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# (1) PROPOSED GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND TO BUY-BACK SHARES (2) PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF THE RETIRING DIRECTORS AND (3) NOTICE OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening the Annual General Meeting of China Daye Non-Ferrous Metals Mining Limited to be held at Function Room 4 & 6, 3/F, The Mira Hong Kong, Mira Place, 118-130 Nathan Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong on Friday, 27 May 2022 at 10:00 a.m. is set out on pages 19 to 23 of this circular. A form of proxy for use at the Annual General Meeting is enclosed. Such form of proxy is also published on the websites of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (www.hkexnews.hk) and the Company (www.hk661.com).

Whether or not you are able to attend the Annual General Meeting, please complete and sign the accompanying form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it to the Branch Share Registrar of the Company 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 the holding of the Annual General Meeting or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude shareholders from attending and voting in person at the meeting if they so wish and in such event, the proxy form shall be deemed to be revoked.

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# **DEFINITIONS**

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

"Annual General Meeting"	an annual general meeting of the Company to be held at Function Room 4 & 6, 3/F, The Mira Hong Kong, Mira Place, 118-130 Nathan Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong on 27 May 2022 at 10:00 a.m., to consider and, if appropriate, to approve the resolutions contained in the notice of the meeting which is set out on pages 19 to 23 of this circular, or any adjournment thereof;
"Board"	the board of Directors;
"Buy-back Mandate"	the proposed general mandate to be granted to the Directors to permit the buy-back of fully paid up Shares of up to 10% of the aggregate number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing of the ordinary resolution granting such mandate;
"CNMC"	China Nonferrous Metal Mining (Group) Co., Ltd* (中國 有色礦業集團有限公司), a limited liability company incorporated in the PRC and a controlling Shareholder;
"Company"	China Daye Non-Ferrous Metals Mining Limited, a company incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability, the shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange;
"Current Bye-laws"	the bye-laws of the Company currently in force;
"Daye Metal"	Daye Non-ferrous Metals Co., Ltd.* (大冶有色金屬有限 責任公司), a limited liability company incorporated in the PRC and a non-wholly owned subsidiary of the Company;
"Director(s)"	the director(s) of the Company;
"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;

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"Issue Mandate"	the proposed general mandate to be granted to the Directors to allot, issue and deal with new Shares not exceeding 20% of the aggregate number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing of the ordinary resolution granting such mandate;
"Latest Practicable Date"	19 April 2022, being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this circular for ascertaining certain information in this circular;
"Listing Rules"	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange;
"Nomination Committee"	the nomination committee of the Company;
"Parent Company"	Daye Nonferrous Metals Group Holdings Company Limited* (大冶有色金屬集團控股有限公司), a limited liability company incorporated in the PRC and a controlling Shareholder;
"PRC"	the People's Republic of China;
"RMB"	Renminbi, the lawful currency of the PRC;
"SFO"	Securities and Futures Ordinance, Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong;
"Share(s)"	ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.05 each in the capital of the Company or if there has been a subsequent sub-division, consolidation, reclassification or reconstruction of the share capital of the Company, shares forming part of the ordinary equity share capital of the Company;
"Shareholder(s)"	holder(s) of Share(s);
"Stock Exchange"	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited;
"Takeovers Code"	the Code on Takeovers and Mergers issued by the Securities and Futures Commission in Hong Kong;
"%"	per cent.



(Stock Code: 00661)

Executive Directors: Mr. Xiao Shuxin (Chairman) Mr. Long Zhong Sheng (Chief Executive Officer) Mr. Wan Jun Mr. Chen Zhimiao

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26 April 2022

To the Shareholders

Dear Sir/Madam,

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

#### **INTRODUCTION**

The purpose of this circular is to provide you with information regarding resolutions to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting regarding: (i) the granting of the Issue Mandate, the Buy-back Mandate and the extension of the Issue Mandate; and (ii) the proposed re-election of the retiring Directors; and to give you notice of the Annual General Meeting.

## GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND TO BUY-BACK SHARES

At the previous annual general meeting of the Company held on 26 May 2021, the Shareholders passed the ordinary resolutions granting the Directors general mandates to allot and issue new Shares and to buy-back Shares. Such mandates will expire and lapse at the conclusion of the Annual General Meeting. It is therefore proposed to renew such mandates by granting the Issue Mandate and the Buy-back Mandate at the Annual General Meeting.

#### **Issue Mandate**

At the Annual General Meeting, an ordinary resolution will be proposed to the Shareholders to consider and, if thought fit, approve the Issue Mandate which will enable the Directors to exercise the power of the Company to allot, issue and otherwise deal with new Shares not exceeding 20% of the aggregate number of Shares in issue on the date of passing such resolution. In addition, an ordinary resolution will also be proposed to the Shareholders to consider and, if thought fit, approve the extension of the Issue Mandate by adding to the aggregate number of Shares which may be allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted by the Directors pursuant to the Issue Mandate the number of Shares bought back under the Buy-back Mandate, if granted.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the issued and fully paid up share capital of the Company comprised 17,895,579,706 Shares. Assuming that there is no change in the issued and fully paid up share capital of the Company between the period from the Latest Practicable Date to the date of passing the resolution approving the Issue Mandate, the maximum number of Shares which may be issued pursuant to the Issue Mandate will be 3,579,115,941 Shares.

Details of the Issue Mandate and the extension of the Issue Mandate are respectively set out in ordinary resolutions numbered 10 and 11 in the notice of the Annual General Meeting.

#### **Buy-back Mandate**

At the Annual General Meeting, an ordinary resolution will be proposed to the Shareholders to consider and, if thought fit, approve the Buy-back Mandate which will enable the Directors to exercise the power of the Company to buy-back Shares up to 10% of the aggregate number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing of such resolution. The Company's authority is restricted to buy-back Shares in the market in accordance with the Listing Rules.

Assuming that there is no change in the issued and fully paid up share capital of the Company between the period from the Latest Practicable Date to the date of passing the resolution approving the Buy-back Mandate, the maximum number of Shares which may be bought back pursuant to the Buy-back Mandate will be 1,789,557,970 Shares.

Pursuant to the Listing Rules, an explanatory statement containing all the information reasonably necessary to enable you to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the ordinary resolution to approve the Buy-back Mandate is set out in Appendix I to this circular.

Details of the Buy-back Mandate are set out in ordinary resolution numbered 9 in the notice of the Annual General Meeting.

Both the Issue Mandate and the Buy-back Mandate will expire upon the earlier of:

- (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company; or
- (b) the revocation or variation of such authority by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in a general meeting.

#### **PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF THE RETIRING DIRECTORS**

Pursuant to bye-law 86(2) of the Current Bye-Laws, any Director appointed to fill a casual vacancy or as an addition to the Board shall hold office only until the first general meeting of the Company after his or her appointment and shall then be eligible for re-election at that meeting (but shall not be taken into account in determining which particular Director or the number of Directors who are to retire by rotation). Accordingly, Mr. Xiao Shuxin and Mr. Wan Jun, being the executive Director appointed by the Board after the preceding general meeting of the Company, shall retire at the Annual General Meeting and, being eligible, will offer themselves for re-election at the Annual General Meeting.

Pursuant to bye-law 87(2) of the Current Bye-laws, Mr. Long Zhong Sheng, Mr. Chen Zhimiao and Mr. Liu Jishun shall retire by rotation at the Annual General Meeting. All of the above three Directors, being eligible, will offer themselves for re-election at the Annual General Meeting.

Pursuant to Rule 13.74 of the Listing Rules, a listed issuer shall disclose the details required under Rule 13.51(2) of the Listing Rules of any director(s) proposed to be re-elected or proposed new director in the notice or accompanying circular to its shareholders of the relevant general meeting, if such re-election or appointment is subject to shareholders' approval at that relevant general meeting. The requisite details of the above five retiring Directors are set out in Appendix II to this circular.

The Nomination Committee had assessed and reviewed the written confirmation of independence of Mr. Liu Jishun, based on the independence criteria as set out in Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules and is satisfied that as at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Liu Jishun remained independent in accordance with Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules.

In addition, the Nomination Committee had evaluated the performance of Mr. Liu Jishun and is of the view that Mr. Liu Jishun has provided valuable contribution to the Company and has demonstrated his ability to provide independent, balanced and objective view to the Company's affairs. The Nomination Committee is also of the view that Mr. Liu Jishun would bring to the Board his own perspective, skills and experience, as further described in the respective biographies in Appendix II to this circular, and can contribute to the diversity of the Board taking into account his diversified educational background and professional experience.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Board has three independent non-executive Directors:

	Date of first appointment to the Board	Date of last re-election as Director
Wang Guoqi	13 January 2006	26 May 2021
Wang Qihong	13 January 2006	26 May 2021
Liu Jishun	31 July 2014	30 June 2020

Resolutions on the proposed re-election of the retiring Directors are set out in ordinary resolutions numbered 2 to 6 in the notice of the Annual General Meeting.

#### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening the Annual General Meeting to be held at Function Room 4 & 6, 3/F, The Mira Hong Kong, Mira Place, 118-130 Nathan Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong on Friday, 27 May 2022 at 10:00 a.m. or any adjournment thereof is set out on pages 19 to 23 of this circular. At the Annual General Meeting, resolutions will be proposed to approve, inter alia, the Issue Mandate, the Buy-back Mandate, the extension of the Issue Mandate and the proposed re-election of the retiring Directors.

Pursuant to bye-law 67 of the Current Bye-Laws and Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules, the chairman of the Annual General Meeting will demand voting on all resolutions set out in the notice of Annual General Meeting to be taken by way of poll and an announcement of the results of the poll will be published in accordance with the requirements of the Listing Rules.

The record date for determining Shareholders' right to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting is Friday, 20 May 2022. In order to qualify for attending and voting at the said meeting, all properly completed transfer forms accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Hong Kong branch share registrar, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 20 May 2022.

A proxy form for use at the Annual General Meeting is enclosed herein. Whether or not you intend to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting, you are requested to complete the proxy form in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it to the branch share registrar of the Company 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 the holding of the Annual General Meeting or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the proxy form will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the Annual General Meeting thereof if you so wish.

### RECOMMENDATION

The Directors consider that the proposals for granting of the Issue Mandate, the Buy-back Mandate, the extension of the Issue Mandate and the re-election of the retiring Directors are all in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole and, accordingly, the Directors recommend the Shareholders to vote in favour of the resolutions to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

### **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.

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Your attention is also drawn to the information as set out in the appendices to this circular.

By order of the Board China Daye Non-Ferrous Metals Mining Limited Xiao Shuxin Chairman

# APPENDIX I EXPLANATORY STATEMENT ON THE BUY-BACK MANDATE

The following is an explanatory statement required by the Listing Rules to be sent to Shareholders to enable them to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the ordinary resolution to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting in relation to the granting of the Buy-back Mandate.

### 1. REASONS FOR BUY-BACK OF SHARES

Buy-backs of Shares may, depending on the market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net asset value per Share and/or earnings per Share. The Directors are seeking the granting of the Buy-back Mandate to give the Company the flexibility to do so if and when appropriate. The number of Shares to be bought back on any occasion and the price and other terms upon which the same are bought back will be decided by the Directors at the relevant time, having regard to the circumstances then pertaining.

As such, the Directors believe that the granting of the Buy-back Mandate is in the interests of the Company and the Shareholders.

## 2. SHARE CAPITAL

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the issued ordinary share capital of the Company comprised 17,895,579,706 Shares.

Subject to the passing of the ordinary resolution numbered 8 in the notice of the Annual General Meeting in respect of the granting of the Buy-back Mandate, and on the basis that the issued ordinary share capital of the Company remains unchanged as at the date of the Annual General Meeting, i.e. being 17,895,579,706 Shares, the Directors would be authorized under the Buy-back Mandate to buy-back, during the Relevant Period (as defined in item 8 of the notice of the Annual General Meeting) in which the Buy-back Mandate remains in force, up to 1,789,557,970 Shares, representing 10% of the aggregate number of Shares in issue as at the date of the Annual General Meeting.

## 3. FUNDING OF BUY-BACKS

Buy-backs of Shares will be funded by the Company's internal resources, which shall be funds legally available for such purposes in accordance with the Company's Memorandum of Association and Current Bye-laws, the laws of Bermuda and any other applicable laws, as the case may be.

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#### 4. IMPACT OF BUY-BACKS

There might be a material adverse impact on the working capital and/or gearing position of the Company (as compared with the position disclosed in the audited accounts contained in the annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2021) in the event that the Buy-back Mandate was to be exercised in full at any time during the proposed buy-back period. However, the Directors do not intend to exercise the Buy-back Mandate to such an extent as would, in the circumstances, have a material adverse effect on the working capital requirements of the Company or the gearing levels which in the opinion of the Directors are from time to time befitting 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 will be treated as an acquisition for the purposes of the Takeovers Code. Accordingly, a Shareholder, or a group of Shareholders acting in concert, 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, China Times Development Limited, a controlling Shareholder, was interested in 11,962,999,080 Shares, representing approximately 66.85% of the total issued ordinary share capital of the Company. China Times Development Limited was wholly-owned by Daye Nonferrous Metals Group Holding Co., Ltd.\* (大冶有色金屬集團控股 有限公司). On the basis that (i) the total number of issued ordinary shares of the Company as at the date of the Annual General Meeting (being 17,895,579,706 Shares) remains unchanged and (ii) the shareholding of China Times Development Limited in the Company as at the Latest Practicable Date (being 11,962,999,080 Shares) remains unchanged immediately before the full exercise of the Buy-back Mandate, in the event that the Directors exercise in full the power to buy-back Shares in accordance with the terms of the relevant ordinary resolution to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting, the interest of China Times Development Limited in the issued Shares would increase to approximately 74.28% of the total issued ordinary share capital of the Company.

The Directors are not aware of any consequences which will arise under the Takeovers Code as a result of any buy-backs to be made under the Buy-back Mandate.

The Directors will not make a buy-back of Shares if the result of the buy-back would be that less than 25% of the issued ordinary share capital of the Company would be in public hands.

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#### 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 in the Listing Rules) have any present intention to sell any Shares to the Company in the event that the granting of the Buy-back Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.

The Company has not been notified by any core connected persons (as defined in 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 granting 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 make buy-backs of Shares pursuant to the Buy-back Mandate in accordance with the Listing Rules, the Current Bye-laws and applicable laws of Bermuda.

## 7. MARKET PRICES OF SHARES

The highest and lowest prices at which the Shares had been traded on the Stock Exchange during each of the following months were as follows:

Month	Highest	Lowest
	HK\$	HK\$
2021		
March	0.155	0.105
April	0.168	0.105
May	0.181	0.127
June	0.133	0.106
July	0.136	0.110
August	0.135	0.108
September	0.151	0.100
October	0.122	0.094
November	0.110	0.082
December	0.097	0.075
2022		
January	0.082	0.074
February	0.098	0.076
March	0.109	0.074
April (up to the Latest Practicable Date)	0.095	0.082

## 8. BUY-BACKS OF SHARES MADE BY THE COMPANY

No buy-back of Shares had been made by the Company during the 6 months (whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise) immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date.

Pursuant to the Listing Rules, the information of the Directors who will retire and offer themselves for re-election at the Annual General Meeting, are provided below.

#### MR. XIAO SHUXIN

#### Position and experience

Mr. Xiao Shuxin, aged 45, has been an executive director of the Company since 2021. He graduated from Shanxi University of Finance and Economics\* (山西財經學院) in 1997 majoring in investment economics with a bachelor's degree in economics and is an intermediate economist. From September 1997 to October 2006, he served as a salesman of the import and export department 8 and department 6 and the deputy manager of the business division 2 of department 6 of China National Commercial Foreign Trade Corporation\* (中國 商業對外貿易總公司). From October 2006 to November 2007, he served as a salesman of the trading department of CNMC. He served as, from November 2007 to August 2011, the deputy manager of the import and export department, manager and assistant to the general manager of the commercial transportation centre, from September 2011 to March 2016, the deputy general manager, from March 2016 to February 2021, a member of the Communist Party Committee and the deputy general manager of China Nonferrous International Trading Co., Ltd.\* (中色國 際貿易有限公司), a wholly-owned subsidiary of CNMC. He served as member of the Standing Committee of the Communist Party Committee and the deputy general manager of the Parent Company since February 2021. Mr. Xiao has more than 24 years of experience in business administration.

Mr. Xiao has not held other directorships in the last three years in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas.

#### Length of service

Mr. Xiao has not been appointed for any specific term but is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Current Bye-laws.

#### Relationships

Save as disclosed above, as far as the Directors are aware, Mr. Xiao does not have any relationships with other Directors, senior management, substantial shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules), or controlling shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules) of the Company.

#### Interests in shares

As far as the Directors are aware, as at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Xiao was not interested or deemed to be interested in any shares or underlying shares of the Company pursuant to Part XV of the SFO.

### **Director's emoluments**

For the year ended 31 December 2021, the amount of director's fee, salaries, allowances and other benefits paid to Mr. Xiao was approximately RMB426,000.

The above emoluments of Mr. Xiao have been determined by the Board with reference to his role and duties, experience, time commitment and responsibilities as well as the prevailing market conditions and are subject to revision in the future by the decision of the Board based on the recommendation of the Company's Remuneration Committee.

# Other information and matters that need to be disclosed or brought to the attention of the Shareholders

As far as the Directors are aware, there is no information of Mr. Xiao to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements under paragraphs 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules; and there are no other matters concerning Mr. Xiao that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders.

# MR. WAN JUN

# **Position and experience**

Mr. Wan Jun, aged 48, graduated from Metallurgy Faculty of Hunan Changsha Central South University of Technology\* (湖南長沙中南工業大學) in 1995 majoring in non-ferrous metallurgy with a bachelor's degree and is a senior engineer. From July 1995 to July 2008, he worked at a smelting plant of the Parent Company, which is the controlling shareholder of the Company. From February 2007 to February 2008, he worked at the smelting plant in Sandak, Pakistan, responsible for technical management. From February 2008 to May 2008, he served as a senior engineer of the technical department in a smelting plant of Daye Metals, and served as the deputy director (deputy division head level) of the Smelting Transformation Headquarter Office from July 2008 to October 2011, the deputy director of the smelting plant from January 2009 to April 2017, and served as a member of the Party Committee from October 2011 to April 2017. From April 2017 to January 2021, he served as a director, general manager and member of the Party committee of Daye Non-ferrous Design and Research Institute Company Limited\* (大冶有色設計研究院有限公司), a non-wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, and the chairman of the board from January 2021 to August 2021. He served as a member of the Party Committee of the Parent Company from July 2019 to August 2021, the deputy chief engineer from August 2019 to August 2021, concurrently served as the executive deputy commander of the headquarter of the 400,000 tonne project from January 2021 to August 2021, and served as a member of the Standing Committee of the Party Committee and deputy general manager since August 2021. Mr. Wan has over 27 years of experience in smelting engineering and management.

Mr. Wan has not held other directorships in the last three years in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas.

## Length of service

Mr. Wan has not been appointed for any specific term but is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Current Bye-laws.

## Relationships

Save as disclosed above, as far as the Directors are aware, Mr. Wan does not have any relationships with other Directors, senior management, substantial shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules), or controlling shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules) of the Company.

### Interests in shares

As far as the Directors are aware, as at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Wan was not interested or deemed to be interested in any shares or underlying shares of the Company pursuant to Part XV of the SFO.

# **Director's emoluments**

For the year ended 31 December 2021, No director's fee, salaries, allowances and other benefits was paid to Mr. Wan.

The above emoluments of Mr. Wan have been determined by the Board with reference to his role and duties, experience, time commitment and responsibilities as well as the prevailing market conditions and are subject to revision in the future by the decision of the Board based on the recommendation of the Company's Remuneration Committee.

# Other information and matters that need to be disclosed or brought to the attention of the Shareholders

As far as the Directors are aware, there is no information of Mr. Wan to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements under paragraphs 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules; and there are no other matters concerning Mr. Wan that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders.

#### MR. LONG ZHONG SHENG

#### **Position and experience**

Mr. Long Zhong Sheng, aged 58, has been the Chief Executive Officer and an executive director of the Company since 2012. Mr. Long obtained a bachelor's degree in mining processing engineering from Central South University (中南大學) in 1987. He holds a master's degree in mineral processing from Central South University (中南大學) and is a senior mineral processing engineer. He began his career in mine engineering at Fengshan Mine (豐山礦) in the PRC in 1987 and acted as its chief executive from 1998 to 2002. He had also been the chief executive of Tonglvshan Mine (銅綠山礦) in the PRC from 2006 to 2008. Mr. Long was appointed as a director of Daye Metals in October 2017. He is also a director of China Times Development Limited, the immediate controlling shareholder of the Company, and an employee of the Parent Company. Mr. Long has over 30 years of experience in the management field of mining industry.

Mr. Long has not held other directorships in the last three years in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas.

#### Length of service

Mr. Long has not been appointed for any specific term but is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Current Bye-laws.

#### **Relationships**

Save as disclosed above, as far as the Directors are aware, Mr. Long does not have any relationships with other Directors, senior management, substantial shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules), or controlling shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules) of the Company.

#### Interests in shares

As far as the Directors are aware, as at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Long was not interested or deemed to be interested in any shares or underlying shares of the Company pursuant to Part XV of the SFO.

## **Director's emoluments**

For the year ended 31 December 2021, the amount of director's fee, salaries, allowances and other benefits paid to Mr. Long was approximately RMB1,125,000.

The above emoluments of Mr. Long have been determined by the Board with reference to his role and duties, experience, time commitment and responsibilities as well as the prevailing market conditions and are subject to revision in the future by the decision of the Board based on the recommendation of the Company's Remuneration Committee.

# Other information and matters that need to be disclosed or brought to the attention of the Shareholders

As far as the Directors are aware, there is no information of Mr. Long to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements under paragraphs 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules; and there are no other matters concerning Mr. Long that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders.

## MR. CHEN ZHIMIAO

### **Position and experience**

Mr. Chen Zhimiao, aged 47, has been an executive director of the Company since 2019. Mr. Chen graduated from Hubei College of Finance and Economics\* (湖北財經高等專科學校) in 1996 majoring in management of state-owned assets and subsequently obtained a bachelor's degree in accounting from Zhongnan University of Economics and Law\* (中南財經政法大學) in 2003 and a master's degree in accounting from Wuhan University\* (武漢大學) in 2012. Mr. Chen started his career at Daye Metal in 1996. He served as the head of the finance department of Daye Metal from January 2010 to January 2018; and the head of the finance department of Parent Company from January 2018 to April 2018. He served as the chief accountant and a member of the Standing Committee of the Communist Party Committee of China 15th Metallurgical Construction Group Co., Ltd.\* (中國十五冶金建設集團有限公司), a whollyowned subsidiary of CNMC, from April 2018 to May 2019. In May 2019, Mr. Chen was appointed as the chief accountant of the Parent Company, and as a director and the chief accountant of Daye Metal. Mr. Chen has been engaged in the non-ferrous metals industry for over 20 years and has extensive experience in areas relating to accounting and finance.

Mr. Chen has not held other directorships in the last three years in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas.

### Length of service

Mr. Chen has not been appointed for any specific term but is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Current Bye-laws.

## Relationships

Save as disclosed above, as far as the Directors are aware, Mr. Chen does not have any relationships with other Directors, senior management, substantial shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules), or controlling shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules) of the Company.

## Interests in shares

As far as the Directors are aware, as at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Chen was not interested or deemed to be interested in any shares or underlying shares of the Company pursuant to Part XV of the SFO.

## **Director's emoluments**

For the year ended 31 December 2021, the amount of director's fee, salaries, allowances and other benefits paid to Mr. Chen was approximately RMB797,000.

The above emoluments of Mr. Chen have been determined by the Board with reference to his role and duties, experience, time commitment and responsibilities as well as the prevailing market conditions and are subject to revision in the future by the decision of the Board based on the recommendation of the Company's Remuneration Committee.

# Other information and matters that need to be disclosed or brought to the attention of the Shareholders

As far as the Directors are aware, there is no information of Mr. Chen to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements under paragraphs 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules; and there are no other matters concerning Mr. Chen that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders.

# MR. LIU JISHUN

### **Position and experience**

Mr. Liu Jishun, aged 64, is a professor and doctoral supervisor in Central South University (the "CSU"). Mr. Liu has been an independent non-executive director of the Company since 2014. Mr. Liu obtained a bachelor's degree in geology, a master's degree in geology and a doctoral degree in earth sciences from Nanjing University in January 1982, July 1986, and July 1989, respectively. He was assigned to the Research Institute No. 230 of China National Nuclear Corporation in Changsha (中國核工業集團公司長沙230研究所) in January 1982. He worked as a researcher from October 1989 to October 1991 in the mobile station for the post-doctoral programme of geological exploration and mining petroleum in Central South University of Technology, which was then merged into the CSU. He joined the CSU as a

lecturer of geology in November 1991 and was later promoted to professor. He is devoted to the theoretical research on ore formation and the practice of ore exploration, and specializes in regional metallogeny, exploration system engineering and practicality assessment for mining. He was involved in the discovery of gold mine in Oingvaigou (青崖溝), Gansu, PRC and the copper and gold mine in Ka Latage (卡拉塔格), Xinjiang, the PRC. Mr. Liu has held numerous positions related to geology in multiple companies. For example, he was the research team leader of the Sanjiang exploration project (三江找礦工程) of China National Nonferrous Metals Industry Corporation (中國有色金屬工業總公司), as well as the advisor to each of Southwest China Nonferrous Geological Exploration Bureau (西南有色地勘局), Yunnan Copper (Group) Co., Ltd. (雲南銅業集團), Hubei Provincial Huangmailing Phosphate Chemical Co., Ltd. (湖北黃麥嶺磷化工集團), Guangdong Yunfu Guangye Pyrite Group Limited (廣東雲浮硫鐵礦集團), the joint research institute of Xinijang Non-ferrous Metal Group and CSU (新疆有色中南大學聯合研究院), Mengzi Mining and Metallurgy Co., Ltd. (蒙 自礦冶) and Guixin Mining Industry Development Co., Ltd. (桂新礦業有限公司). He also acted as the mine exploitation advisor in Lincang, Yunnan, the PRC and as a Guangdong Province corporate technology correspondent (廣東省企業科技特派員). He served as a member of the 13th and 14th term of expert valuation team to the National Natural Science Foundation of China (國家自然科學基金委).

Mr. Liu has not held other directorships in the last three years in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas.

### Length of service

Mr. Liu has not been appointed for any specific term but is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Current Bye-laws.

### Relationships

Save as disclosed above, as far as the Directors are aware, Mr. Liu does not have any relationships with other Directors, senior management, substantial shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules), or controlling shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules) of the Company.

### **Interests in shares**

As far as the Directors are aware, as at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Liu was not interested or deemed to be interested in any shares or underlying shares of the Company pursuant to Part XV of the SFO.

# **Director's emoluments**

For the year ended 31 December 2021, the amount of director's fee, salaries, allowances and other benefits paid to Mr. Liu was approximately RMB82,000.

The above emoluments of Mr. Liu have been determined by the Board with reference to his role and duties, experience, time commitment and responsibilities as well as the prevailing market conditions and are subject to revision in the future by the decision of the Board based on the recommendation of the Company's Remuneration Committee.

# Other information and matters that need to be disclosed or brought to the attention of the Shareholders

As far as the Directors are aware, there is no information of Mr. Liu to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements under paragraphs 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules; and there are no other matters concerning Mr. Liu that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders.

\* for identification purpose only



**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an Annual General Meeting of China Daye Non-Ferrous Metals Mining Limited (the "**Company**") will be held at Function Room 4 & 6, 3/F, The Mira Hong Kong, Mira Place, 118-130 Nathan Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong on Friday, 27 May 2022 at 10:00 a.m (or any adjournment thereof) for the following purposes:

# **AS ORDINARY BUSINESS**

- 1. To consider and receive the audited financial statements and the reports of the directors and auditor for the year ended 31 December 2021;
- 2. To re-elect Mr. Xiao Shuxin as an executive director of the Company;
- 3. To re-elect Mr. Wan Jun as an executive director of the Company;
- 4. To re-elect Mr. Long Zhong Sheng as an executive director of the Company;
- 5. To re-elect Mr. Chen Zhimiao as an executive director of the Company;
- 6. To re-elect Mr. Liu Jishun as an independent non-executive director of the Company;
- 7. To authorize the board of directors to fix the respective directors' remuneration;
- 8. To appoint SHINEWING (HK) CPA Limited as the auditor of the Company and its subsidiaries to hold office until the conclusion of the next annual general meeting, and to authorize the board of directors to fix its remuneration;

### AS SPECIAL BUSINESS

9. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

## "THAT:

(a) subject to paragraph (b) of this resolution below, the exercise by the directors of the Company (the "Directors") during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all the powers of the Company to purchase its ordinary shares on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") or on any other stock exchange recognized by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong and the Stock Exchange, subject to and in accordance with the applicable laws, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (b) the total number of shares of the Company to be purchased pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution above shall not exceed 10% of the total number of the issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (c) 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 revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by ordinary resolution passed by the Company's shareholders in general meetings; and
  - (iii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Bye-laws of the Company or any applicable laws to be held."
- 10. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

# "THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) of this resolution below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with authorized and unissued shares in the ordinary share capital of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options which would or might require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution above shall authorize the Directors to make or grant offers, agreements and options during the Relevant Period which would or might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the aggregate number of shares allotted, issued or dealt with or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted, issued or dealt with by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution above, otherwise than pursuant to:
  - (i) a Rights Issue (as defined below);
  - (ii) the exercise of the outstanding conversion rights attaching to any convertible securities issued by the Company, which are convertible into ordinary shares of the Company;

- (iii) the exercise of options under share option scheme(s) of the Company, if any; and
- (iv) any scrip dividend scheme or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of ordinary shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on shares of the Company in accordance with the Bye-laws of the Company,

shall not exceed 20% of the aggregate number of issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and

(d) for the purposes of this resolution:

"**Relevant Period**" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by ordinary resolution passed by the Company's shareholders in general meetings; and
- (iii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Bye-laws of the Company or any applicable laws to be held; and

"**Rights Issue**" means an offer of ordinary shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of shares of the Company or any class thereof on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares or class thereof (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 recognized regulatory body or any stock exchange)."

11. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

**"THAT** conditional upon the passing of resolutions set out in numbered 9 and 10 in the notice convening this meeting (the "**Notice**"), the general mandate referred to in the resolution numbered 10 in the Notice be and is hereby extended by the addition to the aggregate number of shares 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 of an amount representing the aggregate number

of shares of the Company bought back by the Company pursuant to the general mandate referred to in the resolution numbered 9 in the Notice, provided that such amount shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate number of issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution."

# By order of the Board China Daye Non-Ferrous Metals Mining Limited Xiao Shuxin Chairman

### Hong Kong, 26 April 2022

Notes:

- 1. The record date for determining shareholders' right to attend and vote at the meeting is Friday, 20 May 2022. In order to qualify for attending and voting at the said meeting, all properly completed transfer forms accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Hong Kong branch share registrar, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong, for registration, no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 20 May 2022.
- 2. Any member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at this meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote instead of him/her/it. A proxy need not be a member of the Company. A member who is the holder of two or more ordinary shares of the Company may appoint more than one proxy to represent him/her/it to attend and vote on his/her/its 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.
- 3. In order to be valid, a form of proxy together with the power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a certified copy of that power or authority, must be deposited 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 the holding of the meeting or any adjournment thereof. Delivery of the form of proxy shall not preclude a member of the Company from attending and voting in person at the meeting and, in such event, the form of proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

# PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES OF THE RISK OF COVID-19 FOR 2020 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

In consideration of the continuing risk posed by the 2019 coronavirus disease (COVID-19) and to manage the potential health risks of persons attending the Annual General Meeting, the Company will implement the following precautionary measures at the Annual General Meeting:-

(1) Attendees may need to confirm that (i) he/she has not travelled outside of Hong Kong within 21 days immediately before the Annual General Meeting ("Recent Travel History"); (ii) he/she is not subject to any HKSAR Government prescribed quarantine requirement; (iii) to his/her knowledge, he/she has not, within 21 days immediately before the Annual General Meeting, had close contact with any person under quarantine or with Recent Travel History; and (iv) he/she has no flu-like symptoms. Any person who fails to provide the required confirmation, or if he/she has shown flu-like symptoms, may be requested to leave or denied entry into the Annual General Meeting venue.

- (2) No food and beverage service will be provided and there will be no handing out of gift coupons or souvenirs.
- (3) Only a limited number of seats will be available, with no standing arrangement, in the Annual General Meeting venue in order to ensure social distancing and therefore, where necessary, the Company may limit the number of attendees entering the Annual General Meeting venue.
- (4) All attendees must wear face masks at all times inside the Annual General Meeting venue or at the waiting area outside the Annual General Meeting venue. Any attendees who do not wear face masks may be requested to leave or denied entry into the Annual General Meeting venue.
- (5) All attendees must clean their hands with alcohol-based hand sanitizer before entering the Annual General Meeting venue.
- (6) Body temperature checks/screening will be conducted on all persons before they enter the waiting area outside the Annual General Meeting venue. Any person with a body temperature of over 37.2 degrees Celsius may be requested to leave or denied entry into the Annual General Meeting venue.
- (7) The Company reminds attendees that they should carefully consider their own health/personal circumstances before they decide to attend the Annual General Meeting in person. The Company would like to remind all Shareholders that physical attendance at the Annual General Meeting is not necessary for the purpose of exercising voting rights. As an alternative, by using proxy forms with voting instructions inserted, Shareholders may appoint the Chairman of the Annual General Meeting as their proxy to vote on the relevant resolutions at the Annual General Meeting instead of attending the Annual General Meeting in person. Completion and return of the proxy forms will not preclude the Shareholders from attending and voting in person at the meeting or any adjournment thereof should they subsequently so wish, and in such case, the proxy forms previously submitted shall be deemed to be revoked.
- (8) The Company will continue to monitor how the COVID-19 outbreak develops and may adopt additional measures.