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ANNOUNCEMENT

ISSUE OF 2023 MEDIUM-TERM NOTES SERIES 1

AND

GENERAL DISCLOSURE UNDER RULE 13.18 OF THE LISTING RULES

This announcement is made pursuant to the requirement under Rule 13.18 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “Listing Rules”).

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The board of directors of the Company hereby announces that the Company has submitted an application to the National Association of Financial Market Institutional Investors for registration and issuance of the Company medium-term notes in an aggregate amount of no more than RMB8 billion. The Company has obtained the notice of registration (Zhong Shi Xie Zhu [2023]MTN191) issued by the National Association of Financial Market Institutional Investors for such issue as and when appropriate.

The Company proposes to issue 2023 medium-term notes series 1 (the “2023 Medium-term Notes Series 1”) of principal amount of no more than RMB1.5 billion in the People’s Republic of China. Proceeds to be raised from the 2023 Medium-term Notes Series 1 are intended to be used to repay existing loans and for general working capital purposes.

In case of any inconsistency, the principal amount, terms, interest rates, use of proceeds raised from the issuance of the 2023 Medium-term Notes Series 1 and other key information set out in the offering circular published at the time of issuance of the 2023 Medium-term Notes Series 1 shall prevail.

Offering circular and other documents relating to the issuance of 2023 Medium-term Notes Series 1 will be published on the websites of China Money (www.chinamoney.com.cn) and Shanghai Clearing House (www.shclearing.com) at the time of issuance.

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Unless waiver has been obtained from the holders of 2023 Medium-term Notes Series 1, the noteholders may have the option to sell back the 2023 Medium-term Notes Series 1 to the Company following a change of control. In accordance with the terms of 2023 Medium-term Notes Series 1, a change of control means the occurrence of one of the following events:

- (a) Beijing Enterprises Group Company Limited (“BEGCL”) owns or controls, directly or indirectly, less than 35% of voting rights in the Company;
- (b) BEGCL does not or ceases to supervise the Company;
- (c) BEGCL is not or ceases to be the, direct or indirect, single largest shareholder of the Company;
- (d) The nominees of BEGCL do not comprise the majority of the members of the board of directors of the Company.

The Company will comply with the continuing disclosure requirements pursuant to Rule 13.21 of the Listing Rules for so long as circumstances giving rise to the obligation continue to exist.

By Order of the Board
Beijing Enterprises Water Group Limited
Xiong Bin
Chairman

Hong Kong, 20 March 2023

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises eight executive directors, namely, Mr. Xiong Bin (chairman), Mr. Jiang Xinhao, Mr. Zhou Min (chief executive officer), Mr. Li Haifeng, Mr. Ke Jian, Ms. Sha Ning, Mr. Tung Woon Cheung Eric and Mr. Li Li, one non-executive director, namely, Mr. Wang Dianchang and five independent non-executive directors, namely, Mr. Shea Chun Lok Quadrant, Mr. Zhang Gaobo, Mr. Guo Rui, Mr. Chau On Ta Yuen and Mr. Dai Xiaohu.