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## TRADING HALT

At the request of Sinotrans Shipping Limited (the "**Company**"), trading in its shares on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited will be halted with effect from 1:00 p.m. on 18 September 2018 pending the publication of an announcement pursuant to The Hong Kong Code on Takeovers and Mergers in relation to the possible privatization of the Company which is inside information of the Company.

By order of the Board of
Sinotrans Shipping Limited
Koo Ching Fan
Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 18 September 2018

As at the date of this announcement, the executive Director is Mr. Li Hua; the non-executive Directors are Mr. Su Xingang (Chairman) and Mr. Liu Weiwu; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. Lee Peter Yip Wah, Mr. Zhou Qifang, Mr. Xu Zhengjun and Mr. Wu Tak Lung.