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China Education Group Holdings Limited

中國教育集團控股有限公司

(incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 839)

**VOLUNTARY ANNOUNCEMENT —
SIGNIFICANT GROWTH IN THE NUMBER OF NEWLY REGISTERED
STUDENTS FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2022/2023**

This announcement is made by the board of directors of China Education Group Holdings Limited (the “**Company**”, together with its subsidiaries and consolidated affiliated entities, the “**Group**”), for the purpose of providing update on the newly registered students of the Group.

ENROLLMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION SCHOOLS IN CHINA

The Company is pleased to report that the registration of all higher education schools of the Group in China for the academic year 2022/2023 has been completed. The Group has recorded significant growth in the number of newly registered students for the academic year 2022/2023, and also substantial increases in the utilization rate of enrollment quotas.

Encouraged by the “Opinions on Strengthening the Construction of a Highly Skilled Talents Team in the New Era” (《關於加強新時代高技能人才隊伍建設的意見》) and the “Opinions on Promoting High-Quality Development of Modern Vocational Education” (《關於推動現代職業教育高質量發展的意見》) issued by the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China and the State Council, the coverage of higher education nationwide is continuously expanding, while the demand from students for high-quality higher education continues to increase. As the leading provider of high-quality higher education, the Group has received warm welcome from students in providing high-quality courses.

	Academic Year 2022/2023	Academic Year 2021/2022	Change*
Number of newly registered students	70,915	47,837	+48%
Including: Bachelor's degree programmes (excluding top-up degree programmes)	33,193	22,147	+50%
Top-up degree programmes	23,920	14,593	+64%
Junior college programmes	13,802	11,097	+24%
Utilization rate of enrollment quotas	90.3%	80.3%	+10 percentage points

* The data for the academic year 2021/2022 does not include that of a school newly joined the Group during such period. If including the new school, the number of newly registered students of the Group for the academic year 2021/2022 would be 55,418, and the changes for the academic year 2022/2023 as compared with the academic year 2021/2022 would be +28%, +23%, +45%, +17% and +7.8 percentage points, respectively.

The Group will continue to create and provide high-quality education opportunities to more students and make positive contributions to the economic and social development of the country in fulfilling its mission and social responsibility of “To Pioneer Excellence and Innovation in Education”.

The Board wishes to remind shareholders of the Company and potential investors that the above figures are approximate numbers based on the Group's internal statistics currently available, and the date of the statistics is up to 28 October 2022. Differences may arise between such figures and the disclosure in subsequent results announcement, financial report and/or other relevant corporate materials.

By order of the Board
China Education Group Holdings Limited
Yu Guo Xie Ketao
Co-Chairmen

Hong Kong, 31 October 2022

As at the date of this announcement, the executive directors of the Company are Mr. Yu Guo, Mr. Xie Ketao, Dr. Yu Kai and Mr. Wang Rui, and the independent non-executive directors of the Company are Dr. Gerard A. Postiglione, Dr. Rui Meng and Dr. Wu Kin Bing.