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# Lygend Resources & Technology Co., Ltd. 宁波力勤资源科技股份有限公司

(A joint stock company incorporated in the People's Republic of China with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 2245)

# PARTIAL EXERCISE OF THE OVER-ALLOTMENT OPTION, STABILIZING ACTIONS AND END OF STABILIZATION PERIOD

#### PARTIAL EXERCISE OF THE OVER-ALLOTMENT OPTION

The Company announces that the Over-allotment Option described in the Prospectus and the allotment results announcement dated November 30, 2022 (the "Announcement") has been partially exercised by the Overall Coordinators, on behalf of the International Underwriters, on December 24, 2022, in respect of an aggregate of 5,615,000 H Shares (the "Over-allotment Shares"), representing approximately 2.41% of the total number of the Offer Shares initially available under the Global Offering before any exercise of the Over-allotment Option, at the Offer Price of HK\$15.80 per H Share (exclusive of brokerage of 1.0%, SFC transaction levy of 0.0027%, Stock Exchange trading fee of 0.005% and AFRC transaction levy of 0.00015%).

#### STABILIZING ACTIONS AND END OF STABILIZATION PERIOD

The Company further announces that the stabilization period in connection with the Global Offering ended on Saturday, December 24, 2022, being the 30th day after the last day for lodging of applications under the Hong Kong Public Offering. Further information of stabilizing actions undertaken by China International Capital Corporation Hong Kong Securities Limited, the Stabilizing Manager or any person acting for it during the stabilization period is set out in this announcement.

#### PARTIAL EXERCISE OF THE OVER-ALLOTMENT OPTION

The Company announces that the Over-allotment Option described in the Prospectus and the Announcement has been partially exercised by the Overall Coordinators, on behalf of the International Underwriters, on December 24, 2022 in respect of an aggregate of 5,615,000 H Shares, representing approximately 2.41% of the total number of Offer Shares initially available under the Global Offering before exercise of the Over-allotment Option.

The Over-allotment Shares will be issued and allotted by the Company at the Offer Price of HK\$15.80 per H Share (exclusive of brokerage of 1.0%, SFC transaction levy of 0.0027%, Stock Exchange trading fee of 0.005% and AFRC transaction levy of 0.00015%). The Over-allotment Shares will be used to facilitate the delivery of H Shares to the Cornerstone Investors who have agreed to delayed delivery of the relevant H Shares subscribed by them under their respective Cornerstone Investment Agreements.

### **Approval of Listing**

Approval for the listing of and permission to deal in the Over-allotment Shares has already been granted by the Listing Committee of the Stock Exchange. Listing of and dealings in such Overallotment Shares are expected to commence on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange at 9:00 a.m. on December 30, 2022.

### Share Capital upon the Completion of the Partial Exercise of the Over-allotment Option

The shareholding structure of the Company immediately before and immediately after the completion of the partial exercise of the Over-allotment Option is as follows:

	Immediately before the issue of the Over-allotment Shares		Immediately after the issue of the Over-allotment Shares	
	Approximate % of the Company's		Approximate % of the Company's	
	Number of Shares	total share capital	Number of Shares	total share capital
<b>Description of Shares</b>				
Domestic Shares in issue	1,054,215,000	68.00%	1,054,215,000	67.75%
Unlisted Foreign Shares in issue	263,553,750	17.00%	263,553,750	16.94%
H Shares issued/to be issued pursuant				
to the Global Offering	232,547,600	15.00%	238,162,600	15.31%
Total	1,550,316,350	100%	1,555,931,350	100%

#### **Use of Proceeds**

The additional net proceeds of approximately HK\$85.3 million to be received by the Company from the issue of the Over-allotment Shares after deduction of the underwriting fees and commissions and estimated expenses payable by the Company in connection with the exercise of the Over-allotment Option, will be used by the Company for the purposes as set out in the section headed "Future Plans and Use of Proceeds" in the Prospectus.

## STABILIZING ACTIONS AND END OF STABILIZATION PERIOD

The Company further announces that the stabilization period in connection with the Global Offering ended on Saturday, December 24, 2022, being the 30th day after the last day for the lodging of applications under the Hong Kong Public Offering. The stabilizing actions undertaken by the Stabilizing Manager, or any person acting for it, during the stabilization period were:

- (1) the over-allocation of an aggregate of 34,882,000 H Shares in the International Offering, representing approximately 15% of the total number of the Offer Shares initially available under the Global Offering (before any exercise of the Over-allotment Option);
- (2) successive purchases of an aggregate of 29,267,000 H Shares in the price range of HK\$14.72 to HK\$15.80 per H Share (exclusive of brokerage of 1%, SFC transaction levy of 0.0027%, Stock Exchange trading fee of 0.005% and AFRC transaction levy of 0.00015%) on the market during the stabilization period, representing approximately 12.59% of the total number of the Offer Shares initially available under the Global Offering before any exercise of the Overallotment Option. The last purchase made by the Stabilizing Manager or any person acting for it on the market during the stabilization period was on Friday, December 23, 2022, at the price of HK\$15.80 per H Share (exclusive of brokerage of 1%, SFC transaction levy of 0.0027%, Stock Exchange trading fee of 0.005% and AFRC transaction levy of 0.00015%); and

(3) the partial exercise of the Over-allotment Option by the Overall Coordinators, on behalf of the International Underwriters, on December 24, 2022, in respect of an aggregate of 5,615,000 H Shares, representing approximately 2.41% of the total number of the Offer Shares initially available under the Global Offering before any exercise of the Over-allotment Option, at the Offer Price per H Share, to facilitate the delivery of H Shares to the Cornerstone Investors who have agreed to delayed delivery of the relevant H Shares subscribed by them under their respective Cornerstone Investment Agreements.

The portion of the Over-allotment Option which has not been exercised by the Overall Coordinators (on behalf of the International Underwriters) lapsed on December 24, 2022.

#### **Public Float**

The Stock Exchange has exercised its discretion under Rule 8.08(1)(d) and has granted the Company a waiver from strict compliance with the requirements of Rule 8.08(1) of the Listing Rules, pursuant to which the minimum percentage of the Company's H Shares held by the public will be the higher of (a) 15%; and (b) such percentage of H Shares to be held by the public immediately after the completion of the Global Offering (as increased by the H Shares to be issued upon any exercise of the Over-allotment Option) of the total share capital of the Company.

Immediately after the issue of the Over-allotment Shares, the number of H Shares in public hands represents approximately 15.31% of the total share capital of the Company, which became the minimum public float of the Company. Immediately after the end of the stabilization period, the Company will continue to comply with the minimum public float requirement as prescribed in the waiver granted by the Stock Exchange from strict compliance with Rule 8.08(1) of the Listing Rules.

By order of the Board

Lygend Resources & Technology Co., Ltd.

Cai Jianyong

Chairman of the Board and Executive Director

Hong Kong, December 28, 2022

As at the date of this announcement, the board of directors of the Company comprises Mr. Cai Jianyong, Mr. Jiang Xinfang, Ms. Fei Feng, Mr. Cai Jianwei and Mr. Yu Weijun as executive directors, Mr. Lawrence Lua Gek Pong as non-executive director, and Dr. He Wanpeng, Ms. Zhang Zhengping and Dr. Wang James Jixian as independent non-executive directors.