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# Asia Coal Limited 亞洲煤業有限公司

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 835)

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an annual general meeting of Asia Coal Limited (the "Company") will be held at Unit A, 60/F, Bank of China Tower, 1 Garden Road, Central, Hong Kong on Wednesday, 12 September 2018 at 11:00 a.m. for the following purposes:

- 1. To receive and consider the audited financial statements and the reports of the directors (the "Directors") and the independent auditor for the year ended 31 March 2018.
- 2. (a) To re-elect Mr. Zhu Xinjiang as an Executive Director.
  - (b) To re-elect Mr. Edward John Hill III as an Independent Non-executive Director.
  - (c) To re-elect Mr. Leng Xiaokang as an Executive Director.
  - (d) To authorise the Board of Directors to fix the remuneration of the Directors.
- 3. To re-appoint Messrs. Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu as auditor of the Company and to authorise the Board of Directors to fix the auditor's remuneration.

4. To consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

#### "THAT:

- 4.1 subject to paragraph 4.3 below and pursuant to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities (the "Listing Rules") on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange"), the exercise by the Directors 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 (the "Shares") and to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including bonds, warrants, debentures and other securities which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into Shares) which would or might require the exercise of such power be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- 4.2 the approval in paragraph 4.1 above shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including bonds, warrants, debentures and other securities which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into Shares) which would or might require the exercise of such power during or after the end of the Relevant Period;
- the total number of Share allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally 4.3 to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) and issued by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph 4.1 above, otherwise than (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 into Shares, or (iii) an issue of Shares under any option scheme or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the grant or issue to employees of the Company and/or any of its subsidiaries or any other eligible person(s) of Shares or rights to acquire Shares, or (iv) an issue of Shares as scrip dividends pursuant to the bye-laws of the Company, from time to time shall not exceed 20% of the total number of Shares 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 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

- 4.4 for the purpose of this resolution, "Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:
  - 4.4.1 the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
  - 4.4.2 the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the bye-laws of the Company or any applicable law to be held; or
  - 4.4.3 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 of the Company; and

"Rights Issue" means an offer of Shares or issue of options, warrants or other securities giving the right to subscribe for Shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to the holders of Shares (and, where appropriate, to holders of other securities of the Company entitled to the offer) on the register 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 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 applicable to the Company)."

5. To consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

### "THAT:

- 5.1 subject to paragraph 5.2 below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to repurchase Shares on the Stock Exchange or on any other stock exchange on which the securities 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 Listing Rules or of any other stock exchange as amended from time to time, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- 5.2 the maximum number of Shares which the Directors are authorised to repurchase pursuant to the approval in paragraph 5.1 above shall not exceed 10% of the total number of Shares 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 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

- 5.3 for the purpose of this resolution, "Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:
  - 5.3.1 the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
  - 5.3.2 the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the bye-laws of the Company or any applicable law to be held; or
  - 5.3.3 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 of the Company.".
- 6. To consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"THAT subject to the passing of resolutions number 4 and 5 set out in the notice convening this meeting, the general mandate granted to the Directors to allot, issue and deal with additional Shares pursuant to resolution number 4 set out in the notice convening this meeting be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto of the aggregate number of Shares repurchased by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to resolution number 5 as set out in the notice convening this meeting, provided that such number of Shares so repurchased shall not exceed 10% of the total number of Shares in issue at the date of the passing of the said resolution (such total number to be subject to adjustment in the case of any conversion of any or all the Shares into a larger or smaller number of shares of the Company after the passing of this resolution)."

By Order of the Board
Asia Coal Limited
Zhu Xinjiang
Chairman

Hong Kong, 20 July 2018

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#### Notes:

- 1. Any member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting convened by the above notice is entitled to appoint one, or if he is a holder of two or more Shares, more than one proxies to attend and vote in his stead. A proxy needs not be a member of the Company.
- 2. In order to be valid, the proxy form must be duly lodged at the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited, at Level 22, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong together with a power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is duly signed or a notarially certified copy of that power of attorney or authority, not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting (i.e. before 11:00 a.m. on Monday, 10 September 2018 (Hong Kong time)) or any adjournment thereof (as the case may be).
- 3. Completion and return of a proxy form will not preclude a member from attending in person and voting at the above meeting or any adjournment thereof (as the case may be) should he/she/it so wishes, and in such event, the proxy form shall be deemed to be revoked.
- 4. Where there are joint holders of any Shares, any one of such persons may vote at the meeting personally or by proxy in respect of such Shares as if he/she/it is solely entitled thereto provided that if more than one of such joint holders be present at the meeting personally or by proxy, the person whose name stands first on the register of members of the Company in respect of such Shares shall alone be entitled to vote in respect thereof.
- 5. The register of members of the Company will be closed from Friday, 7 September 2018 to Wednesday, 12 September 2018 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of Shares will be registered and effected. In order to qualify for attending and voting at the meeting, all transfers of Shares accompanied by the relevant share certificates and the appropriate share transfer forms must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited, at Level 22, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, 6 September 2018.
- 6. If Typhoon Signal No. 8 or above, or a "black" rainstorm warning is in effect at any time after 8:00 a.m. on the date of the annual general meeting, the meeting will be adjourned. The Company will publish an announcement on the website of the Company at www.asiacoallimited.com and on the HKEXnews website of the Stock Exchange at www.hkexnews.hk to notify shareholders of the Company of the date, time and venue of the adjourned meeting.
- 7. As at the date hereof, the Board of Directors comprises Mr. Zhu Xinjiang (*Chairman*), Mr. Cheung Siu Fai and Mr. Leng Xiaokang as Executive Directors; and Mr. Edward John Hill III, Mr. Ho Man Kin, Tony and Mr. Li Kar Fai, Peter as Independent Non-executive Directors.