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## **Guoan International Limited**

國安國際有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability) (Stock Code: 143)

## **RESUMPTION GUIDANCE**

This announcement is made by Guoan International Limited (the "**Company**") pursuant to Rule 13.09 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and the Inside Information Provisions under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

Reference is made to the announcements of the Company dated 13 February 2018, 14 June 2018, 28 February 2019, 28 February 2020, 30 November 2020, 2 December 2020, 24 December 2020, 22 January 2021, 28 February 2021, 1 March 2021, 29 March 2021, 12 April 2021, 27 April 2021, 14 May 2021, 26 May 2021, 10 June 2021, 17 June 2021 and 18 June 2021 respectively (the "Announcements") and the circular of the Company dated 24 May 2018. Unless otherwise defined, capitalised terms used in this announcement shall have the same meanings as those defined in the Announcements.

## **RESUMPTION GUIDANCE**

On 18 June 2021, the Company received a letter from the Stock Exchange setting out the following guidance (the "**Resumption Guidance**") for the resumption of trading in the Shares:

- (i) conduct an appropriate independent investigation into the Acquisition, assess the impact on the Company's business operation and financial position, announce the investigation findings and take appropriate remedial actions;
- (ii) publish all outstanding financial results required under the Listing Rules and address any audit modifications;
- (iii) demonstrate the Company's compliance with Rule 13.24 of the Listing Rules; and
- (iv) inform the market of all material information for the Shareholders and other investors to appraise the Company's position.

The Resumption Guidance further states that: (1) the Stock Exchange may modify or supplement the Resumption Guidance if the Company's situation changes; and (2) the Company must remedy the issue(s) causing its trading suspension and fully comply with the Listing Rules to the Stock Exchange's satisfaction before trading in the Shares is allowed to resume, and for this purpose, the Company has the primary responsibility to devise its action plan for resumption.

Under Rule 6.01A(1) of the Listing Rules, the Stock Exchange may cancel the listing of any securities that have been suspended from trading for a continuous period of 18 months. In the case of the Company, the 18 month period expires on 29 September 2022. If the Company fails to remedy the issue(s) causing its trading suspension, fulfill the Resumption Guidance and fully comply with the Listing Rules to the Stock Exchange's satisfaction and resume trading in its Shares by 29 September 2022, the Listing Division will recommend the Listing Committee to proceed with the cancellation of the Company's listing. Under Rules 6.01 and 6.10 of the Listing Rules, the Stock Exchange also has the right to impose a shorter specific remedial period, where appropriate.

The Company is taking appropriate steps to resolve the issue(s) causing its trading suspension and to fully comply with the Listing Rules to the Stock Exchange's satisfaction. The Company will seek to resume trading of its Shares on the Stock Exchange as soon as possible.

Pursuant to Rule 13.24A of the Listing Rules, the Company is required to announce quarterly updates on its developments including, among other relevant matters, its business operations, its resumption plan, the progress of implementing its resumption plan and satisfying the Resumption Guidance and details of any material change to the resumption plan. The first quarterly update will be announced on or before 29 June 2021 and every 3 months from that date until resumption or cancellation of listing (whichever is earlier).

The Company will also make further announcement(s) as and when appropriate in accordance with the Listing Rules.

## CONTINUED SUSPENSION OF TRADING

At the request of the Company, trading in the Shares on the Stock Exchange was suspended with effect from 9:00 a.m. on 30 March 2021 and will remain suspended until further notice.

Transfer of Shares may be restricted as the deposits of Shares into CCASS may be suspended due to the Petition. Shareholders and potential investors of the Company should exercise caution when dealing in the Shares, and if they are in any doubt about their position, they should consult their professional adviser(s).

By Order of the Board Guoan International Limited LIU Deng Chairman

Hong Kong, 22 June 2021

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises 5 Directors, of which 1 is an executive Director, namely Mr. LIU Deng, 3 are non-executive Directors, namely Ms. BAI Wei, Mr. WEI Wen Jun and Mr. ZHOU Deng Yue, and 1 is an independent non-executive Director, namely Mr. LEE Kwok Leung.