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中關村科技租賃股份有限公司  
**ZHONGGUANCUN SCIENCE-TECH LEASING CO., LTD.**

*(a joint stock company incorporated in the People's Republic of China with limited liability)*

**(Stock Code: 1601)**

**DISCLOSEABLE TRANSACTION  
FACTORING AGREEMENT**

**THE FACTORING AGREEMENT**

The Board hereby announces that on March 23, 2022, the Company entered into the Factoring Agreement with the Factoring Bank, pursuant to which, (i) the Factoring Bank has agreed to provide the Company with recourse factoring services of approximately RMB37,770,000 from the execution date of the Factoring Agreement, and the Company has agreed to transfer of the undue sums from the Lease Receivables I (i.e. RMB47,220,933) to the Factoring Bank for obtaining the Funds from the Factoring Bank; and (ii) the Funds shall be repayable by the Company to the Factoring Bank by November 28, 2022 pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Factoring Agreement.

**LISTING RULES IMPLICATIONS**

As the highest applicable percentage ratio of the Factoring Agreement is higher than 5% but lower than 25%, the transactions contemplated thereunder constitute a discloseable transaction of the Company and are subject to the notification and announcement requirements under Chapter 14 of the Listing Rules.

**BACKGROUND**

The Board hereby announces that on March 23, 2022, the Company entered into the Factoring Agreement with the Factoring Bank, pursuant to which, (i) the Factoring Bank has agreed to provide the Company with recourse factoring services of approximately RMB37,770,000 from the execution date of the Factoring Agreement, and the Company has agreed to transfer of the undue sums from the Lease Receivables I (i.e. RMB47,220,933) to the Factoring Bank for obtaining the facility of approximately RMB37,770,000 (the “**Funds**”) from the Factoring Bank; and (ii) the Funds shall be repayable by the Company to the Factoring Bank by November 28, 2022 pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Factoring Agreement.

## **THE FACTORING AGREEMENT**

The principal terms of the Factoring Agreement are summarized as follows:

### **Date**

March 23, 2022

### **Parties**

- (1) The Company; and
- (2) The Factoring Bank

After making all reasonable enquiries, to the best of the Directors' knowledge, information and belief, the Factoring Bank and its ultimate beneficial owners are all independent third parties of the Company and its connected persons (as defined under the Listing Rules).

### **Factoring Facilities**

Pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Factoring Agreement, the Factoring Bank has agreed to provide recourse factoring facility of approximately RMB37,770,000 to the Company and the Company has agreed to transfer of the undue sums from the Lease Receivables I (i.e. RMB47,220,933) to the Factoring Bank for obtaining the Funds from the Factoring Bank.

The Company intends to use the Funds as general working capital.

### **Factoring Period**

The factoring period under the Factoring Agreement is from the execution date of the Factoring Agreement to November 28, 2022.

### **Type of Factoring**

The recourse right is attached. If any lessees to the Finance Lease Agreement I fails to fully settle any undue amount from the Lease Receivables I (i.e. RMB47,220,933) within the agreed time limit, the Factoring Bank has recourse for a claim against the Company in respect of the outstanding payment.

### **Transfer of the Undue Lease Receivables**

Pursuant to the Factoring Agreement, for obtaining the Funds from the Factoring Bank, the Company has agreed to transfer and the Factoring Bank has agreed to receive the creditor's rights and relevant rights of the undue sums from the Lease Receivables I (i.e. RMB47,220,933) and the Factoring Bank has agreed to provide the Funds to the Company. The Funds shall be payable by the Factoring Bank to the Company within 1 day from the date of transfer of the undue sums of the Lease Receivables I (i.e. RMB47,220,933). The Company does not separately calculate the profit before and after tax of the Lease Receivables I.

## **Factoring Charge and Interests**

The charge for factoring services pursuant to the Factoring Agreement amounted to approximately 1.4%. The interest rate applicable to the factoring facilities is 2.7%, being a rate on the day before facility payment date equivalent to the one year loan prime rate announced by the People's Bank of China –100 basic points (one basic point equal to 0.01%). Factoring facilities interest = factoring facilities balance × factoring facilities interest rate × actual occupancy day/360. The amount of the factoring facilities interest is the same as the amount of interest payable under the Lease Receivables I by the lessees under the Finance Lease Agreement I and will be paid by the Company to the Factoring Bank upon receipt of the rent paid by the lessees on each rent payment date.

## **REASONS FOR AND BENEFITS OF THE ENTERING INTO THE FACTORING AGREEMENT**

The Factoring Agreement is entered into by the Company in the ordinary and usual course of business and is conducive to giving full play to the advantages of all parties. Entering into the Factoring Agreement is beneficial for the Company to activate its credit assets, accelerate the circulation of its assets, widen its finance channels, and enhance its development strength.

The terms of the Factoring Agreement (including factoring facilities, charge and interests) were reached among all parties after arm's length negotiation, with reference to prevailing commercial practice.

The Directors are of the view that the terms of the Factoring Agreement are on normal commercial terms, are fair and reasonable and in the interests of the Company and its shareholders as a whole.

## **INFORMATION ABOUT THE PARTIES**

### **Information about the Company**

The Company is a pioneer and a dedicated finance lease company in serving technology and new economy companies in China. As the sole finance lease platform under Zhongguancun Development Group Co., Ltd. (中關村發展集團股份有限公司), the Company offers efficient finance lease solutions and a variety of advisory services to satisfy technology and new economy companies' needs for financial services at different stages of their growth. The Company's finance lease solutions primarily take the form of direct lease and sale-and-leaseback. The Company also delivers a variety of advisory services, including policy advisory and management and business consulting, to help its customers achieve rapid growth.

### **Information about the Factoring Bank**

The Factoring Bank is a joint stock bank which is principally engaged in banking and related financial services, it is a branch of Bank of Tianjin Co., Ltd., the shares of which are listed on the Stock Exchange (stock code: 1578).

## LISTING RULES IMPLICATIONS

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## DEFINITIONS

In this announcement, unless the context otherwise requires, the following terms have the following meanings:

“Board”	the board of directors of the Company
“Company”	Zhongguancun Science-Tech Leasing Co., Ltd. (中關村科技租賃股份有限公司), a joint stock company incorporated under the laws of the PRC with limited liability, the H shares of which are listed on the Stock Exchange with stock code of 1601
“Director(s)”	the director(s) of the Company
“Factoring Agreement”	the revolving factoring facility agreement entered into between the Company and the Factoring Bank on March 23, 2022
“Factoring Bank”	Bank of Tianjin CO., LTD. Beijing Branch* (天津銀行股份有限公司北京分行), a joint stock bank which is principally engaged in banking and related financial services, and being a branch of Bank of Tianjin Co., Ltd., a company listed on the Stock Exchange (stock code: 1578)
“Finance Lease Agreement I”	The finance lease agreement entered into between the Company and a private enterprise located in Beijing, the PRC, in respect of the lease assets such as CNC machine tools, the amount of undue lease receivables thereunder is RMB47,220,933
“independent third party(ies)”	any individual or company not being the connected persons (as defined under the Listing Rules) of the Company, independent of the Company and its connected persons (as defined under the Listing Rules) and not connected with them
“Lease Receivables I”	the remaining lease rent under the Finance Lease Agreement I
“Listing Rules”	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

“PRC”	the People’s Republic of China, which, for the purpose of this announcement, excludes the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC, the Macau Special Administrative Region of the PRC and Taiwan
“RMB”	Renminbi, the lawful currency of the PRC
“Stock Exchange”	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited
“%”	Percent

By order of the Board  
**Zhongguancun Science-Tech Leasing Co., Ltd.**  
**DUAN Hongwei**  
*Chairman*

Beijing, the PRC, March 23, 2022

*As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Mr. HE Rongfeng and Mr. HUANG Wen as executive Directors, Mr. DUAN Hongwei, Mr. LOU Yixiang, Mr. ZHANG Shuqing and Mr. DU Yunchao as non-executive Directors, and Mr. CHENG Dongyue, Mr. WU Tak Lung and Ms. LIN Zhen as independent non-executive Directors.*

\* *For identification purpose only*