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Leader Education Limited

立德教育股份有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock code: 1449)

DELAY IN DESPATCH OF CIRCULAR MAJOR TRANSACTIONS FINANCE LEASE ARRANGEMENTS

Reference is made to the announcement dated 19 October 2022, 27 October 2022, 7 November 2022, 9 November 2022, 10 November 2022 and 24 November 2022 issued by Leader Education Limited (the “**Company**”) in relation to, among others, the Finance Lease Arrangement (Derun) I, the Finance Lease Arrangement (Derun) II, the Finance Lease Arrangement with Shanghai Guojin and the Finance Lease Arrangement (Chengtay) (the “**Announcements**”). Unless otherwise stated, terms defined in the Announcements shall have the same meanings when used in this announcement.

As disclosed in the announcement dated 24 November 2022, pursuant to Rule 14.41(a) of the Listing Rules, a circular containing, among other things, (i) details of the Finance Lease Arrangement (Chengtay) and the transactions contemplated thereunder; and (ii) financial information of the Group shall be despatched within 15 business days after publication of the announcement, i.e. on or before 15 December 2022. Further, as disclosed in the announcement dated 10 November 2022, the circular in respect of the Finance Lease Arrangement (Derun) I, the Finance Lease Arrangement (Derun) II, the Finance Lease Arrangement with Shanghai Guojin will be despatched on or before 23 December 2023.

Given the proximity in timing of the circulars to be issued in respect of the Finance Lease Arrangement (Derun) I, the Finance Lease Arrangement (Derun) II, the Finance Lease Arrangement with Shanghai Guojin and the Finance Lease Arrangement (Chengtay), the Company will issue one single circular (the “**Circular**”) in respect of all these finance lease arrangements.

Since the Company requires additional time to allow for preparation of the disclosure of certain financial information to be included in the Circular, in particular, the statement of indebtedness as at 31 October 2022 and the statement of working capital sufficiency which requires certain work to be performed by its auditors, an application has been made by the Company to the Stock Exchange for a waiver from strict compliance with the deadline for despatch of Circular under Rule 14.41(a) of the Listing Rules by extending the despatch date of the Circular to no later than 23 December 2022.

The Stock Exchange has granted such waiver and the Circular is expected to be despatched to its shareholders on or before 23 December 2022.

By the order of the Board
Leader Education Limited
Liu Laixiang
Chairman

Harbin, Heilongjiang Province, PRC, 15 December 2022

As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. Liu Laixiang, Ms. Dong Ling, Mr. Wang Yunfu and Mr. Che Wenge; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. Zhang Su, Mr. Cao Shaoshan and Mr. Chan Ngai Fan.