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(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)

#### (Stock Code: 191)

#### PROPOSED GENERAL MANDATES TO BUY BACK SHARES AND TO ISSUE SHARES AND PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF THE RETIRING DIRECTORS AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Capitalised terms used in the lower portion of this cover page shall have the respective meanings as those defined in the section headed "Definitions" in this circular.

A letter from the Board is set out on pages 4 to 7 of this circular.

The notice convening the 2020 AGM to be held at Grand Ballrooms 1 and 2, Level B, Hong Kong Ocean Park Marriott Hotel, 180 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong on Friday, 18 December 2020 at 12:00 noon is set out on pages 15 to 21 of this circular. The subject matter of this circular relates only to the proposed Ordinary Resolutions nos. 2 and 4, the text of which is contained in the Notice of 2020 AGM.

Shareholders are advised to read the Notice of 2020 AGM and if you are not able to attend the 2020 AGM or its adjournment (as the case may be) in person but wish to exercise your right as a Shareholder, please complete, sign and return the accompanying form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it to the Company's share registrar, Tricor Tengis Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong as soon as possible, but in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the 2020 AGM or any adjournment thereof (as the case may be). Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the 2020 AGM or any adjournment thereof (as the case may be) should you so wish, and in such event, the form of proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

Considering the outbreak of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19), certain measures will be implemented at the 2020 AGM with a view to addressing the risk to attendees of infection, including the following:

- a) all attendees will be required to undergo body temperature check;
- b) all attendees will be required to complete a health declaration form (a copy of the form is enclosed with this circular), which may be used for contact tracing, if required;
- c) any attendees who are subject to health quarantine prescribed by the Government of the HKSAR will not be admitted to the venue of the 2020 AGM;
- d) all attendees will be required to wear surgical face masks throughout the 2020 AGM;
- e) each attendee will be assigned a designated seat at the time of registration to ensure social distancing;
- f) any person who does not comply with the measures above may be denied entry into, or be required to leave, the venue of the 2020 AGM; and
- g) no refreshments or beverages will be provided, and there will be no corporate gifts.

The Company reminds Shareholders that they should carefully consider the risks of attending the 2020 AGM, taking into account their own personal circumstances. The Company would like to remind Shareholders that physical attendance in person at the 2020 AGM is not necessary for the purpose of exercising their voting rights and **strongly recommends that Shareholders appoint the Chairman of the 2020 AGM as their proxy** and submit their form of proxy as early as possible. In light of the risks posed by the COVID-19 Pandemic, the Company **strongly encourages Shareholders NOT to attend the 2020 AGM in person**.

The Company will keep the evolving COVID-19 situation under review and may implement additional measures (which it will announce closer to the date of the 2020 AGM).

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## DEFINITIONS

In this circular, the following expressions have the following meanings unless the context requires otherwise:

"2020 AGM"	the AGM to be convened and held at Grand Ballrooms 1 and 2, Level B, Hong Kong Ocean Park Marriott Hotel, 180 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong on Friday, 18 December 2020 at 12:00 noon or at any adjournment thereof;
"AGM"	annual general meeting of the Company;
"Annual Report"	the 2019-2020 Annual Report of the Company;
"Articles of Association"	the Articles of Association of the Company;
"associate"	has the same meaning ascribed thereto in Rule 1.01 of the Listing Rules;
"Board"	the board of Directors;
"Buy Back Mandate"	proposed general mandate to be granted at the 2020 AGM to the Directors to buy back Shares not exceeding 10% of the issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing the resolution granting the general mandate;
"close associate(s)"	has the same meaning ascribed thereto in Rule 1.01 of the Listing Rules;
"Companies Ordinance"	the Companies Ordinance (Chapter 622 of the Laws of Hong Kong);
"Company"	Lai Sun Garment (International) Limited (麗新製衣國際 有限公司), a company incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability under the Companies Ordinance, the issued Shares of which are listed and traded on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange (Stock Code: 191);
"controlling shareholder"	has the same meaning ascribed thereto in Rule 1.01 of the Listing Rules;
"core connected person(s)"	has the same meaning ascribed thereto in Rule 1.01 of the Listing Rules;
"Director(s)"	the director(s) of the Company;

## DEFINITIONS

"Dr. Peter Lam"	Dr. Lam Kin Ngok, Peter, an executive Director and the Deputy Chairman of the Board of the Company;
"Group"	the Company and its subsidiaries;
"HK\$"	Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong;
"Hong Kong" or "HKSAR"	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China;
"Lai Fung"	Lai Fung Holdings Limited (麗豐控股有限公司), an exempted company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability, the issued shares of which are listed and traded on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange (Stock Code: 1125) which was held as to approximately 54.56% by LSD as at the Latest Practicable Date;
"Latest Practicable Date"	11 November 2020, being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this circular for ascertaining certain information contained herein;
"Listing Rules"	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time);
"LSD"	Lai Sun Development Company Limited (麗新發展有限 公司), a company incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability under the Companies Ordinance, the issued shares of which are listed and traded on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange (Stock Code: 488) which was held as to approximately 56.13% by the Company as at the Latest Practicable Date;
"Notice of 2020 AGM"	the notice convening the 2020 AGM contained in this circular;
"Ordinary Resolution(s)"	the proposed ordinary resolution(s) as referred to in the Notice of 2020 AGM;
"SFC"	Securities and Futures Commission in Hong Kong;
"SFO"	the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong) (as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time);

## DEFINITIONS

"Share(s)"	share(s) in the share capital of the Company;
"Share Issue Mandate"	proposed general mandate to be granted at the 2020 AGM to the Directors to allot, issue and deal in shares not exceeding 20% of the issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing the resolution granting the general mandate;
"Shareholder(s)"	holder(s) of the Shares;
"Stock Exchange"	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited;
"Takeovers Code"	The Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share Buy-backs issued by SFC (as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time); and
"°0⁄0"	per cent.

## LETTER FROM THE BOARD



# LAI SUN GARMENT

Lai Sun Garment (International) Limited (Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)

### (Stock Code: 191)

Executive Directors: Dr. Lam Kin Ming (Chairman) Dr. Lam Kin Ngok, Peter (Deputy Chairman) Mr. Chew Fook Aun (Deputy Chairman) Mr. Lam Hau Yin, Lester (also alternate director to Madam U Po Chu) Mr. Lam Kin Hong, Matthew Madam U Po Chu Registered Office / Principal Office: 11th Floor Lai Sun Commercial Centre 680 Cheung Sha Wan Road Kowloon Hong Kong

Independent Non-executive Directors: Mr. Chow Bing Chiu Mr. Lam Bing Kwan Mr. Leung Shu Yin, William

19 November 2020

To the Shareholders and for information only, the Existing Option Holders

Dear Sir or Madam,

### PROPOSED GENERAL MANDATES TO BUY BACK SHARES AND TO ISSUE SHARES AND PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF THE RETIRING DIRECTORS AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

At the last AGM held on 20 December 2019, general mandates were granted by the Shareholders to the Directors to exercise the powers of the Company (1) to buy back Shares and (2) to issue, allot and deal with new additional Shares up to (1) 10% and (2) 20%, respectively of the Company's issued Shares as at the date of passing the resolutions. Pursuant to the provisions of the Listing Rules, such general mandates will lapse at the conclusion of the 2020 AGM unless renewed thereat.

The purpose of this circular is to provide you with information regarding, among others, (i) the proposed general mandates to be granted to the Directors to buy back Shares and to issue new Shares and the extension of such mandate; (ii) the re-election of the Retiring Directors; and (iii) to seek your approval at the 2020 AGM in connection with such matters.

### 2. GENERAL MANDATE TO BUY BACK SHARES

At the last AGM held on 20 December 2019, a general mandate was granted to the Directors to exercise the powers of the Company to buy back Shares. This general mandate will lapse at the conclusion of the 2020 AGM.

At the 2020 AGM, an ordinary resolution will be proposed which, if passed, will grant the Directors a general and unconditional mandate to exercise all the powers of the Company to buy back not exceeding 10% of the aggregate number of the shares of the Company in issue as at the date of passing the resolution ("**Buy Back Mandate**") (i.e. the date of the 2020 AGM), for the period from the said date until the conclusion of the next AGM or such other period as stated in the ordinary resolution.

An explanatory statement, as required under the Listing Rules to be given to the Shareholders concerning the Buy Back Mandate, is set out in Appendix I to this circular and contains all the information reasonably necessary to enable the Shareholders to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the ordinary resolution relating to the Buy Back Mandate.

### 3. GENERAL MANDATE TO ISSUE SHARES

At the last AGM held on 20 December 2019, a general mandate was granted to the Directors to issue, allot and deal with additional Shares not exceeding 20% of the aggregate number of shares of the Company in issue. Such general mandate will lapse at the conclusion of the 2020 AGM.

It will be proposed at the 2020 AGM two ordinary resolutions respectively granting to the Directors a general and unconditional mandate to allot, issue and deal with additional Shares representing up to 20% of the aggregate number of Shares of the Company in issue as at the date of passing the resolutions (i.e. the date of the 2020 AGM), for the period from the said date until the conclusion of the next AGM or such other period as stated in the ordinary resolution and adding to such mandate so granted to the Directors any Shares bought back by the Company under the Buy Back Mandate ("Share Issue Mandate").

Subject to the passing of the ordinary resolutions granting the Share Issue Mandate and on the basis that no further Shares are issued or bought back prior to the 2020 AGM, the Company would be allowed under the Share Issue Mandate to issue a maximum of 78,522,124 Shares representing 20% of the aggregate number of shares of the Company in issue as at the date of passing the resolutions.

The Company has no immediate plans to allot and issue new additional Shares under the Share Issue Mandate.

### 4. PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF THE RETIRING DIRECTORS

In accordance with Article 102 of the Articles of Association and code provision A.4.2 of the Corporate Governance Code set out in Appendix 14 to the Listing Rules, Dr. Lam Kin Ming, Mr. Lam Bing Kwan and Mr. Leung Shu Yin, William ("**Retiring Directors**"), will retire by rotation as directors at the 2020 AGM. Being eligible, they offer themselves for re-election respectively thereat. The re-election of the Retiring Directors should be subject to separate resolutions to be approved by the Shareholders. Details of the Retiring Directors proposed for re-election at the 2020 AGM required to be disclosed under Rule 13.51(2) of the Listing Rules are set out in Appendix II to this circular.

Mr. Lam Bing Kwan and Mr. Leung Shu Yin, William (both Independent Non-executive Directors ("**INEDs**")) have served on the Board as INEDs for more than 9 years. Being long-serving Directors, Mr. Lam and Mr. Leung have developed an in-depth understanding of the Company's operations and business, and have expressed objective views and given independent guidance to the Company over the years. There is no empirical evidence that the long service of Mr. Lam and Mr. Leung would impair their independent judgement. Having considered the annual confirmation of independence made by Mr. Lam and Mr. Leung pursuant to Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules, the Board is satisfied that Mr. Lam and Mr. Leung will continue to have the required character and experience to fulfill the role of INEDs and considers that the re-election of Mr. Lam and Mr. Leung as INEDs at the 2020 AGM is in the best interest of the Company and its shareholders as a whole.

### 5. 2020 AGM

The resolutions in relation to the above proposed Buy Back Mandate and Share Issue Mandate are proposed in the Notice convening the 2020 AGM which is contained in this circular. The Notice of 2020 AGM is set out on pages 15 to 21 of this circular.

Shareholders are advised to read the Notice of 2020 AGM and if you are not able to attend the 2020 AGM (or any adjournment thereof) but wish to exercise your right as a Shareholder, please complete, sign and return the accompany form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and deposit the same with the Company's share registrar, Tricor Tengis Limited, Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong, as soon as possible, but in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the 2020 AGM or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting at the 2020 AGM or any adjournment thereof should you so wish, and in such event, the form of proxy shall deemed to be revoked.

To the best of the Directors' knowledge, information and belief, having made all reasonable enquiries, no Shareholder is required to abstain from voting on the resolutions to be proposed at the 2020 AGM.

### 6. VOTING BY WAY OF POLL

Pursuant to Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules, save for the resolutions which relate purely to procedure or administrative matter to be voted by a show of hands, any vote of the Shareholders at a general meeting of the Company must be taken by way of a poll. Accordingly, each of the resolutions to be considered and, if thought fit, passed at the 2020 AGM will be voted by way of a poll by the Shareholders. Article 79 of the Articles of Association provides that on a poll, every Shareholder present in person or by proxy shall have one vote for every Share held by that Shareholder. An explanation of the procedures of conducting a poll provided in the notes to the Notice of 2020 AGM and details will be conveyed to the Shareholders at the 2020 AGM. The Company will publish an announcement on the poll results of the resolutions on the respective websites of the Company at "www.laisun.com" and the Stock Exchange at "www.hkexnews.hk" promptly after the conclusion of the 2020 AGM.

### 7. RECOMMENDATION

The Directors consider that the proposed Buy Back Mandate, Share Issue Mandate and the re-election of the Retiring Directors as mentioned above are in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Accordingly, the Directors recommend that all Shareholders should vote in favour of the relevant resolutions to be proposed at the 2020 AGM.

### 8. RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

This circular, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Company. The Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that to the best of their knowledge and belief, the information contained in this circular is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this circular misleading.

Yours faithfully, For and on behalf of the Board of Lai Sun Garment (International) Limited Lam Kin Ming Chairman This explanatory statement contains all the information required by Rule 10.06(1)(b) of the Listing Rules to be given to the Shareholders reasonably necessary to enable them to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the ordinary resolution(s) relating to the Buy Back Mandate.

### (I) EXERCISE OF THE BUY BACK MANDATE

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the issued share capital of the Company comprised 392,610,623 Shares and there were outstanding options granted under the Share Option Scheme to subscribe for 12,932,020 Shares.

Subject to the passing of the relevant ordinary resolution granting the Buy Back Mandate and on the basis that no further Shares will be issued (whether generally or pursuant to the exercise of the subscription rights attaching to the outstanding options) prior to the date of the 2020 AGM, exercise in full of the Buy Back Mandate would result in up to a maximum of 39,261,062 Shares representing 10% of the Shares in issue of the Company as at the Latest Practicable Date being bought back by the Company during the relevant period.

#### (II) REASONS FOR BUY BACK

Although the Directors have no present intention of buying back any Shares, they believe that the flexibility afforded by the Buy Back Mandate will be in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Such buy back may, depending on the market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net assets value and/or earnings per Share and will only be made when the Directors believe that such buy back will benefit the Company and the Shareholders as a whole (e.g. if there are occasions in the future when depressed market conditions arise and the Shares are trading at a discount to their underlying value).

#### (III) FUNDING OF BUY BACK

Pursuant to the Buy Back Mandate, the Company may only apply funds legally available for buy back in accordance with the laws of Hong Kong in which the Company is incorporated and the existing Articles of Association of the Company. The finance for such buy back may include the Company's available internal resources and/or the legally internal funding facilities.

If the Buy Back Mandate is to be exercised in full at any time during the proposed buy back period, there might be a material adverse effect on the working capital or gearing position of the Group (as compared with the position disclosed in the published audited consolidated financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31 July 2020). However, the Directors do not propose to exercise the Buy Back Mandate to such an extent as would, in the circumstances, have a material adverse effect on the working capital requirements of the Company or the gearing levels which are, in the opinion of the Directors, appropriate for the Company from time to time.

#### (IV) SHARE PRICES

The highest and lowest prices per Share at which the Shares had been traded on the Stock Exchange during each of the twelve months preceding the Latest Practicable Date were as follows:

Month	Highest HK\$	Lowest HK\$
2019	10 220	9 400
November December	10.220 10.760	8.400 9.540
2020		
January	10.460	9.210
February	10.220	8.520
March	9.480	7.900
April	8.430	7.700
May	8.360	7.860
June	8.390	7.500
July	8.270	8.000
August	8.080	7.610
September	7.950	7.400
October	7.800	7.000
November (up to the Latest Practicable Date)	7.000	5.700

#### (V) BUY BACK MADE BY THE COMPANY

The Company had not made any buy back of the Shares (whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise) during the six months immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date.

#### (VI) INTENTION AND UNDERTAKING

None of the Directors nor, to the best of their knowledge and having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their respective close associates have any present intention to sell any Shares held by them to the Company under the Buy Back Mandate if such Buy Back Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange that so far as the same may be applicable, they will exercise the Buy Back Mandate in accordance with the Listing Rules, the Articles of Association and the relevant laws in Hong Kong applicable to the Company.

No core connected person has notified the Company that he/she has a present intention to sell the Shares held by him/her to the Company, or has undertaken not to do so, in the event that the Buy Back Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.

## **APPENDIX I**

### (VII) IMPLICATIONS OF THE TAKEOVERS CODE AND THE LISTING RULES

If a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases as a result of a share bought back by the Company, such increase will be treated as an acquisition of voting rights for the purpose of Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code and Rule 6 of the Code on Share Buy-backs. Accordingly, a Shareholder or a group of Shareholders acting in concert could, depending on the level of increase in their shareholding interest(s), obtain or consolidate control of the Company and thereby become obliged to make a mandatory offer for Shares in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the controlling shareholder of the Company named below was interested or was deemed to be interested under the SFO in the issued Shares and the underlying Shares as follows:

Name	Capacity	Nature of Interests	Number of issued Shares and underlying Shares	Approximate % of total issued Shares
Lam Kin Ngok, Peter (" <b>Dr. Peter Lam</b> ")	Beneficial owner/ Owner of controlled corporations	Personal and corporate	163,877,655	41.74% (Note)

Note:

Dr. Peter Lam was deemed to be interested in 114,741,416 Shares (representing approximately 29.23% of the Company's issued share capital) by virtue of his 100% interest in the issued share capital of Wisdoman Limited which directly owned 114,741,416 Shares.

In the event that the Company exercises the Buy Back Mandate in full and taking no account of the issue of new Shares by the Company pursuant to any general or specific mandate given by the Shareholders at any general meeting and the share option scheme adopted by the Company on 22 December 2006 and 11 December 2015, respectively or any other scheme or otherwise, the aggregate beneficial shareholding interests and deemed shareholding interests of Dr. Peter Lam in the Company will be (for illustration) as follows:

	Approximate % of
Name	total issued Shares

Dr. Peter Lam

46.38%

Accordingly, such increased shareholding interests in the Company will give rise to an obligation to make a mandatory offer for the remaining Shares under Rule 26 and Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code. However, the Directors have no present intention to exercise the Buy Back Mandate to such an extent as would result in the above takeover obligation.

Save as disclosed above, the Directors are not aware of any Shareholders or group of Shareholders acting in concert, who may become obliged to make a mandatory offer under Rule 26 and Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code as a consequence of any purchases of Shares pursuant to the Buy Back Mandate.

The Directors have no present intention to exercise the Buy Back Mandate to such an extent as would result in the number of issued Shares held by the public falling below the minimum prescribed percentage of public float as required under the Listing Rules.

## **APPENDIX II**

## DETAILS OF THE RETIRING DIRECTORS PROPOSED FOR RE-ELECTION

The following are the particulars of the Directors proposed to be re-elected at 2020 AGM:

#### **1.** Executive Director

**Dr. Lam Kin Ming**, aged 83, is the Chairman of the Company and a member of the Executive Committee of the Company. He has been an executive Director of the Company ("**Executive Director**") since October 1987 and has extensive experience in property development and investment and has been involved in the management of garment business since 1958. He is also the deputy chairman and an executive director of Lai Fung, a non-executive director of LSD and the chairman, the chief executive officer and an executive director of Crocodile Garments Limited ("**CGL**"). The issued shares of CGL are listed and traded on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange. Save as disclosed above, Dr. Lam Kin Ming does not hold other directorship in the last three years in public companies, the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas. He received an Honorary Doctoral Degree from the International American University in the United States of America in 2009 and was admitted as Honorary Doctorate of Management of the Lincoln University in the United States of America in February 2014.

Dr. Lam Kin Ming is the elder brother of Dr. Lam Kin Ngok, Peter (the Deputy Chairman, an Executive Director and the controlling Shareholder of the Company), and Mr. Lam Kin Hong, Matthew (an Executive Director of the Company), and an uncle of Mr. Lam Hau Yin, Lester (an Executive Director of the Company). Save as aforesaid, Dr. Lam Kin Ming does not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling Shareholders of the Company.

Dr. Lam Kin Ming does not have a service contract with the Company. However, in accordance with the provisions of the Articles of Association, Dr. Lam Kin Ming will be subject to retirement from office as director by rotation once every three years if re-elected at the 2020 AGM and will also be eligible for re-election at future AGMs. Dr. Lam Kin Ming presently receives from the Company an annual remuneration of HK\$810,000 and an annual directors' fee of HK\$48,000 and other remuneration as well as discretionary bonus to be determined by the Board from time to time with reference to the results of the Company, his performance, duties and responsibilities as well as the prevailing market conditions. Dr. Lam Kin Ming also receives from LSD and Lai Fung, subsidiaries of the Company, an annual director's fee of HK\$250,000 in acting as the non-executive director of LSD and an annual remuneration of HK\$1,140,000 in acting as the deputy chairman and an executive director of Lai Fung, respectively.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Dr. Lam Kin Ming is interested or deemed to be interested within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO in 1,021,443 Shares, representing approximately 0.26% of the issued share capital of the Company. Save as aforesaid, Dr. Lam Kin Ming does not have any interests or short positions in the shares, underlying shares and/or debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Saved as disclosed above, there are no other matters which need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders, and there is no information to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements under Rule 13.51(2) of the Listing Rules.

### 2. Independent Non-executive Directors

**Mr. Lam Bing Kwan**, aged 70, was appointed an INED in February 2011 and is the chairman of the Remuneration Committee and a member of the Audit Committee of the Company. Mr. Lam is also an independent non-executive director of LSD, Lai Fung and a non-executive director of Sino-i Technology Limited and Nan Hai Corporation Limited. He retired as an independent non-executive director of eForce Holdings Limited (currently known as Zhongzheng International Company Limited) on 4 June 2018. The issued shares of all the aforesaid companies are listed and traded on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange. Save as disclosed above, Mr. Lam does not hold other directorship in the last three years in public companies, the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas.

Mr. Lam graduated from the University of Oregon in the United States of America with a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in 1974. He has substantial experience in property development and investment in China, having been actively involved in this industry since the mid-1980's. Mr. Lam has served on the boards of directors of a number of listed companies in Hong Kong for over 10 years.

Mr. Lam does not have a service contract with the Company. However, in accordance with the provisions of the Articles of Association, Mr. Lam will be subject to retirement from office as director by rotation once every three years if re-elected at the 2020 AGM and will also be eligible for re-election at future AGMs. Mr. Lam presently receives from the Company an annual director's fee of HK\$350,000 and he also receives from LSD and Lai Fung, subsidiaries of the Company, an annual director's fee of HK\$350,000 in acting as the independent non-executive director of LSD and an annual director's fee of HK\$350,000 in acting as the independent non-executive director of LSD and an annual director's fee of HK\$350,000 in acting as the independent non-executive director of LSD and an annual director's fee of HK\$350,000 in acting as the independent non-executive director of LSD and an annual director's fee of HK\$350,000 in acting as the independent non-executive director of Lai Fung, respectively.

Mr. Lam has served on the Board as an INED for more than 9 years. Being a long-serving Director, Mr. Lam has developed an in-depth understanding of the Company's operations and business, and has expressed objective views and given independent guidance to the Company over the years. There is no empirical evidence that the long service of Mr. Lam would impair his independent judgement. The Board is satisfied that Mr. Lam will continue to have the required character and experience to fulfill the role of an INED and considers that the re-election of Mr. Lam as an INED at the 2020 AGM is in the best interest of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

Save as his directorship disclosed above, Mr. Lam does not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling Shareholders of the Company. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Lam does not have any interests or short positions in the shares, underlying shares and/or debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Saved as disclosed above, there are no other matters which need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders, and there is no information to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements under Rule 13.51(2) of the Listing Rules.

### **APPENDIX II**

## DETAILS OF THE RETIRING DIRECTORS PROPOSED FOR RE-ELECTION

**Mr. Leung Shu Yin, William**, aged 71, was appointed an INED in July 2002 and is the chairman of the Audit Committee and a member of the Remuneration Committee of the Company. Mr. Leung is also an independent non-executive director of LSD, CGL and Mainland Headwear Holdings Limited. The issued shares of all the aforesaid companies are listed and traded on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange. Save as disclosed above, Mr. Leung does not hold other directorship in the last three years in public companies, the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas.

Mr. Leung is a certified public accountant, a member of the Hong Kong Securities and Investment Institute and a fellow of both the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants in the United Kingdom and the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Mr. Leung is a practising director of two certified public accountants' firms in Hong Kong.

Mr. Leung does not have a service contract with the Company. However, in accordance with the provisions of the Articles of Association, Mr. Leung will be subject to retirement from office as director by rotation once every three years if re-elected at the 2020 AGM and will also be eligible for re-election at future AGMs. Mr. Leung presently receives from the Company an annual director's fee of HK\$350,000 and he also receives from LSD, a subsidiary of the Company, an annual director's fee of HK\$350,000 in acting as the independent non-executive director of LSD.

Mr. Leung has served on the Board as an INED for more than 9 years. Being a long-serving Director, Mr. Leung has developed an in-depth understanding of the Company's operations and business, and has expressed objective views and given independent guidance to the Company over the years. There is no empirical evidence that the long service of Mr. Leung would impair his independent judgement. The Board is satisfied that Mr. Leung will continue to have the required character and experience to fulfill the role of an INED and considers that the re-election of Mr. Leung as an INED at the 2020 AGM is in the best interest of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

Save as his directorship disclosed above, Mr. Leung does not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling Shareholders of the Company. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Leung does not have any interests or short positions in the shares, underlying shares and/or debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Saved as disclosed above, there are no other matters which need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders, and there is no information to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements under Rule 13.51(2) of the Listing Rules.



### NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the annual general meeting ("**AGM**") of the members ("**Members**") of Lai Sun Garment (International) Limited ("**Company**") will be held at Grand Ballrooms 1 and 2, Level B, Hong Kong Ocean Park Marriott Hotel, 180 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong on Friday, 18 December 2020 at 12:00 noon for the following purposes:

- 1. To consider and adopt the audited financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31 July 2020 ("**Year**") and the reports of the directors and independent auditor of the Company thereon;
- 2. To re-elect the retiring directors of the Company ("**Directors**") and to authorise the board of Directors ("**Board**") to fix the Directors' remuneration;
- 3. To re-appoint Ernst and Young, Certified Public Accountants ("**Ernst & Young**"), as the independent auditor of the Company for the ensuing year and to authorise the Board to fix their remuneration; and
- 4. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolutions as Ordinary Resolutions:

Ordinary Resolution (A)

### "THAT:

(a) subject to paragraph (b) of this Resolution, the exercise by the directors of the Company ("Directors") during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to buy back 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 under the Code on Share Buy-backs for this purpose, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws in Hong Kong and the requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange or any other stock exchange as amended from time to time, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (b) the aggregate number of the shares of the Company to be bought back by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this Resolution shall not exceed 10% of the total number of shares of the Company in issue as 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 revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by an ordinary resolution of the Members of the Company in general meeting; or
  - (iii) the expiration of the period within which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law or the Articles of Association of the Company to be held."

Ordinary Resolution (B)

### "THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) of this Resolution, the exercise by the directors of the Company ("**Directors**") during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to issue, allot and deal with additional shares in the Company, and to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including warrants, bonds, debentures, notes and any securities which carry rights to subscribe for or are exchangeable or convertible into shares in 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) of this Resolution shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including warrants, bonds, debentures, notes and any securities which carry rights to subscribe for or are exchangeable or convertible into shares in the Company) which would or might require the exercise of such power after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the aggregate number of the shares allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) and issued by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this Resolution, otherwise than pursuant to:
  - (i) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined); or
  - (ii) an issue of shares in the Company upon the exercise of rights of subscription, exchange or conversion under the terms of any of the options (including warrants, bonds, debentures, notes and any securities which carry rights to subscribe for or are exchangeable or convertible into shares in the Company); or

- (iii) an issue of shares in the Company as scrip dividends pursuant to the Articles of Association of the Company from time to time; or
- (iv) an issue of shares in the Company under any award or option scheme or similar arrangement for the grant or issue to eligible participants under such scheme or arrangement of shares in the Company or rights to acquire shares in the Company,

shall not exceed 20% of the total number of shares of the Company in issue as at the date of passing 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 revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by an ordinary resolution of the members of the Company in general meeting; or
- (iii) the expiration of the period within which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law or the Articles of Association of the Company to be held; and

"Rights Issue" means an offer of shares in the Company open for a period fixed by the Directors to the holders of shares whose names appear on the Register of Members of the Company on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares 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)."

Ordinary Resolution (C)

### "THAT:

subject to the passing of the Ordinary Resolution (A) and Ordinary Resolution (B) set out in agenda item 4 contained in the notice convening this meeting, the general mandate granted to the directors of the Company ("**Directors**") and for the time being in force to exercise the powers of the Company to allot shares and to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto of such number of shares of the Company which has been bought back by the Company since the granting of such general mandate pursuant to the exercise by the Directors of the powers of the Company to buy back such shares, provided that such number of shares shall not exceed 10% of the total number of the shares of the Company in issue as at the date of passing this Resolution."

By Order of the Board Lai Sun Garment (International) Limited Tse Pik Ha Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 19 November 2020

Registered Office: 11th Floor Lai Sun Commercial Centre 680 Cheung Sha Wan Road Kowloon Hong Kong

Notes:

- (1) A Member entitled to attend and vote at the AGM convened by the above notice ("Notice") or its adjourned meeting (as the case may be) is entitled to appoint one (or, if he/she/it holds two or more shares in the share capital of the Company ("Shares"), more than one) proxy to attend the AGM and, on a poll, vote on his/her/its behalf in accordance with the Articles of Association of the Company ("Articles of Association"). A proxy need not be a Member.
- (2) A form of proxy for use at the AGM is sent to the Members with the circular of the Company dated 19 November 2020 containing this Notice ("**Circular**") and is also available at the respective websites of the Stock Exchange and the Company.

(3) To be valid, a form of proxy, together with 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 lodged with the Company's share registrar, Tricor Tengis Limited ("Registrar"), at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong, not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM or its adjourned meeting (as the case may be) and in default, the form of proxy shall not be treated as valid. Completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude Members from attending in person and voting at the AGM or at its adjourned meeting (as the case may be) should they so wish. In such a case, the said form(s) of proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

The contact phone number of the Registrar is (852) 2980 1333.

- (4) To ascertain the entitlements to attend and vote at the AGM, Members must lodge the relevant transfer document(s) and share certificate(s) at the office of the Registrar not later than 4:30 p.m. on Monday, 14 December 2020 for registration.
- (5) Where there are joint registered holders of any Shares, any one of such joint holders may attend and vote at the AGM or its adjourned meeting (as the case may be), either personally or by proxy, in respect of such Shares as if he/she/it was solely entitled thereto, but if more than one of such joint holders are present at the AGM or its adjourned meeting (as the case may be), personally or by proxy, then one of such holders so present whose name stands first in the Register of Members of the Company in respect of such Shares shall alone be entitled to vote in respect thereof.
- (6) Concerning agenda item 2 of the Notice,
  - (i) in accordance with Article 102 of the Articles of Association and code provision A.4.2 of the Corporate Governance Code set out in Appendix 14 to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange ("Listing Rules"), Dr. Lam Kin Ming, Mr. Lam Bing Kwan and Mr. Leung Shu Yin, William will retire as Directors from office by rotation at the AGM and, being eligible, they offer themselves for re-election; and
  - (ii) in accordance with Rule 13.74 of the Listing Rules, details of the aforesaid Directors proposed for re-election are set out in the "Biographical Details of Directors and Senior Management" section of the Annual Report of the Company for the Year ("Annual Report") and Appendix II to the Circular which will be despatched to Members together with the Annual Report.
- (7) Concerning agenda item 3 of the Notice, the Board (which concurs with the Audit Committee of the Company) has recommended that subject to the approval of Members at the AGM, Ernst & Young will be re-appointed independent auditor of the Company for the year ending 31 July 2021 ("Year 2021"). Members should note that in practice, independent auditor's remuneration for the Year 2021 cannot be fixed at the AGM because such remuneration varies by reference to the scope and extent of the audit and other works which the independent auditor is being called upon to undertake in any given year. To enable the Company to charge the amount of such independent auditor's remuneration as operating expenses for the Year 2021, Members' approval to delegate the authority to the Board to fix the independent auditor's remuneration for the Year 2021 is required, and is hereby sought, at the AGM.

(8) The proposed Ordinary Resolution (A) under agenda item 4 of this Notice relates to the granting of a general mandate to the Directors to buy back Shares of up to a maximum of 10% of the total number of the Shares of the Company in issue as at the date of passing the said Resolution. Members' attention is also drawn to the explanatory statement on the proposed buy back mandate contained in the Circular.

The proposed Ordinary Resolution (B) under agenda item 4 of this Notice relates to the granting of a general mandate to the Directors to issue new Shares of up to a maximum of 20% of the total number of the Shares of the Company in issue as at the date of passing the said Resolution. The Company has no immediate plan to issue any new Shares under the general mandate.

The proposed Ordinary Resolution (C) under agenda item 4 of this Notice extends the general mandate to include the Shares bought back under the buy back mandate.

- (9) Details regarding the Ordinary Resolutions (A), (B) and (C) under agenda item 4 of this Notice are set out in the Circular and will be despatched to members together with the Annual Report.
- (10) In compliance with Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules, voting on all resolutions proposed in this Notice shall be decided by way of a poll at the AGM.
- (11) If a tropical cyclone warning signal No. 8 or above is expected to be hoisted or a black rainstorm warning signal is expected to be in force at any time after 7:00 a.m. on the date of the AGM, the AGM will be postponed and the Members will be informed of the date, time and venue of the postponed AGM by a supplementary notice, posted on the respective websites of the Company and the Stock Exchange.

If a tropical cyclone warning signal No. 8 or above or a black rainstorm warning signal is lowered or cancelled at or before 7:00 a.m. on the date of the AGM and where conditions permit, the AGM will be held as scheduled.

The AGM will be held as scheduled when an amber or red rainstorm warning signal is in force.

Having considered their own situations, Members should decide on their own whether they would attend the AGM under any bad weather condition and if they do so, they are advised to exercise care and caution.

- (12) Considering the outbreak of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19), certain measures will be implemented at the AGM or its adjournment (as the case may be) with a view to addressing the risk to attendees of infection, including the following:
  - (a) all attendees will be required to undergo body temperature check;
  - (b) all attendees will be required to complete a health declaration form (a copy of the form is enclosed with the Circular), which may be used for contact tracing, if required;
  - (c) any attendees who are subject to health quarantine prescribed by the Government of the HKSAR will not be admitted to the venue of the AGM;
  - (d) all attendees will be required to wear surgical face masks throughout the AGM;
  - (e) each attendee will be assigned a designated seat at the time of registration to ensure social distancing;
  - (f) any person who does not comply with the measures above may be denied entry into, or be required to leave, the venue of the AGM; and
  - (g) no refreshments or beverages will be provided, and there will be no corporate gifts.

- (13) The Company reminds Shareholders that they should carefully consider the risks of attending the AGM, taking into account their own personal circumstances. The Company would like to remind Shareholders that physical attendance in person at the AGM is not necessary for the purpose of exercising their voting rights and strongly recommends that Shareholders appoint the Chairman of the AGM as their proxy and submit their form of proxy as early as possible. In light of the risks posed by the COVID-19 Pandemic, the Company strongly encourages Shareholders NOT to attend the AGM in person.
- (14) The Company will keep the evolving COVID-19 situation under review and may implement additional measures (which it will announce closer to the date of the AGM).