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# Honma Golf Limited 本間高爾夫有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock code: 6858)

## NOTICE OF 2022 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the 2022 annual general meeting (the "Meeting") of Honma Golf Limited 本問高爾夫有限公司 (the "Company") will be held as a hybrid meeting with the principal meeting place at 31F, SWFC, 100 Century Avenue, Pudong New District, Shanghai, PRC and online on Thursday, 15 September 2022 at 11:00 a.m. for the following purposes:

- 1. To receive the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company and the reports of the directors of the Company (the "**Directors**") and auditors of the Company (the "**Auditors**") for the year ended 31 March 2022.
- 2. To declare a final dividend of JPY2.0 per share for the year ended 31 March 2022.
- 3. To re-elect the following retiring Directors, each as a separate resolution:
  - (a) To re-elect Mr. Zuo Jun as Director.
  - (b) To re-elect Mr. Ho Ping-hsien Robert as Director.
  - (c) To re-elect Mr. Lu Pochin Christopher as Director.
- 4. To authorise the board of Directors (the "Board") to fix the Directors' remuneration.
- 5. To re-appoint Ernst & Young as Auditors and to authorise the Board to fix their remuneration.
- 6. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

# "THAT:

(a) subject to compliance with the prevailing requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and paragraph (b) below, a general mandate be and is hereby generally and unconditionally granted to the Directors to exercise during the Relevant Period (as defined below) all the powers of the Company to repurchase its shares in accordance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations;

- (b) the total number of shares of the Company to be repurchased pursuant to the mandate in paragraph (a) above shall not exceed 10% of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution, and if any subsequent consolidation or subdivision of shares is conducted, the maximum number of shares that may be repurchased under the mandate in paragraph (a) above as a percentage of the total number of issued shares at the date immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same; and
- (c) for the purposes of this resolution:

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

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company or any applicable laws to be held; and
- (iii) the date on which the authority set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting."
- 7. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

## "THAT:

- (a) subject to compliance with the prevailing requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and paragraph (c) below, a general mandate be and is hereby generally and unconditionally granted to the Directors to exercise during the Relevant Period (as defined below) all the powers of the Company to issue, allot and deal with additional shares of the Company ("Shares") and to make or grant offers, agreements or options, which would or might require the exercise of such powers;
- (b) the mandate in paragraph (a) above shall authorise 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 issued, allotted and dealt with or to be issued, allotted or dealt with or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be issued, allotted and dealt with by the Directors pursuant to the mandate in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to:
  - (i) a Rights Issue (as defined below); or
  - (ii) any scrip dividend scheme or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on shares of the Company in accordance with the articles of association of the Company; or
  - (iii) the exercise of options under the share option scheme of the Company; or
  - (iv) any specific authority granted or to be granted by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting,

shall not exceed 20% of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution, and if any subsequent consolidation or subdivision of shares is conducted, the maximum number of shares that may be issued under the mandate in paragraph (a) above as a percentage of the total number of issued shares at the date immediately before and after such consolidation or subdivision shall be the same; and

(d) for the purposes of this resolution:

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

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company or any applicable laws to be held; and
- (iii) the date on which the authority set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting.

"Rights Issue" means an offer of 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 recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange)."

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

"THAT conditional upon the passing of the resolutions 6 and 7 as set out in the notice convening this meeting, the general mandate granted to the Directors pursuant to resolution 7 to exercise the powers of the Company to issue, allot and deal with additional shares of the Company be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto the aggregate number of shares of the Company to be repurchased by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to resolution 6, provided that such number in aggregate shall not exceed 10% of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution."

For and on behalf of the Board

Honma Golf Limited

本間高爾夫有限公司

LIU Jianguo

Chairman of the Board

27 July 2022

#### Notes:

- 1. All resolutions at the Meeting will be taken by poll except where the chairman decides to allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter to be voted on by a show of hands pursuant to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules"). The results of the poll will be published on the websites of Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited and the Company in accordance with the Listing Rules.
- 2. Any member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the Meeting is entitled to appoint another person as his proxy to attend and on a poll, vote instead of him and a proxy so appointed shall have the same right as the member to speak at the Meeting. A member who is the holder of two or more shares may appoint more than one proxy to represent him and vote on his behalf. A proxy need not be a member of the Company. If more than one proxy is appointed, the number of shares in respect of which each such proxy so appointed must be specified in the relevant form of proxy. On a poll, every member present in person or by proxy shall have one vote for each share registered in his name in the register of members of the Company. On a show of hands, every member present in person shall have one vote.
- 3. In order to be valid, the form of proxy together with the power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy of such power or authority, must be deposited at the Company's Hong Kong share registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, at 17M Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding of the Meeting or any adjournment thereof. Accordingly, the form of proxy must be delivered to the Company's Hong Kong share registrar no later than 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, 13 September 2022 (Hong Kong time).
- 4. Completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude a member of the Company from attending and voting in person or via online platform at the Meeting and, in such event, the form of proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.
- 5. For determining the entitlement to attend and vote at the Meeting, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Friday, 9 September 2022 to Thursday, 15 September 2022, both dates inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares will be registered. In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the Meeting, investors are required to lodge all transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates with the Company's Hong Kong share registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, at Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong for registration no later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, 8 September 2022 (Hong Kong time).

- 6. For determining the entitlement to the proposed final dividend (subject to approval by the shareholders at the Meeting), the register of members of the Company will be closed on Thursday, 22 September 2022 during which day no transfer of shares will be registered. In order to be qualified for the proposed final dividend, investors are required to lodge all transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates with the Company's Hong Kong share registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, at Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong for registration no later than 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, 21 September 2022 (Hong Kong time).
- 7. The Company will conduct a hybrid Meeting via online platform, which allows shareholders to participate in the Meeting online in a convenient and efficient way from anywhere with an internet connection. Shareholders will be able to view the live video broadcast and participate in voting and submit questions in written form to the Meeting by visiting the website at https://meetings.computershare.com/HonmaGolf\_2022AGM via smartphones, tablets, or computers. The live broadcast option can also broaden the reach of the Meeting to shareholders who do not wish to attend physically due to concerns on attending large scale events under the current COVID-19 situation, or for other overseas Shareholders who are unable to attend in person.
- 8. Although shareholders are welcome to attend the Meeting in person if they so wish, the Company strongly recommends shareholders to attend the Meeting via online platform in view of the current COVID-19 situation. If the venue of the Meeting is closed in response to the COVID-19 outbreak, the Meeting will continue to be held via online platform.

For online voting at the Meeting, shareholders can refer to the enclosed notification letter and the Online Meeting User Guide for details.

If you have any queries on the above, please contact the Company's Hong Kong share registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, via their hotline at (852) 2862 8555 from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (Monday to Friday, excluding Hong Kong public holidays).

- 9. Shareholders who wish to attend the Meeting and exercise their voting rights can be achieved in one of the following ways:
  - (1) attend the Meeting in person and vote via smartphones or designated mobile devices at the Meeting venue: or
  - (2) attend the Meeting via online platform which enables live streaming and interactive platform for Q&A and vote online; or
  - (3) appoint chairman of the Meeting or other persons as your proxy to vote on your behalf. Your proxy's authority and instruction will be revoked if you attend and vote in person or via online platform at the Meeting.

Non-registered shareholders who wish to attend and participate in the Meeting via online platform should liaise with your bank(s), broker(s), custodian(s), nominee(s) or HKSCC Nominees Limited through which your shares are held (collectively, the "Intermediaries") and provide your email addresses to your Intermediaries. Details regarding the arrangements of the Meeting, including login details to access the online platform and online voting, will be sent by Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited to the email addresses provided by the non-registered shareholders.

For corporate shareholders who wish to attend the Meeting and vote online, please contact the Company's Hong Kong share registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, at (852) 2862 8555 on or before Tuesday, 13 September 2022 for arrangement.

As at the date of this notice, the executive directors of the Company are Mr. LIU Jianguo (Chairman), Mr. ITO Yasuki, Mr. MURAI Yuji and Mr. ZUO Jun; the non-executive directors of the Company are Mr. YANG Xiaoping and Mr. HO Ping-hsien Robert; and the independent non-executive directors of the Company are Mr. LU Pochin Christopher, Mr. WANG Jianguo and Mr. XU Hui.