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## VOLUNTARY ANNOUNCEMENT AND OVERSEAS REGULATORY ANNOUNCEMENT

## ANT GROUP HAS ANNOUNCED THE LAUNCH OF ITS CONCURRENT INITIAL PUBLIC OFFERINGS IN SHANGHAI AND HONG KONG

We are making this announcement pursuant to Rule 13.10B of the Hong Kong Listing Rules.

We filed a Form 6-K with the Securities and Exchanges Commission of the United States in relation to the following announcement.

Ant Group Co., Ltd. (螞蟻科技集團股份有限公司) ("Ant Group"), an unconsolidated related party of Alibaba Group Holding Limited ("Alibaba"), today announced the launch of its concurrent initial public offerings in Shanghai (the "A Share Offering") and Hong Kong (the "H Share Offering" and together with the A Share Offering, the "Offering"), in each case with a fixed price. The offer prices for the A Share Offering and H Share Offering have been set at RMB68.80 per share and HK\$80.00 per share, respectively.

As previously announced on October 21, 2020, Alibaba has agreed to subscribe for 730 million A shares as part of the placement to strategic investors in the A Share Offering (the "**Subscription**"). Based on the offer price of RMB68.80 per share, the total consideration for the Subscription would be approximately RMB50.2 billion. The Subscription is subject to receipt of required regulatory approvals and fulfillment of other customary conditions precedent. Based on the subscription of 730 million A shares, Alibaba expects to hold approximately 31.8% of the equity interest in Ant Group following the Offering, or 31.2% of the equity interest in Ant Group if the underwriters exercise in full their options to purchase additional shares in both the A Share Offering and H Share Offering.

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By order of the Board Alibaba Group Holding Limited Timothy A. STEINERT Secretary

Hong Kong, October 26, 2020

As at the date of this announcement, our board of directors is comprised of Mr. Daniel Yong ZHANG as the chairman, Mr. Joseph C. TSAI, Ms. Maggie Wei WU, Mr. J. Michael EVANS, Mr. Eric Xiandong JING and Mr. Kabir MISRA as directors, and Mr. Chee Hwa TUNG, Mr. Walter Teh Ming KWAUK, Mr. Jerry YANG, Mr. E. Börje EKHOLM and Ms. Wan Ling MARTELLO as independent directors.