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## LEGAL PROCEEDINGS AGAINST A NON-WHOLLY SUBSIDIARY OF THE COMPANY

This announcement is made by Yanchang Petroleum International Limited (the "Company", together with its subsidiaries, the "Group") pursuant to Rule 13.09(2)(a) of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and the Inside Information Provisions under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

The board of directors (the "Board") of the Company has been recently notified by the Company's 51% indirectly owned subsidiary (the "Subsidiary"), namely Yanchang Petroleum (Zhejiang FTZ) Limited\* (延長石油(浙江自貿區)有限公司) which is a limited company incorporated in the PRC, that the Subsidiary is involved in the below legal proceedings.

A claim was made by Hainan Zhonghong Jiarun Energy Guangdong Co., Limited\* (海南中弘嘉潤能源有限公司) (the "Plaintiff E") against the Subsidiary for purchase amount of approximately RMB 17,870,000 and the relevant costs and interest so arisen (the "Case E"). The court hearing of the Case E will be held on 3 August 2022.

A claim was made by Chengtong Energy Guangdong Co., Limited\* (誠通能源有限公司) (the "Plaintiff F") against the Subsidiary for purchase procurement fees of approximately RMB 22,503,000 and the relevant costs and interest so arisen (the "Case F"). The court hearing of the Case F will be held on 21 October 2022.

The Group has been in the course of seeking legal advice on the claims in respect of the litigations and potential legal action(s) the Group should take in response to the claim if so advised. The Group will take every possible step to defend the claims vigorously from the plaintiff, and reserve the rights to take legal action(s) against the plaintiff for any damages. The Group will use its best endeavours to safeguard the overall interests of the Company and its shareholders.

The Company will make further announcement(s) to keep its shareholders and potential investors informed of any significant development on the litigations as and when appropriate.

The shareholders and potential investors of the Company are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the securities of the Company.

By Order of the Board

Yanchang Petroleum International Limited
Feng Yinguo

Chairman

Hong Kong, 22 July 2022

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