.

The Board has proposed a final dividend for the year ended 31 December 2017 of HK3 cents (equivalent to US0.38 cents) per share and, if such dividend is approved by the shareholders at the meeting, it is expected to be paid on 29 June 2018 to those shareholders whose names appear on the Company's register of members after the close of business at 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, 20 June 2018.

In order to qualify for the proposed final dividend, all share transfer documents, accompanied by the relevant share certificates, must be lodged with the Company's Share Registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not later than $4: 30$ p.m. on Wednesday, 20 June 2018 for registration.
4. As at the date of this notice, the executive Director is Mr. Li Hua; the non-executive Directors are Mr. Su Xingang (Chairman), Mr. Liu Weiwu and Mr. Li Zhen; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. Lee Peter Yip Wah, Mr. Zhou Qifang, Mr. Xu Zhengjun and Mr. Wu Tak Lung.

