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SINOMEDIA HOLDING LIMITED
中視金橋國際傳媒控股有限公司
(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 00623)

GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND BUY BACK SHARES
RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTOR
AND
NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening the annual general meeting of SinoMedia Holding Limited (the “Company”) to be held at Level 35, Two Pacific Place, No. 88 Queensway, Admiralty, Hong Kong on 8 June 2021, Tuesday, at 3:00 p.m. is set out on pages 22 to 26 of this circular.

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The meeting will be held as scheduled when an Amber or Red Rainstorm Warning Signal is in force. Shareholders should decide on their own whether they would attend the meeting under bad weather conditions bearing in mind their own situation.

Whether or not you are able to attend the annual general meeting, please complete the accompanying form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it to the Company’s share registrar in Hong Kong, Boardroom Share Registrars (HK) Limited, at 2103B, 21/F, 148 Electric Road, North Point, Hong Kong, as soon as possible and in any event not later than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the annual general meeting or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the annual general meeting or any adjournment thereof should you so wish.

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DEFINITIONS

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

“AGM”	the annual general meeting of the Company to be held at Level 35, Two Pacific Place, No. 88 Queensway, Admiralty, Hong Kong, on 8 June 2021, Tuesday, at 3:00 p.m. for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, approving the resolutions proposed in the AGM Notice
“AGM Notice”	the notice dated 23 April 2021 for convening the AGM and included in this circular
“Articles”	the articles of association of the Company as amended from time to time
“Board”	the board of Directors (including non-executive Directors and independent non-executive Directors)
“Buy-back Mandate”	a general mandate to the Directors to buy back such number of Shares not exceeding 10% of the total number of issued Shares of the Company as at the date of approval of the mandate (subject to adjustment in case of any Share consolidation or subdivision after the mandate has been approved, provided that the maximum number of securities that may be bought back as a percentage of the total number of issued Shares at the date immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same)
“Close Associate(s)”	has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules
“Company”	SinoMedia Holding Limited (中視金橋國際傳媒控股有限公司), a company incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability, the Shares of which are listed on the main board of the Stock Exchange (Stock Code: 00623)
“Companies Ordinance”	Companies Ordinance, Chapter 622 of the laws of Hong Kong
“Core Connected Person(s)”	has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules

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“Director(s)”	the director(s) of the Company
“General Extension Mandate”	a general mandate to the Directors to add to the General Mandate any Shares representing the number of Shares bought back under the Buy-back Mandate
“General Mandate”	a general mandate to the Directors to allot and issue Shares not exceeding 20% of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the date of approval of the mandate (subject to adjustment in case of any Share consolidation or subdivision after the mandate has been approved, provided that the maximum number of securities that may be bought back as a percentage of the total number of issued Shares at the date immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same)
“Group”	the Company and its Subsidiaries
“HK\$”	Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong
“Hong Kong”	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC
“Latest Practicable Date”	9 April 2021, being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this circular for the purpose of ascertaining certain information contained in this circular
“Listing Rules”	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange as amended from time to time
“PRC”	the People’s Republic of China excluding Hong Kong, the Macao Special Administrative Region of the PRC and Taiwan for the purposes of this circular
“RMB”	Reninbi, the lawful currency of the PRC
“SFO”	the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong)

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“Share(s)”	ordinary share(s) in the share capital of the Company or, if there is a subdivision, reduction, consolidation, or reconstruction of the share capital of the Company, the shares forming part of the ordinary equity share capital of the Company
“Shareholder(s)”	holder(s) of the Share(s)
“Stock Exchange”	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited
“Subsidiary/Subsidiaries”	any entity which falls within the meaning of the term “Subsidiary” as defined in the Listing Rules and the term “Subsidiaries” shall be construed accordingly
“Takeovers Code”	The Code on Takeovers and Mergers published by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong
“%”	per cent

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中視金橋國際傳媒控股有限公司

(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 00623)

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Mr. Li Zongzhou

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23 April 2021

To the Shareholders,

Dear Sir or Madam,

**GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND BUY BACK SHARES
RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTOR
AND
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1. INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this circular is to provide the Shareholders with information regarding the following proposals to be put forward at the AGM for the Shareholder's consideration and, if thought fit, approval of:

- (a) the granting to the Directors of the General Mandate;
- (b) the granting to the Directors of the Buy-back Mandate;
- (c) the granting to the Directors of the General Extension Mandate;
- (d) the re-election of Director; and
- (e) the declaration of final dividend.

2. VARIOUS MANDATES

On 9 June 2020, resolutions for the General Mandate, Buy-back Mandate and the General Extension Mandate were passed by the Shareholders and all the aforesaid mandates will lapse at the conclusion of the forthcoming AGM.

(a) General Mandate

An ordinary resolution will be proposed at the AGM to approve the granting of the General Mandate. The new General Mandate, if granted, will allow the Directors to issue and allot further Shares prevailing up to 20% of the number of issued Shares of the Company as at the date of passing the relevant resolution (subject to adjustment in case of any Share consolidation or subdivision after the mandate has been approved, provided that the maximum number of securities that may be bought back as a percentage of the total number of issued Shares at the date immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same).

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the number of issued Shares of the Company was 466,435,370 fully paid-up Shares. Subject to the passing of the resolution granting the General Mandate and on the basis that no further Shares will be allotted and issued or bought back from the Latest Practicable Date and up to the date of the AGM, exercise in full of the General Mandate could result in up to new issue of 93,287,074 Shares (subject to adjustment in case of any Share consolidation or subdivision after the mandate has been approved, provided that the maximum

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number of securities that may be issued as a percentage of the total number of issued Shares at the date immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same). There is no present intention for any issuance of Shares pursuant to the General Mandate.

(b) Buy-back Mandate

An ordinary resolution will be proposed at the AGM to approve the granting of the Buy-back Mandate. The new Buy-back Mandate, if granted, will allow the Directors to exercise all the powers of the Company to buy back its own Shares on market through the Stock Exchange or on another recognised stock exchange not exceeding 10% of the number of issued Shares of the Company as at the date of passing the relevant resolution (subject to adjustment in case of any Share consolidation or subdivision after the mandate has been approved, provided that the maximum number of securities that may be bought back as a percentage of the total number of issued Shares at the date immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same).

Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution granting the Buy-back Mandate and on the basis that there were 466,435,370 fully paid-up Shares as at the Latest Practicable Date and no Shares will be issued or bought back by the Company from the Latest Practicable Date to the date of AGM, the Company will be allowed under the Buy-back Mandate to buy back a maximum of 46,643,537 Shares (subject to adjustment in case of any Share consolidation or subdivision after the mandate has been approved, provided that the maximum number of securities that may be bought back as a percentage of the total number of issued Shares at the date immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same). The Directors may consider conducting buy-back of Shares on market through the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Buy-back Mandate depending on the market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, and only if such buy-backs will benefit the Company and its Shareholders as a whole.

An explanatory statement required under Rule 10.06(1)(b) of the Listing Rules to be sent to the Shareholders in relation to the Buy-back Mandate is set out in Appendix I to this circular. The explanatory statement contains all the information reasonably necessary for Shareholders to make an informed decision on whether to approve the relevant resolution at the AGM.

(c) General Extension Mandate

It is recommended that the General Extension Mandate be granted to the Directors permitting them, after the grant of the Buy-back Mandate referred to above, to add to the General Mandate any Shares bought back pursuant to the Buy-back Mandate.

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The authority conferred on the Directors by the General Mandate, the Buy-back Mandate and the General Extension Mandate would continue in force until 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 or the Articles to be held; and (iii) its revocation or variation by ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in a general meeting.

3. RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTOR

In accordance with Article 105 of the Articles, at each annual general meeting, not less than one-third of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office by rotation and, under the code on corporate governance of the Company, every Director, including those appointed for a specific term, shall be subject to retirement by rotation at least once every 3 years. All retiring Directors shall be eligible for re-election.

Accordingly, the following Directors shall retire from office by rotation at the conclusion of the AGM.

Name	Position
(a) Mr. Chen Xin	Executive Director
(b) Ms. Ip Hung	Independent Non-executive Director
(c) Mr. Qi Daqing	Independent Non-executive Director

Mr. Qi Daqing will only hold office until the conclusion of the AGM even if he is not to retire by rotation. All of them, being eligible, will offer themselves for re-election at the AGM.

Recommendations to the Board for the proposed re-election of Mr. Chen Xin as an executive Director, and each of Ms. Ip Hung and Mr. Qi Daqing as an independent non-executive Director were made by the nomination committee of the Company, having considered the nomination policy of the Company and taking into account a range of diversity perspectives including but not limited to gender, age, cultural and educational background, ethnicity, professional experience, skills, knowledge and length of service, as set out in the board diversity policy of the Company.

Further, if re-elected, all the aforesaid Directors, subject to the terms agreed otherwise which expire earlier, will be subject to rotation, removal, vacation or termination of their offices as Directors as set out in the Articles or the disqualification to act as a Director under the Articles, the laws of Hong Kong and the Listing Rules. Their particulars required to be disclosed under the Listing Rules are set out in Appendix II to this circular.

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Recommendation of the Nomination Committee on re-election of independent non-executive Directors

The Nomination Committee has taken into account the nomination policy and procedures adopted by the Company in making the recommendation to the Board for the election of each of Ms. Ip Hung and Mr. Qi Daqing as an independent non-executive Director. In particular, the Nomination Committee has assessed them against the following nomination criteria applicable to independent non-executive Directors:

- (a) willingness and ability to make sufficient time commitment to the affairs of the Company in order to effectively perform the duties of a Director, including attendance at and active participation in Board and Board committee meetings, which will include considering the other responsibility of the relevant candidate (such as other directorships held in public companies the securities of which are listed any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas and other major appointments, if any) and the effort and time that may be required by the candidate in fulfilling such role;
- (b) accomplishments of the candidate in his or her field;
- (c) outstanding professional and personal reputation; and
- (d) the candidate's ability to meet the independence criteria for directors established in the Listing Rules (for independent non-executive Directors).

The Nomination Committee has reviewed the written confirmation of independence of each of Ms. Ip Hung and Mr. Qi Daqing based on the independence criteria as set out in Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules and is satisfied that each of them remains independent in accordance with Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules. In addition, the Nomination Committee has evaluated each of their performance and considers that each of them has provided valuable contributions to the Company and has demonstrated each of their abilities to provide independent, balanced and objective view to the Company's affairs.

The Nomination Committee is also of the view that Ms. Ip Hung and Mr. Qi Daqing would bring to the Board their own perspective, skills and experience, as further described in their biographies in Appendix II to this circular.

The nomination of each of Ms. Ip Hung and Mr. Qi Daqing was made in accordance with the Nomination Policy of the Company and took into account the diversity aspects (including without limitation, gender, age, cultural and educational background, ethnicity, professional experience, skills, knowledge and length of service), with due regard for the benefits of diversity, as set out

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under the Board Diversity Policy of the Company. With their strong and diversified educational background and professional experience, the Nomination Committee considers that of each of Ms. Ip Hung and Mr. Qi Daqing can contribute to the diversity of the Board.

Accordingly, with the recommendation of the Nomination Committee, the Board has proposed each of Ms. Ip Hung and Mr. Qi Daqing to stand for election as a Director at the AGM. As a good corporate governance practice, each of Ms. Ip Hung and Mr. Qi Daqing abstained from voting at the relevant Board meeting on the proposition of his or her respective recommendation for re-election by the Shareholders at the AGM.

4. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The AGM Notice is set out on pages 22 to 26 of this circular and a form of proxy for use at the AGM is herein enclosed.

Whether or not you are able to attend the AGM, please complete the accompanying form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it to the Company's share registrar in Hong Kong, Boardroom Share Registrars (HK) Limited, at 2103B, 21/F, 148 Electric Road, North Point, Hong Kong, as soon as possible and in any event not later than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude you from attending and voting at the AGM or any adjournment thereof should you so desire.

5. FINAL DIVIDEND

The Board has recommended the declaration of a final dividend to be paid out of the distributable profits of the Company to the Shareholders whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on 18 June 2021, Friday. An ordinary resolution will be proposed at the AGM to declare the final dividend.

6. CLOSURE OF REGISTER OF MEMBERS

The register of members of the Company will be closed from 3 June 2021, Thursday, to 8 June 2021, Tuesday (both dates inclusive), for the purposes of determining the entitlements of the Shareholders to attend and vote at the AGM. No transfer of the Shares may be registered during the said period. The record date for determining the entitlements of the Shareholders to attend and vote at the AGM is 8 June 2021, Tuesday. In order to qualify to attend and vote at the AGM, all transfers accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's share registrar in Hong Kong, Boardroom Share Registrars (HK) Limited, at 2103B, 21/F, 148 Electric Road, North Point, Hong Kong, by no later than 4:30 p.m. on 2 June 2021, Wednesday.

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The register of members of the Company will be closed from 16 June 2021, Wednesday, to 18 June 2021, Friday (both dates inclusive), for the purposes of determining the entitlements of the Shareholders to the proposed final dividend upon the passing of relevant resolution. No transfer of the Shares may be registered during the said period. The record date for determining the entitlements of the Shareholders to the proposed final dividend is 18 June 2021, Friday. In order to qualify for the proposed final dividend, all transfers of Shares accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's share registrar in Hong Kong, Boardroom Share Registrars (HK) Limited, at 2103B, 21/F, 148 Electric Road, North Point, Hong Kong, by no later than 4:30 p.m. on 15 June 2021, Tuesday.

7. VOTING BY POLL

In accordance with Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules, any vote of shareholders at a general meeting must be taken by poll. Accordingly, the voting on all resolutions at the AGM will be conducted by way of poll.

8. RECOMMENDATION

The Board believes that the resolutions proposed in the AGM Notice are in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. The Board recommends that the Shareholders vote in favour of all resolutions to be proposed at the AGM.

9. PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES FOR THE AGM IN VIEW OF THE RECENT CORONAVIRUS EPIDEMIC

In view of the recent development of the coronavirus epidemic caused by coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19), and in order to better protect the safety and health of the Shareholders, a series of epidemic precautionary measures will be implemented at the venue of the AGM:—

- (i) compulsory body temperature check will be conducted for every person at the entrance of the venue of AGM. Any person with a body temperature of over 37.5 degree Celsius will not be admitted to the venue;
- (ii) every person is required to wear facial mask at the venue of the AGM;
- (iii) seating in the AGM venue will be arranged so as to allow for appropriate social distancing; and
- (iv) no refreshments will be served at the AGM.

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Subject to the development of the COVID-19 pandemic and in compliance with applicable laws and regulations, the Company may implement further precautionary measures at the AGM.

The Company wishes to remind the Shareholders and other participants who will attend the AGM in person to take personal precautions and abide by the requirements of epidemic precaution and control at the venue of the AGM. The Company also advises the Shareholders to attend and vote at the AGM by way of non-physical presence. The Shareholders may choose to vote by filling in and submitting the relevant proxy form of the AGM, and appoint the chairman of the AGM as a proxy to vote on relevant resolution(s) as instructed in accordance with the relevant proxy form instead of attending the AGM in person. For more details, please refer to the proxy form for the AGM.

10. RESPONSIBILITY OF THE DIRECTORS

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,
By order of the Board
Chen Xin
Chairman

APPENDIX I EXPLANATORY STATEMENT ON BUY-BACK OF SHARES

This explanatory statement contains all the information required pursuant to Rule 10.06(1)(b) and other relevant provisions of the Listing Rules to enable the Shareholders to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the ordinary resolutions to be proposed at the AGM in relation to the new Buy-back Mandate.

1. SHARE CAPITAL

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the number of issued Shares of the Company was 466,435,370 fully paid-up Shares.

Subject to the passing of the resolution granting the new Buy-back Mandate and on the basis that no further Shares will be allotted and issued or bought back from the Latest Practicable Date to the date of the AGM, the Directors would be allowed under the Buy-back Mandate to buy back up to 46,643,537 Shares, representing 10% of the number of issued Shares of the Company as at the Latest Practicable Date (subject to adjustment in case of any Share consolidation or subdivision after the mandate has been approved, provided that the maximum number of securities that may be bought back as a percentage of the total number of issued Shares at the date immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same), during the period from the date of resolution granting the Buy-back Mandate until 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 or the Articles to be held; and (iii) its revocation or variation by ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in a general meeting.

2. REASONS FOR BUY-BACKS

The Directors believe that it is in the best interests of the Company and its Shareholders as a whole to have a general authority from Shareholders to enable the Directors to buy back Shares in the market. Such buy-backs may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net value of the Company and its assets and/or earnings per Share and will only be made if the Directors believe that such buy-backs will benefit the Company and its Shareholders as a whole.

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3. FUNDING OF BUY-BACKS

In buying-back Shares, the Company may apply funds legally available for such purpose from distributable profit or funds from a new issue in accordance with its Articles and the Companies Ordinance.

The Companies Ordinance provides that the amount of capital payment in connection with a share buy-back may only be paid from the distributable profits of the Company and/or the proceeds of a new issue of shares made for the purpose of the buy-back to such extent allowable under the Companies Ordinance.

On the basis of the combined net tangible assets of the Group as at 31 December 2020, and taking into account the current working capital position of the Group, the Directors consider that there would be no material adverse effect on the working capital and gearing position of the Group in the event that the Buy-back Mandate was to be exercised in full at any time during the proposed buy-back period. Nevertheless, the Directors do not propose to exercise the Buy-back Mandate to such extent as would, in the circumstances, have a material adverse effect on the working capital requirements of the Company or the gearing levels which in the opinion of the Directors are from time to time appropriate for the Company.

4. EFFECT UNDER THE TAKEOVERS CODE AND ON MINIMUM PUBLIC HOLDING

If, as the result of a Share buy-back, a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases, such increase will be treated as an acquisition for the purpose of Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code. In certain circumstances, a Shareholder or a group of Shareholders acting in concert (depending on the level of increase of the Shareholders' interest) could as a result of increase of its or their interest, obtain or consolidate control of the Company and become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code.

Assuming that no further Shares will be allotted and issued or bought back from the Latest Practicable Date to the date of the AGM, on exercise in full of the Buy-back Mandate, the number of issued Shares will decrease from 466,435,370 to 419,791,833.

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As at the Latest Practicable Date, for the purpose of Part XV of the SFO, each of Ms. Liu Jinlan, and Tricor Equity Trustee Limited as the trustee of UME Trust, DFS (No. 2) Trust and CLH Trust, is taken to have an interest in the same block of 262,122,169 Shares (representing approximately 56.20% of the number of issued Shares of the Company as at the Latest Practicable Date); and each of Mr. Chen Xin, and Tricor Equity Trustee Limited as the trustee of MHS Trust, DFS (No. 1) Trust and CLH Trust, is taken to have an interest in the same block of 258,469,165 Shares (representing approximately 55.41% of the number of issued Shares of the Company as at the Latest Practicable Date). While Ms. Liu Jinlan is the founder of UME Trust, DFS (No. 2) Trust and CLH Trust and Mr. Chen Xin is the founder of MHS Trust, DFS (No. 1) Trust and CLH Trust, Ms. Liu Jinlan and Mr. Chen Xin are the only beneficiaries of the CLH Trust which asset comprises 210,982,513 Shares held through CLH Holding Limited and its wholly owned subsidiaries.

Accordingly, for the purpose of the Takeovers Code, Ms. Liu Jinlan and Mr. Chen Xin are concert parties and are taken to have interests in a total of 309,608,821 Shares, representing approximately 66.38% of the total number of issued Shares of the Company as at the Latest Practicable Date.

If, which is not presently contemplated, the Directors exercise in full the power to buy back Shares under the Buy-back Mandate, the shareholding of Ms. Liu Jinlan and Mr. Chen Xin in aggregate would be increased from 66.38% to 73.75% of the then number of issued Shares of the Company as a result of a decrease in the issued Shares. In the opinion of the Directors, such increase will not give rise to an obligation to make a mandatory offer under Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code. The Directors are not aware of any consequences which may arise under the Takeovers Code as a result of any buy-back made under the Buy-back Mandate. As at the Latest Practicable Date, so far as is known to the Directors, no Shareholder may become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code in the event that the Directors exercise the power in full to buy back Shares pursuant to the Buy-back Mandate.

The Company has no intention to exercise the Buy-back Mandate to the effect that it will result in the public float to fall below 25% or such other minimum percentage prescribed by the Listing Rules from time to time.

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5. SHARE PRICE

The highest and lowest prices at which the Shares have been traded on the Stock Exchange during the previous twelve months and up to the Latest Practicable Date were as follows:

	Share Price	
	Highest <i>(HK\$)</i>	Lowest <i>(HK\$)</i>
2020		
April	1.16	0.89
May	1.03	0.92
June	0.98	0.90
July	1.13	0.90
August	1.01	0.91
September	0.95	0.88
October	0.91	0.86
November	0.93	0.84
December	0.92	0.85
2021		
January	1.01	0.86
February	1.04	0.92
March	1.20	0.93
April (up to the Latest Practicable Date)	1.18	1.06

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6. BUY-BACK OF SHARES

The Company bought back an aggregate of 9,567,000 Shares on the Stock Exchange during the six months preceding the Latest Practicable Date, details of which are as follows:

Date	No. of Shares Bought-back	Highest price paid per Share (HK\$)	Lowest price paid per Share (HK\$)	Total Amount Paid (HK\$)
12 October 2020	300,000	0.90	0.88	266,800
15 October 2020	388,000	0.90	0.88	344,200
19 October 2020	396,000	0.89	0.88	350,160
23 October 2020	168,000	0.89	0.89	149,520
28 October 2020	420,000	0.90	0.89	375,620
2 November 2020	396,000	0.89	0.88	350,160
4 November 2020	219,000	0.87	0.86	189,990
6 November 2020	383,000	0.85	0.84	323,570
9 November 2020	900,000	0.86	0.84	760,790
10 November 2020	828,000	0.85	0.84	699,070
13 November 2020	807,000	0.85	0.84	681,430
17 November 2020	490,000	0.86	0.84	418,200
18 November 2020	146,000	0.86	0.86	125,560
23 December 2020	100,000	0.87	0.86	86,310
24 December 2020	68,000	0.87	0.87	59,160
19 January 2021	582,000	0.92	0.91	532,220
20 January 2021	70,000	0.92	0.92	64,400
21 January 2021	312,000	0.93	0.92	290,140
22 January 2021	1,000,000	0.95	0.95	950,000
1 April 2021	430,000	1.07	1.06	459,600
7 April 2021	927,000	1.09	1.07	1,006,860
8 April 2021	<u>237,000</u>	1.10	1.09	<u>259,830</u>
Total	<u>9,567,000</u>			<u>8,743,590</u>

Saved as disclosed herein, the Company had not bought back any Shares in the six months preceding the Latest Practicable Date, whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise.

APPENDIX I EXPLANATORY STATEMENT ON BUY-BACK OF SHARES

7. GENERAL

None of the Directors, and to the best of their knowledge having made all reasonable enquiries, nor any Close Associates of any Director, have any present intention in the event that the Buy-back Mandate is approved by the Shareholders to sell any Shares to the Company.

No Core Connected Person has notified the Company that he has a present intention to sell Shares to the Company, or has undertaken not to do so, if the Buy-back Mandate is approved by Shareholders.

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange to exercise the power of the Company to make buy-backs pursuant to the Buy-back Mandate in accordance with the Listing Rules and the applicable laws of Hong Kong.

APPENDIX II DETAILS OF DIRECTORS STANDING FOR RE-ELECTION AND PROPOSED TO BE APPOINTED

Set out below are details of the Directors who are proposed to be re-elected at the AGM.

1. Mr. Chen Xin

Mr. Chen Xin, aged 54, has been our Executive Director since November 2006. He was appointed as our Chairman in December 2007. He is primarily responsible for the strategic development, financial planning and investment management of the Group. Mr. Chen has thirty three years of experience in the media industry, and obtained the title of senior reporter in journalism in 1999, currently he also appointed as the vice director of Academic Committee on Television Documentary of China Television Artists Association. From 1988 to 2004, he was a reporter for the central news compilation room of the overseas service department and the Australian branch of Xinhua News Agency, respectively, and also a director of central news compilation room and a director of news distribution office of the overseas service department of Xinhua News Agency successively. Mr. Chen received his bachelor of science degree in genetics from Fudan University in 1986, completed a master's course in international news from Fudan University in 1988 and received an EMBA degree from the Cheung Kong Graduate School of Business in 2006. Mr. Chen is the husband of Ms. Liu Jinlan, our Chief Executive Officer and an Executive Director.

In the three years immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Chen did not hold any directorship in any other publicly listed companies.

Mr. Chen has entered into a service contract with the Company.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Chen was deemed to be interested in 258,469,165 Shares which were held by three discretionary trusts, namely MHS Trust, DFS (No. 1) Trust and CLH Trust, all founded by Mr. Chen. Out of such 258,469,165 Shares, 210,982,513 Shares were held by CLH Trust and Mr. Chen is also a beneficiary of the trust.

2. Ms. Ip Hung

Ms. Ip Hung, aged 51, was appointed as our Independent Non-executive Director in June 2019. Ms. Ip worked in SBI E2 Capital Group from June 2000 to October 2008 and was the head of equity before leaving office. Ms. Ip was the chief executive of Oriental Patron Securities Limited from April 2009 to November 2016 and has been an investment committee member of the Oriental Patron Financial Group during the period. Prior to working in the finance industry, she was a financial reporter of Hong Kong Economic Journal. Ms. Ip is currently a Senior Strategy

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Adviser of Oriental Patron Financial Group and Head of Impact Investing of Pyxis Wealth Advisors Limited. Ms. Ip obtained a bachelor degree in communication from Hong Kong Baptist University in 1992, and a master degree in humanities from Warwick University in 2002.

In the three years immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date, Ms. Ip did not hold any directorship in any other publicly listed companies.

Ms. Ip does not hold any other positions with the Company and other members of the Group.

Ms. Ip has entered into a letter of appointment with the Company pursuant to which she is entitled to HKD 200,000 per year of emoluments covered by the letter of appointment.

Ms. Ip does not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management or any substantial or controlling shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules) of the Company.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Ms. Ip did not have any interest in the shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

3. Mr. Qi Daqing

Mr. Qi Daqing, aged 56, has been our Independent Non-executive Director since May 2008. He taught as an assistant professor and then an associate professor in accounting at The Chinese University of Hong Kong between 1996 and 2002. Mr. Qi joined the Cheung Kong Graduate School of Business in July 2002 where he currently serves as a professor of Accounting. He serves as an independent director, the chairman of audit committee and a member of remuneration committee of Sohu.com Ltd., serves as an independent director and a member of audit committee, and remuneration committee of MOMO Inc., serves as an independent director and a member of audit committee of Jutal Offshore Oil Services Limited, serves as an independent director and a member of audit committee, remuneration committee and nomination committee of Yunfeng Financial Group Limited, serves as an independent director and the chairman of audit committee of Bison Finance Group Limited, and serves as an independent director and the chairman of audit committee of HaiDiLao International Holdings Ltd. Mr. Qi obtained a bachelor of science degree in biological physics in 1985 and a bachelor of arts degree in international mass communication in 1987, both from Fudan University in Shanghai. He received an MBA degree from the University of Hawaii at Manoa in 1992 and then a Ph.D. degree in Accounting from the Michigan State University in 1996.

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Mr. Qi currently holds directorships in the following publicly listed companies: Sohu.com Ltd. (NASDAQ), MOMO Inc. (NASDAQ), Jutal Offshore Oil Services Limited (Hong Kong Stock Exchange), Yunfeng Financial Group Limited (Hong Kong Stock Exchange), Bison Finance Group Limited (Hong Kong Stock Exchange) and HaiDiLao International Holdings Ltd. (Hong Kong Stock Exchange).

Through his roles as an independent director in various companies and as a result of his overall professional experience, Mr. Qi has obtained expertise in accounting and financial management. In addition to lectures and presentations in accounting issues at various professional settings, he has authored research papers on accounting, financial reporting, capital market and other related topics that are published in leading academic journals. Mr. Qi is experienced in reviewing and analysing financial statements of public companies.

Mr. Qi has entered into a letter of appointment with the Company pursuant to which he is entitled to HKD 230,000 per year of emoluments covered by the letter of appointment.

Mr. Qi does not hold any other position with the Company and other members of the Group.

Mr. Qi does not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management or any substantial or controlling shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules) of the Company.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Qi was interested in options carrying rights to subscribe for 300,000 Shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

Save as disclosed above, there is no other information in respect of each of Mr. Chen Xin, Ms. Ip Hung and Mr. Qi Daqing to be disclosed pursuant to Rules 13.51(2)(h) to (w) of the Listing Rules, and there is no other matter that needs to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in relation to the appointment of each of Mr. Chen Xin, Ms. Ip Hung and Mr. Qi Daqing.

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DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS

The amounts of emoluments received for the year ended 31 December 2020 by the above Director to be re-elected at the AGM are set out in the table below:

Director	Fees (RMB'000)	Salaries, allowances and benefits in kind (RMB'000)	Discretionary bonuses (RMB'000)	Contribution to defined retirement plan (RMB'000)	Equity settled share-based payment (RMB'000)	Total remuneration (RMB'000)
Mr. Mr. Chen Xin	—	928	200	61	—	1,189
Ms. Ip Hung	174	—	—	—	—	174
Mr. Qi Daqing	200	—	—	—	12	212

The emoluments to be received in 2021 by the above Director to be re-elected at the AGM will be determined by the Board based on the adopted remuneration policy reviewed by the Remuneration Committee of the Company, with reference to the Director's qualification and experience, responsibilities undertaken, contribution to the Group, and the prevailing market level of remuneration of similar position.

OTHER INFORMATION

If elected or re-elected at the AGM, all the aforesaid Directors, subject to the terms agreed otherwise which expire earlier, will be subject to the rotation, removal, vacation or termination of such offices as set out in the Articles or the disqualification to act as a Director under the Articles, the laws of Hong Kong and the Listing Rules. Save as disclosed herein, the above Directors did not in the past three years up to the Latest Practicable Date hold any directorship in any listed public company in Hong Kong or overseas, did not as at the Latest Practicable Date have other major appointments and professional qualifications, any interests in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance and any relationship with any other Directors, senior management or any substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company, and there is no information which is discloseable or are/were the above Directors to be re-elected involved in any of the matters required to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements of the provisions under paragraphs 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(w) of the Listing Rules, and the Board is not aware of any other matters which need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders.

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SINOMEDIA HOLDING LIMITED

中視金橋國際傳媒控股有限公司

(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 00623)

(the “Company”)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual general meeting of the Company (the “AGM”) will be held at Level 35, Two Pacific Place, No. 88 Queensway, Admiralty, Hong Kong on 8 June 2021, Tuesday at 3:00 p.m., Hong Kong for the purpose of transacting the following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESS

1. To receive and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements and the reports of the board of directors (the “**Directors**”) and the independent auditors (“**Auditors**”) of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2020.
2. To declare a final dividend of 9.00 HK cents per ordinary share of the Company (“**Share**”) for the year ended 31 December 2020 to be paid out of the distributable profits to the Shareholders of the Company whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on 18 June 2021.
3. To re-appoint Messrs. KPMG as the Auditors and authorise the board of Directors to fix Auditors’ remuneration.
4. To re-elect the retiring Directors.
5. To authorise the board of Directors to fix the Directors’ remuneration.

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SPECIAL BUSINESS

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolutions (with or without modification) as ordinary resolutions:-

6. **“THAT**

- (a) a general mandate be and is hereby unconditionally given to the Directors to exercise during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with unissued Shares or securities convertible into Shares or options, warrants or similar rights to subscribe for any Shares or such convertible securities and to make or grant offers, agreements or options which would or might require the exercise of such powers either during or after the Relevant Period, in addition to any Shares which may be issued from time to time (a) on a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined) or (b) upon the exercise of any options under any option scheme or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the grant or issue of Shares or rights to acquire Shares or (c) upon the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion attaching to any warrants or convertible bonds issued by the Company or any securities which are convertible into Shares the issue of which warrants and other securities has previously been approved by shareholders of the Company or (d) as any scrip dividend or similar arrangements pursuant to the articles of association of the Company, not exceeding twenty per cent of the number of issued Shares of the Company as at the date of this resolution (subject to adjustment in case of any Share consolidation or subdivision after the mandate has been approved, provided that the maximum number of securities that may be issued as a percentage of the total number of issued Shares at the date immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same); and
- (b) for the purpose 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 or the articles of association of the Company to be held; and
 - iii. the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in a general meeting;

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and “Rights Issue” means an offer of Shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of Shares on the register of members of the Company on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such Shares (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the Directors may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractions entitlements or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of any relevant jurisdiction, or of the requirements of any recognized regulatory body or any stock exchange applicable to the Company).”

7. “**THAT** there be granted to the Directors an unconditional general mandate to buy back Shares, and that the exercise by the Directors of all powers of the Company to buy back Shares subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved, subject to the following conditions:
- (a) such mandate shall not extend beyond the Relevant Period;
 - (b) such mandate shall authorise the Directors to procure the Company to buy back Shares at such price as the Directors may at their discretion determine;
 - (c) the Shares to be bought back by the Company pursuant to this resolution during the Relevant Period shall be no more than ten per cent of the number of issued Shares as at the date of passing this resolution (subject to adjustment in case of any Share consolidation or subdivision after the mandate has been approved, provided that the maximum number of securities that may be bought back as a percentage of the total number of issued Shares at the date immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same); and
 - (d) for the purpose 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 or the articles of association of the Company to be held; and
 - iii. the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in a general meeting.”

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8. “**THAT** conditional upon the resolutions nos. 6 and 7 above being passed, the number of Shares which are bought back by the Company pursuant to and in accordance with resolution no. 7 above shall be added to the number of Shares that may be allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted by the Directors pursuant to and in accordance with resolution no. 6 above.”

By order of the Board

Chen Xin

Chairman

Hong Kong, 23 April 2021

Notes:

1. A member of the Company who is a holder of two or more Shares, and who is entitled to attend and vote at the AGM is entitled to appoint more than one proxy or a duly authorised corporate representative to attend and vote in his stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude a member of the Company from attending and voting in person at the AGM and any adjournment thereof should he so wish. In such event, his form of proxy will be deemed to have been revoked.
2. A form of proxy for the AGM is enclosed with the Company’s circular dated 23 April 2021. In order to be valid, the form of proxy duly completed and signed in accordance with the instructions printed thereon together with a valid 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 Company’s share registrar in Hong Kong, Boardroom Share Registrars (HK) Limited, at 2103B, 21/F, 148 Electric Road, North Point, Hong Kong, not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM or any adjournment thereof.
3. The register of members of the Company will be closed from 3 June 2021, Thursday to 8 June 2021, Tuesday (both dates inclusive), for the purposes of determining the entitlements of the members of the Company to attend and vote at the AGM. No transfers of Shares may be registered during the said period. The record date for determining the entitlements of the Shareholders to attend and vote at the AGM is 8 June 2021, Tuesday. In order to qualify for the aforesaid entitlements, all transfers accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company’s share registrar in Hong Kong, Boardroom Share Registrars (HK) Limited, at 2103B, 21/F, 148 Electric Road, North Point, Hong Kong no later than 4:30 p.m. on 2 June 2021, Wednesday.
4. The register of members of the Company will be closed from 16 June 2021, Wednesday to 18 June 2021, Friday (both dates inclusive), for the purposes of determining the entitlements of members of the Company to the proposed final dividend upon passing of resolution no. 2 set out in this notice. No transfers of Shares may be registered during the said period. The record date for determining the entitlements of the Shareholders to the proposed final dividend will be 18 June 2021, Friday. In order to qualify for the aforesaid entitlements, all transfers accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company’s share registrar in Hong Kong, Boardroom Share Registrars (HK) Limited, at 2103B, 21/F, 148 Electric Road, North Point, Hong Kong no later than 4:30 p.m. on 15 June 2021, Tuesday.

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5. Where there are joint registered holders of any Share, any one of such persons may vote at any meeting, either personally by proxy, in respect of such Share as if he were solely entitled thereto; but if more than one of such joint holders be present at any meeting personally or by proxy, that one of the said persons so present being the most or, as the case may be, the more senior shall alone be entitled to vote in respect of the relevant joint holding and, for this purpose, seniority shall be determined by reference to the order in which the names of the joint holders, stand on the register in respect of the relevant joint holding.
6. With regard to resolution no. 6 above, the Directors wish to state that they have no immediate plans to issue any new Shares pursuant to the general mandate to be granted under resolution no. 6 above.
7. If a Typhoon Signal No. 8 or above is hoisted or a Black Rainstorm Warning Signal is in force at or at any time after 12:00 noon on the date of the meeting and/or the Hong Kong Observatory has announced at or before 12:00 noon on the date of the meeting that either of the above mentioned warnings is to be issued within the next two hours, the meeting will be adjourned. Depending on the circumstances in light of the outbreak of the coronavirus disease (Covid-19), the meeting may be adjourned as well. The Company will publish an announcement to notify Shareholders of the date, time and place of the adjourned meeting.

The meeting will be held as scheduled when an Amber or Red Rainstorm Warning Signal is in force. Shareholders should decide on their own whether they would attend the meeting under bad weather conditions bearing in mind their own situation.

8. In view of the recent development of the coronavirus epidemic caused by coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19), and in order to better protect the safety and health of the Shareholders, a series of epidemic precautionary measures will be implemented at the venue of the AGM:—
 - (i) compulsory body temperature check will be conducted for every person at the entrance of the venue of AGM. Any person with a body temperature of over 37.5 degree Celsius will not be admitted to the venue;
 - (ii) every person is required to wear facial mask at the venue of the AGM;
 - (iii) seating in the AGM venue will be arranged so as to allow for appropriate social distancing; and
 - (iv) no refreshments will be served at the AGM.

Subject to the development of the COVID-19 pandemic and in compliance with applicable laws and regulations, the Company may implement further precautionary measures at the AGM.

The Company wishes to remind the Shareholders and other participants who will attend the AGM in person to take personal precautions and abide by the requirements of epidemic precaution and control at the venue of the AGM. The Company also advises the Shareholders to attend and vote at the AGM by way of non-physical presence. The Shareholders may choose to vote by filling in and submitting the relevant proxy form of the AGM, and appoint the chairman of the AGM as a proxy to vote on relevant resolution(s) as instructed in accordance with the relevant proxy form instead of attending the AGM in person. For more details, please refer to the proxy form for the AGM.

As at the date of this notice, the board of Directors of the Company comprises Mr. Chen Xin, Ms. Liu Jinlan and Mr. Li Zongzhou as executive directors, and Mr. Qi Daqing, Ms. Ip Hung, Dr. Tan Henry and Dr. Zhang Hua as independent non-executive directors.