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## **i-CONTROL HOLDINGS LIMITED**

### **超智能控股有限公司**

*(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)*

**(Stock code: 1402)**

#### **RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS, DECLARATION OF FINAL DIVIDEND, PROPOSED GRANT OF GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND BUY-BACK SHARES AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

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A notice convening the annual general meeting of the Company (the “AGM”) to be held at 10:00 a.m., on Thursday, 26 August 2021 at Empire Room 1, 1/F, Empire Hotel Hong Kong – Wan Chai, 33 Hennessy Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong is set out on pages 18 to 22 of this circular. A form of proxy for the AGM is enclosed with this circular. Whether or not you are able to attend and vote at the AGM in person, you are encouraged to complete the enclosed form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return the same to the Company’s branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen’s Road East, Hong Kong, as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding of the AGM (i.e. not later than Tuesday, 24 August 2021 at 10:00 a.m. (Hong Kong time)) or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the AGM or any adjournment thereof should you so wish.

#### **PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES FOR THE AGM**

Taking into account of the continuation of the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic, the Company will implement the following prevention and control measures at the AGM:

- (i) seating at the venue of the AGM will be arranged so as to allow for appropriate social distancing and number of attendee may be limited to avoid over-crowding;
- (ii) compulsory body temperature checks;
- (iii) compulsory wearing of surgical face masks; and
- (iv) no refreshment or drinks will be served and no corporate gift will be distributed.

**Shareholders are reminded that physical attendance at the AGM is not necessary for exercising Shareholder’s voting rights. Shareholders, particularly Shareholders who are themselves or have close contact with persons subject to quarantine in relation to COVID-19, are strongly encouraged to appoint any person or the chairman of the AGM as his/her proxy to vote on the respective resolutions at the AGM, instead of attending the AGM in person.**

23 July 2021

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## PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES FOR THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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Due to the recent development of the epidemic caused by novel coronavirus pneumonia (COVID-19), the Company will implement the following precautionary measures at the AGM against the epidemic to protect the Shareholders from the risk of infection:

- (i) Seating at the venue of the AGM (“**AGM Venue**”) will be arranged so as to allow for appropriate social distancing. As a result, there will be limited capacity for Shareholders to attend the AGM. The Company may limit the number of attendees at the AGM as may be necessary to avoid over-crowding;
- (ii) At the entrance of the AGM Venue, a compulsory body temperature check will be conducted on every person attending the AGM. Any person with a body temperature of over 37.0 degrees Celsius, or any individual who has any flu-like symptoms or is otherwise unwell will not be admitted to the AGM Venue;
- (iii) Every Shareholder or proxy is required to wear surgical facial mask at the AGM Venue;
- (iv) Every Shareholder or proxy who has travelled from jurisdictions, which according to the Department of Health of Hong Kong would render such person subject to a quarantine order, within 14 days of the date of AGM will not be admitted to the AGM Venue;
- (v) Any attendee who declines any of the abovementioned measures will be refused admission to the AGM Venue; and
- (vi) No food or beverages will be provided, and no drinking and eating will be allowed, at the AGM Venue.

Shareholders are reminded that physical attendance at the AGM is not necessary for the purpose of exercising Shareholder’s voting rights. Shareholders, particularly any Shareholders who are themselves or have close contact with persons subject to quarantine in relation to COVID-19, are strongly encouraged to appoint any person or the chairman of the AGM as his/her proxy to vote on the respective resolutions at the AGM, instead of attending the AGM in person.

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## DEFINITIONS

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*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 convened and held at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, 26 August 2021 at Empire Room 1, 1/F, Empire Hotel Hong Kong – Wan Chai, 33 Hennessy Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, or any adjournment thereof
“AGM Notice”	the notice of the AGM set out on pages 18 to 22 of this circular
“Articles of Association”	the articles of association of the Company (as amended from time to time)
“Board”	the board of Directors
“Buy-back Mandate”	a general and unconditional mandate proposed to be granted by the Company to the Directors to buy-back the Shares on the Stock Exchange with an aggregate nominal value not exceeding 10% of the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing the relevant resolution at the AGM
“Companies Law”	the Companies Law (as revised) of the Cayman Islands, as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time
“Company”	i-Control Holdings Limited, an exempted company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability and the Shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange with stock code: 1402
“controlling shareholder(s)”	has the meaning ascribed thereto under the Listing Rules and in the context of the Company, means Phoenix Time Holdings Limited and Mr. Zhong Naixiong
“Director(s)”	the director(s) of the Company

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“Extension Mandate”	a general and unconditional mandate proposed to be granted by the Company to the Directors to the effect that any shares bought back under the Buy-back Mandate will be added to the total number of Shares which may be allotted and issued under the Issue Mandate
“Group”	the Company and its subsidiaries from time to time
“HK\$”	Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong
“Hong Kong”	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC
“Issue Mandate”	a general and unconditional mandate proposed to be granted by the Company to the Directors to allot, issue and deal with additional Shares with an aggregate nominal value not exceeding 20% of the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing the relevant resolution at the AGM
“Latest Practicable Date”	19 July 2021, being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this circular for the purpose of ascertaining certain information contained herein
“Listing Rules”	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange
“PRC”	the People’s Republic of China, which for the purpose of this circular, shall exclude Hong Kong, Macau Special Administrative Region of the PRC and Taiwan
“SFO”	The Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong), as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time
“Share(s)”	the ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.01 each in the share capital of the Company
“Shareholder(s)”	holder(s) of the Share(s)

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“Stock Exchange”	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited
“subsidiary(ies)”	has the meaning ascribed thereto under the Listing Rules
“substantial shareholder(s)”	has the meaning ascribed thereto under the Listing Rules
“Takeovers Code”	the Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share Buy-backs issued by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong, as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time
“%”	per cent

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LETTER FROM THE BOARD

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**i-CONTROL HOLDINGS LIMITED**

**超智能控股有限公司**

*(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)*

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*Executive Directors:*

Mr. Zhong Naixiong (*Chairman*)

Mr. Yau Wing Keung

Mr. Tong Sai Wong

Mr. Chan Wing Yiu

Mr. Chan Wing Lun

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*Non-executive Directors:*

Dr. Wong King Keung

*Headquarters and principal place of  
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*Independent non-executive Directors:*

Mr. Fong Chi

Mr. Fung Chan Man Alex

Mr. Lum Pak Sum

Mr. Li Ying Wai Wayne

23 July 2021

*To the Shareholders*

Dear Sirs or Madams,

**RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS,  
DECLARATION OF FINAL DIVIDEND,  
PROPOSED GRANT OF GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE  
AND BUY-BACK SHARES  
AND  
NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**INTRODUCTION**

The Directors wish to seek the approval of the Shareholders at the AGM for, among other things, (i) the re-election of retiring Directors; (ii) the declaration of final dividend; and (iii) the grant of the Issue Mandate, the Buy-back Mandate and the Extension Mandate.

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The purpose of this circular is to (i) provide you with details of the Issue Mandate, Extension Mandate and the Buy-back Mandate, (ii) set out an explanatory statement regarding the Buy-back Mandate as required by the Listing Rules, (iii) provide you with information regarding the re-election of retiring Directors; and (iv) give you notice of the AGM.

### RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS

Pursuant to Article 108(a) of the Articles of Association, Mr. Zhong Naixiong, Mr. Fung Chan Man Alex and Mr. Lum Pak Sum, shall retire from office by rotation and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election as Directors at the AGM.

Pursuant to Article 112 of the Articles of Association, Mr. Li Ying Wai Wayne, shall hold office until the AGM and shall be eligible for re-election at the AGM.

Mr. Fung Chan Man Alex, Mr. Lum Pak Sum and Mr. Li Ying Wai Wayne (the “INEDs”) are independent non-executive Directors. The Company, having reviewed the composition of the Board, considered the INEDs are suitable for re-election in line with the approach as set out in the nomination policy and the board diversity policy of the Company. The INEDs have substantial board experience and good understandings of the Group’s operations. They have contributed significantly to help the Company achieve high standard of corporate governance and have contributed to the diversity of the Board by bringing their professional experience and their independent opinions to the Company.

The INEDs were not involved in the day-to-day management of the Company, did not have any family ties with other Directors or senior management of the Company and the Company is not aware of any circumstance which would interfere with the exercise of their professional judgment. The INEDs have also given an annual confirmation of their independence pursuant to Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules to the Company. Based on the above, the Board believes that the INEDs have the character, integrity and experience to fulfill the role of independent non-executive Directors and, if re-elected, will continue to make significant contribution to the Company.

Biographical details of the retiring Directors are set out in Appendix I to this circular.

### DECLARATION OF FINAL DIVIDEND

As disclosed in the results announcement of the Company dated 24 June 2021, the Board recommends the payment of a final dividend out of the share premium account under reserves of the Company of HK0.65 cents per Share in respect of the year ended 31 March 2021 to the Shareholders whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on Tuesday, 7 September 2021, totaling the amount of HK\$6,500,000, subject to the approval of the Shareholders at the AGM and the compliance of the Companies Law.



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Under Section 34(2) of the Companies Law, the share premium account may be applied by the company paying dividends to shareholders provided that no dividend may be paid to members out of the share premium account unless, immediately following the date on which the dividend is proposed to be paid, the company shall be able to pay its debts as they fall due in the ordinary course of business. The Board confirms that with respect to the final dividend, the Company meets the solvency test as laid down under the Companies Law and shall be able to pay its debts as they fall due in the ordinary course of business immediately following the date on which the final dividend is proposed to be paid.

For determining the entitlement to final dividend, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Friday, 3 September 2021 to Tuesday, 7 September 2021, both dates inclusive, during which period no transfer of Shares will be effected. In order to qualify for the entitlement to final dividend, all transfers of Shares, accompanied by the relevant share certificates, must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, 2 September 2021.

### **PROPOSED GRANT OF MANDATES TO ISSUE AND BUY-BACK SHARES**

At the annual general meeting of the Company held on 7 August 2020, ordinary resolutions were passed to grant the existing issue mandate, extension mandate and buy-back mandate to the Directors. The existing issue mandate, extension mandate and buy-back mandate will lapse at the conclusion of the AGM.

#### **(a) Issue Mandate and Extension Mandate**

Ordinary resolutions will be proposed to grant to the Directors a general and unconditional mandate to exercise all powers of the Company (i) to allot, issue and deal with additional Shares not exceeding 20% of the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution at the AGM; and (ii) to add the aggregate number of Shares bought back by the Company under the Buy-back Mandate to the Issue Mandate, subject to a maximum of 10% of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution. As at the Latest Practicable Date, a total of 1,000,500,000 Shares were in issue. Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution granting the Issue Mandate to the Directors and on the basis that no Shares will be issued or bought back by the Company from the Latest Practicable Date to the date of the AGM, the Company will be allowed under the Issue Mandate to issue a maximum of 200,100,000 Shares.

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### (b) Buy-back Mandate

An ordinary resolution will be proposed at the AGM to grant to the Directors a general and unconditional mandate to exercise all powers of the Company to buy-back Shares, on the Stock Exchange not exceeding 10% of the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution at the AGM. In accordance with the requirements of the Listing Rules, an explanatory statement is set out in Appendix II to this circular containing all the information reasonably necessary to enable you to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the grant of the Buy-back Mandate.

### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND PROXY ARRANGEMENT

The AGM Notice is set out on pages 18 to 22 of this circular. At the AGM, resolutions will be proposed to approve, *inter alia*, the re-election of retiring Directors, the declaration of final dividend and the grant of the Issue Mandate, the Buy-back Mandate and the Extension Mandate.

Pursuant to the Listing Rules, any vote of shareholders at a general meeting must be taken by poll except where the chairman, in good faith, decides to allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter to be voted on by a show of hands. An announcement on the poll vote results will be made by the Company after the AGM in the manner prescribed under Rule 13.39(5) of the Listing Rules.

For determining the Shareholders' eligibility to attend and vote at the AGM, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Monday, 23 August 2021 to Thursday, 26 August 2021, both dates inclusive, during which period no transfer of Shares will be effected. In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the AGM, all transfers of Shares, accompanied by the relevant share certificates, must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 20 August 2021.

A form of proxy for use at the AGM is enclosed with this circular and published on the Stock Exchange's website ([www.hkexnews.hk](http://www.hkexnews.hk)) and the Company's website ([www.i-controlholdings.com](http://www.i-controlholdings.com)) respectively. Whether or not you are able to attend the AGM, please complete and sign the form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it, together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed or a certified copy of that power of attorney or authority to the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services 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 AGM (i.e. not later than Tuesday, 24 August 2021 at 10:00 a.m. (Hong Kong time)) or any adjournment thereof. Completion and delivery of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting at the AGM or any adjournment thereof if you so wish and in such event, the proxy form shall be deemed to be revoked.

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To the best of the knowledge and belief of the Directors having made reasonable enquiries, none of the Shareholders is required to abstain from voting at the AGM under the Articles of Association and/or the Listing Rules.

### 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 misleading.

### RECOMMENDATION

The Board considers that the ordinary resolutions in respect of the re-election of retiring Directors, the declaration of final dividend and the grant of the Issue Mandate, the Buy-back Mandate and the Extension Mandate to be proposed at the AGM are in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Accordingly, the Board recommends the Shareholders to vote in favour of all resolutions to be proposed at the AGM.

Yours faithfully,  
For and on behalf of the Board  
**i-Control Holdings Limited**  
**Zhong Naixiong**  
*Chairman*

*Pursuant to the Listing Rules, the biographical details of the Directors who will retire at the AGM according to the Articles of Association and will be proposed to be re-elected at the AGM are provided below.*

### **Executive Directors**

**Mr. Zhong Naixiong (鍾乃雄) (“Mr. Zhong”)**, aged 57, was appointed as an executive Director and designated as the chairman of the Board on 7 December 2017. Currently, he is in charge of managing the overall business development and strategic planning of the Group.

Mr. Zhong is an experienced investor in various businesses in both Hong Kong and PRC. He has accumulated comprehensive experience in business management and investment services through working in the insurance, retail and auction industries during the period from 1984 to 2002. He also has more than 15 years of working experience in property development and in investment business. Mr. Zhong founded Guangdong Puxun Industry Investment Company Limited\* (廣東普迅實業投資有限公司), a company principally engaged in industrial investments, investment management, marketing planning, trade and commerce information consulting and business management consulting, and Foshan Xingpu Investment Company Limited\* (佛山市興普投資有限公司), a company principally engaged in industrial investments, investment management, domestic trading, marketing planning and commodities information consulting. Mr. Zhong has served as the chief executive officer at Guangdong Puxun Industry Investment Company Limited since 2006 and as the chief executive officer at Foshan Xingpu Investment Company Limited since 2008.

Since 2011, Mr. Zhong has served as the honorary chairman of the board of Nenking Holdings Group Company Limited\* (能興控股集團有限公司), a company which, together with its subsidiaries and affiliates, is principally engaged in property development, property management, financial services, pharmaceutical, sports and cultural activities, trading and procurement services and investment holding. He has served as the chairman of Long Lions Basketball Club Co., Ltd.\* (龍獅籃球俱樂部股份有限公司), a company listed on the National Equities Exchange and Quotations (NEEQ stock code: 871888) in Beijing, since 2016. Mr. Zhong also served as an executive director and the chairman of the board of directors of SMI Culture & Travel Group Holdings Limited, a company listed on the Stock Exchange (stock code: 2366), from November 2016 to July 2017.

Mr. Zhong obtained a master’s degree in management in 2005 and subsequently a doctorate degree in industrial economics in 2008, both from Jinan University.

\* *English names for identification purposes only*

Mr. Zhong has entered into a director's service agreement with the Company for a fixed term up to 31 March 2023 commencing on 1 April 2021 and is renewable thereafter. He is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the AGM in accordance with the Articles of Association. He is entitled to a remuneration of HK\$120,000 per annum, which was determined with reference to his duties and responsibilities and the prevailing market conditions.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Zhong was deemed to be interested in 600,000,000 Shares (representing 59.97% of the issued share capital of the Company) through his interests in Phoenix Time Holdings Limited, which holds 600,000,000 Shares (representing 59.97% of the issued share capital of the Company) and is one of the substantial shareholders of the Company, pursuant to Part XV of the SFO.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Zhong has not been a director in any other listed company in Hong Kong or overseas in the past three years; and is not connected with any Directors, senior management, substantial shareholders or controlling shareholders of the Company.

Save as disclosed above, there are no other matters concerning Mr. Zhong that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders nor any information to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements of Rule 13.51(2)(h) to (v) of the Listing Rules.

#### **Independent non-executive Directors**

**Mr. Fung Chan Man Alex (馮燦文)** (“**Mr. Fung**”), aged 58, is the Company's independent non-executive Director. He was appointed as an independent non-executive Director on 7 December 2017. He has over 15 years of working experience in financial market and corporate finance activities. Mr. Fung was an independent non-executive director of Great Wall Belt & Road Holdings Limited (previously known as e-Kong Group Limited) (stock code: 0524) from February 2015 to December 2018 and On Real International Holdings Limited (stock code: 8245) from July 2017 to September 2019. Currently, Mr. Fung is an independent non-executive director of Luxey International (Holdings) Limited (stock code: 8041) which is a listed company in Hong Kong.

Mr. Fung obtained a bachelor's degree of science in electrical and electronic engineering from the University of Bath, United Kingdom in 1986 and subsequently a master's degree of business administration from Heriot-Watt University, United Kingdom in 2000 by way of distance learning.

Mr. Fung has entered into a director's service agreement with the Company for a fixed term up to 31 March 2023 commencing on 1 April 2021 and is renewable thereafter. He is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the AGM in accordance with the Articles of Association. He is entitled to a remuneration of HK\$150,000 per annum, which was determined with reference to his duties and responsibilities and the prevailing market conditions.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Fung has not been a director in any other listed company in Hong Kong or overseas in the past three years; and is not connected with any Directors, senior management, substantial shareholders or controlling shareholders of the Company. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Fung was not interested or deemed to be interested in any Shares or underlying Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Save as disclosed above, there are no other matters concerning Mr. Fung that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders nor any information to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements of Rule 13.51(2)(h) to (v) of the Listing Rules.

**Mr. Lum Pak Sum (林柏森) (“Mr. Lum”)**, aged 60, is the Company’s independent non-executive Director. He was appointed as an independent non-executive Director on 11 May 2015. Mr. Lum has over 20 years’ experience in the Hong Kong financial market. Mr. Lum has engaged in the securities and corporate finance business since July 1988 and September 2004 respectively.

Mr. Lum’s directorships in other listed companies in the last three years are listed as follows:

<b>Company</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Period</b>
Great China Properties Holdings Limited (previously known as Wayfung Global Group Limited until 4 March 2013 and Beauforte Investors Corporation Limited until 8 November 2009) (Stock Code: 0021)	Independent non-executive director	August 2007 to present
Beautiful China Holdings Company Limited (Stock Code: 0706)	Independent non-executive director	January 2014 to August 2018
Jintai Energy Holdings Limited (previously known as Yuhua Energy Holdings Limited until 23 February 2020 and Shinhint Acoustic Link Holdings Limited until 21 June 2015) (Stock Code: 2728)	Independent non-executive director	December 2014 to April 2019
Kwan On Holdings Limited (Stock Code: 1559)	Independent non-executive director	August 2016 to present

Company	Position	Period
Anxian Yuan China Holdings Limited (Stock Code: 0922)	Independent non-executive director	May 2017 to present
TATA Health International Holdings Limited (previously known as S. Culture International Holdings Limited until 18 June 2020) (Stock Code:1255)	Independent non-executive director	June 2017 to June 2021
Sunway International Holdings Limited (Stock Code: 0058)	Non-executive director	May 2019 to present
China Asia Valley Group Limited (previously known as China Graphene Group Limited until 30 June 2020) (Stock Code: 0063)	Independent non-executive director	September 2019 to June 2021

Mr. Lum obtained his master degree of business administration from The University of Warwick, United Kingdom in July 1994 and his bachelor's degree of laws from The University of Wolverhampton, United Kingdom in October 2002 by way of distance learning. He has become a fellow of the Hong Kong Society of Accountants (now known as the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants (the "HKICPA")) since June 1996 and is currently a non-practicing member of the HKICPA. Mr. Lum was admitted as an associate and a fellow of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (previously known as the Chartered Association of Certified Accountants) in September 1988 and September 1993 respectively.

Mr. Lum has entered into a director's service agreement with the Company for a fixed term up to 31 March 2023 commencing on 1 April 2021 and is renewable thereafter. He is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the AGM in accordance with the Articles of Association. He is entitled to a remuneration of HK\$150,000 per annum, which was determined with reference to his duties and responsibilities and the prevailing market conditions.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Lum has not been a director in any other listed company in Hong Kong or overseas in the past three years; and is not connected with any Directors, senior management, substantial shareholders or controlling shareholders of the Company. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Lum was not interested or deemed to be interested in any Shares or underlying Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Save as disclosed above, there are no other matters concerning Mr. Lum that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders nor any information to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements of Rule 13.51(2)(h) to (v) of the Listing Rules.

**Mr. Li Ying Wai Wayne (李英偉)** (“**Mr. Li**”), aged 52, is the Company’s independent non-executive Director. He was appointed as an independent non-executive Director on 4 February 2021. Mr. Li possesses over 28 years of working experience from multinational financial service companies, and has been involved in business development, risk management, fund raising and merger and acquisitions, including serving in Fitch Ratings for more than 10 years where he headed the business and investor relations for the international credit rating agency in Asia, and holding senior roles for Thomson Reuters and Deloitte Financial Advisory Services. Mr. Li is currently Chief Strategy Officer of Full Circle Education Group which operates international schools in the United Kingdom and PRC.

Mr. Li, the CPA Australia, holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Business Economics from the University of California, Los Angeles.

Mr. Li has entered into a director’s service agreement with the Company for a fixed term up to 31 March 2023 commencing on 4 February 2021 and is renewable thereafter. He is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the AGM in accordance with the Articles of Association. He is entitled to a remuneration of HK\$150,000 per annum, which was determined with reference to his duties and responsibilities and the prevailing market conditions.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Li is not and has not been a director in any other listed company in Hong Kong or overseas in the past three years; and is not connected with any Directors, senior management, substantial shareholders or controlling shareholders of the Company. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Li was not interested or deemed to be interested in any Shares or underlying Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Save as disclosed above, there are no other matters concerning Mr. Li that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders nor any information to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements of Rule 13.51(2)(h) to (v) of the Listing Rules.



This Appendix serves as an explanatory statement, as required by the Listing Rules, containing all the information, to be sent to the Shareholders to enable them to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the ordinary resolution to be proposed at the AGM in relation to the grant of the Buy-back Mandate.

### **1. SHARE CAPITAL**

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the issued share capital of the Company comprised 1,000,500,000 Shares.

Subject to the passing of the ordinary resolution set out in item 6(b) of the AGM Notice in respect of the grant of the Buy-back Mandate and on the basis that the issued share capital of the Company remains unchanged on the date of the AGM, i.e. 1,000,500,000 Shares, the Directors would be authorised under the Buy-back Mandate to buy-back Shares, during the period in which the Buy-back Mandate remains in force, an aggregate nominal value of share capital of the Company not exceeding HK\$1,000,500 (equivalent to 100,050,000 Shares), representing 10% of the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of the AGM.

### **2. REASONS FOR BUY-BACK**

Shares buy-back will only be made when the Directors believe that such buy-back will benefit the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Such Shares buy-backs may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net asset value of the Company and/or its earnings per Share.

### **3. FUNDING OF BUY-BACK**

In buying-back of Shares, the Company may only apply funds legally available for such purpose in accordance with its Articles of Association and the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands.

#### **4. IMPACT OF BUY-BACK**

There might be a material adverse impact on the working capital or gearing position of the Company as compared with the position disclosed in the audited consolidated financial statements contained in the annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2021 in the event that the Buy-back Mandate is exercised in full at any time during the proposed purchase period. However, the Directors do not propose to exercise the Buy-back Mandate to such extent as this would, in the circumstances, have a material adverse effect on the working capital requirements or the gearing levels of the Company which in the opinion of the Directors are from time to time appropriate for the Company.

#### **5. TAKEOVERS CODE**

If, on the exercise of the power to buy-back Shares pursuant to the Buy-back Mandate, a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases, such increase may be treated as an acquisition for the purposes of Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code. Accordingly, a Shareholder, or group of Shareholders acting in concert (within the meaning under the Takeovers Code), could obtain or consolidate control of the Company and become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code for all the Shares not already owned by such Shareholder or group of Shareholders.

As at the Latest Practicable Date and insofar as the Directors are aware, Mr. Zhong Naixiong, executive Director and Dr. Wong King Keung, non-executive Director, and their respective parties acting in concert (as defined under the Takeovers Code) were interested in an aggregate of 750,000,000 Shares, representing 74.96% of the issued share capital of the Company. Assuming the Buy-back Mandate is exercised in full, their aggregate percentage of shareholding will increase to approximately 83.29%. Accordingly, 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 Shares buy-back pursuant to the Buy-back Mandate but it would result in the number of Shares in the hands of the public falling below the prescribed minimum percentage as required by Rule 8.08 of the Listing Rules.

The Directors will exercise the powers conferred by the Buy-back Mandate to buy-back Shares in circumstances, which they deem appropriate for the benefits of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. However, the Directors have no present intention to exercise the Buy-back Mandate to the extent that the number of Shares in the hands of the public would fall below the prescribed minimum percentage of 25% as required by Rule 8.08 of the Listing Rules.

#### **6. GENERAL**

None of the Directors or, to the best of their knowledge having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their respective close associates (as defined under the Listing Rules), have any present intention to sell any Shares to the Company in the event that the grant of the Buy-back Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange to exercise the power of the Company to buy-back Shares pursuant to the Buy-back Mandate in accordance with the Listing Rules and the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands.

The Company has not been notified by any core connected persons (as defined under the Listing Rules) of the Company that they have a present intention to sell any Shares to the Company, or that they have undertaken not to sell any Shares held by them to the Company in the event that the grant of the Buy-back Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.

#### 7. SHARE BUY-BACK MADE BY THE COMPANY

No Shares buy-back have been made by the Company in the six months preceding the date of this circular, whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise.

#### 8. MARKET PRICES OF SHARES

The highest and lowest prices per Share at which the Shares have traded on the Stock Exchange during each of the twelve months and up to and including the Latest Practicable Date were as follows:

<b>Month</b>	<b>Highest</b>	<b>Lowest</b>
	<i>HK\$</i>	<i>HK\$</i>
<b>2020</b>		
June	0.370	0.350
July	0.365	0.345
August	0.380	0.345
September	0.420	0.380
October	0.470	0.420
November	0.485	0.440
December	0.465	0.430
<b>2021</b>		
January	0.450	0.400
February	0.600	0.400
March	0.560	0.530
April	0.570	0.530
May	0.610	0.570
June	0.640	0.590
July (up to and including the Latest Practicable Date)	0.600	0.580

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### **i-CONTROL HOLDINGS LIMITED**

### **超智能控股有限公司**

*(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)*

**(Stock code: 1402)**

### NOTICE OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the annual general meeting (“**AGM**”) of i-Control Holdings Limited (the “**Company**”) will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, 26 August 2021 at Empire Room 1, 1/F, Empire Hotel Hong Kong – Wan Chai, 33 Hennessy Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong for the following purposes:

#### **ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS**

1. To receive, consider and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements and the reports of the directors of the Company (the “**Directors**” and each a “**Director**”) and auditors of the Company (the “**Auditors**”) for the year ended 31 March 2021;
2. To declare a final dividend of HK0.65 cents per share for the year ended 31 March 2021;
3.
  - (a) To re-elect Mr. Zhong Naixiong as an executive Director;
  - (b) To re-elect Mr. Fung Chan Man Alex as an independent non-executive Director;
  - (c) To re-elect Mr. Lum Pak Sum as an independent non-executive Director;
  - (d) To re-elect Mr. Li Ying Wai Wayne as an independent non-executive Director;
4. To authorize the board (the “**Board**”) of Directors to fix the remuneration of the Directors;
5. To re-appoint SHINEWING (HK) CPA Limited as the Auditors and to authorise the Board to fix their remuneration;

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6. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolutions as ordinary resolutions:

(a) **“THAT:**

- (i) subject to paragraph (iii) below, pursuant to the Rules (the **“Listing Rules”**) Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the **“Stock Exchange”**), the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares of the Company (the **“Shares”**) or to make or grant any offers, agreements and/or options (including but not limited to warrants, bonds, debentures, notes and other securities which carry rights to subscribe for or convert into Shares), which would or might require Shares to be issued, allotted or disposed of, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (ii) the approval in paragraph (i) above shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) to make or grant offers, agreements and/or options (including but not limited to warrants, bonds, debentures, notes and other securities which carry rights to subscribe for or convert into Shares), which might require the exercise of the powers to allot, issue and deal with additional Shares after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (iii) the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (i) above, otherwise than pursuant to a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined) or the exercise of any option granted under the Company’s share option schemes or any other option, scheme or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the grant or issue of Shares or rights to acquire Shares, shall not exceed 20 per cent. of the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the time of passing this resolution, and the said approval shall be limited accordingly;

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(iv) for the purposes of this resolution:

“Relevant Period” means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (1) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (2) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by any applicable law of the Cayman Islands or the Company’s articles of association (the “**Articles of Association**”) to be held; and
- (3) the authority set out in this resolution being revoked or varied by way of ordinary resolution of the Company in general meeting.

“Rights Issue” means an offer of Shares or offer or issue of warrants, options or other securities giving rights to subscribe for Shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to 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 (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 any relevant jurisdiction, or the requirements of any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange).”

(b) “**THAT:**

- (i) subject to paragraph (ii) below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to buy back Shares on the Stock Exchange or on any other stock exchange on which the Shares may be listed and recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong (the “**SFC**”) and the Stock Exchange for this purpose, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and/or the requirements of the SFC, the Stock Exchange or any other stock exchange as amended from time to time and all applicable laws in this regard, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

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- (ii) the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company which is authorised to be bought back by the Directors exercising the power pursuant to the approval in paragraph (i) of this resolution during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company as at the date of passing this resolution, and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (iii) for the purposes of this resolution, “Relevant Period” shall have the same meaning as the Resolution numbered 6(a)(iv) above.”
- (c) “**THAT** conditional on the passing of Resolutions 6(a) and 6(b) above, the general mandate granted to the Directors to allot and issue additional Shares pursuant to Resolution 6(a) be and is hereby extended by the addition to the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company which may be allotted and issued or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted and issued by the Directors pursuant to such general mandate an amount representing the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company bought back by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to the Resolution 6(b), provided that such extended amount shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company as at the date of passing this resolution.”

By Order of the Board  
**i-Control Holdings Limited**  
**Zhong Naixiong**  
*Chairman*

Hong Kong, 23 July 2021

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*Notes:*

- (a) For determining the Shareholders' eligibility to attend and vote at the AGM, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Monday, 23 August 2021 to Thursday, 26 August 2021 (both dates inclusive) during which period no transfer of Shares will be registered. In order to attend and vote at the AGM, all transfers of Shares accompanied by the relevant share certificates and transfer forms must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 20 August 2021 (Hong Kong time).

To ascertain shareholders' entitlement to the proposed final dividend upon passing of resolution 2 set out in this notice, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Friday, 3 September 2021 to Tuesday, 7 September 2021 (both dates inclusive) during which period no transfer of Shares will be registered. In order to qualify for the proposed final dividend, all transfers of Shares accompanied by the relevant share certificates and transfer forms must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, 2 September 2021 (Hong Kong time).

- (b) Any member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the AGM is entitled to appoint one or more proxy(ies) to attend and vote instead of him. A proxy need not be a member of the Company but must be present in person at the AGM to represent the member. A member who is the holder of two or more Shares may appoint more than one proxy to represent him to attend and vote on his behalf. If more than one proxy is so appointed, the appointment shall specify the number and class of Shares in respect of which each such proxy is so appointed.
- (c) To be valid, a form of proxy and the power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed, or a notarially certified copy thereof, must be lodged at the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services 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 AGM (i.e. not later than Tuesday, 24 August 2021 at 10:00 a.m. (Hong Kong time)) or any adjourned meeting (as the case may be).
- (d) Completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude members from attending and voting in person at the AGM or at any adjourned meeting (as the case may be) should they so wish, and in such case, the form of proxy previously submitted by such member(s) shall be deemed to be revoked.
- (e) Where there are joint registered holders of any share(s) of the Company, any one of such persons may vote at any meeting, either in person or by proxy, in respect of such share(s) as if he were solely entitled thereto; but if more than one of such joint holders are present at the meeting personally or by proxy, the vote of that one of the said persons so present whose name stands first on the register of members of the Company in respect of such share(s) shall be accepted to the exclusion of the votes of the other joint holders.
- (f) A form of proxy for use at the AGM is published on the website of the Stock Exchange (<http://www.hkexnews.hk>) and the website of the Company (<http://www.i-controlholdings.com>).
- (g) The Chinese translation of this notice is for reference only and in case of any inconsistency, the English version shall prevail.

*As at the date of this notice, the executive Directors are Mr. Zhong Naixiong, Mr. Yau Wing Keung, Mr. Tong Sai Wong, Mr. Chan Wing Yiu and Mr. Chan Wing Lun; the non-executive Director is Dr. Wong King Keung; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. Fong Chi, Mr. Fung Chan Man Alex, Mr. Lum Pak Sum and Mr. Li Ying Wai Wayne.*