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## **InnoCare Pharma Limited**

諾誠健華醫藥有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock code: 9969)

## ANNOUNCEMENT ON PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

This announcement is made by InnoCare Pharma Limited (the "**Company**") pursuant to Rule 13.51(1) of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "**Listing Rules**").

The board (the "**Board**") of directors (the "**Directors**") of the Company proposes to make certain amendments to the articles of association of the Company (the "Articles of Association"), for the purpose of, among others, (i) bringing the Articles of Association in line with Appendix 3 to the Listing Rules, and (ii) incorporating certain housekeeping amendments.

The Board considers that the said amendments to the Articles of Association are in the interest of the Company and its shareholders (the "**Shareholders**") as a whole. The proposed amendments to the Articles of Association are subject to the consideration and approval by the Shareholders by way of special resolution at the forthcoming annual general meeting of the Company. A circular containing, among other things, the said proposed amendments to the Articles of Association will be dispatched to the Shareholders in due course.

Details of the proposed amendments to the Articles of Association are set out in the appendix to this announcement.

By Order of the Board InnoCare Pharma Limited Dr. Jisong Cui Chairperson and executive Director

Hong Kong, 27 March 2023

As at the date of this announcement, the Board of Directors of the Company comprises Dr. Jisong Cui as Chairperson and executive Director, Dr. Renbin Zhao as executive Director, Dr. Yigong Shi, Mr. Ronggang Xie and Mr. Ming Jin, as non-executive Directors, and Dr. Zemin Jason Zhang, Ms. Lan Hu and Dr. Kaixian Chen as independent non-executive directors.

## APPENDIX TABLE OF COMPARISON OF THE ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF INNOCARE PHARMA LIMITED BEFORE AND AFTER AMENDMENTS

| Articles of Association currently in force |  | Amended Articles of Association  |                |  |   |
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| Article<br>No.                             |  | Original Articles  | Article<br>No. |  | Amended Articles  |
| 1(b)                                       | Any marginal notes, titles or lead in references<br>to Articles and the index of the Memorandum<br>and Articles of Association shall not form part<br>of the Memorandum or Articles of Association<br>and shall not affect their interpretation. In<br>interpreting these Articles of Association, unless<br>there be something in the subject or context<br>inconsistent therewith: |  | 1(b)           | to Articles and<br>and Articles or<br>of the Memora<br>and shall not<br>interpreting the | notes, titles or lead in references<br>d the index of the Memorandum<br>f Association shall not form part<br>andum or Articles of Association<br>affect their interpretation. In<br>ese Articles of Association, unless<br>ething in the subject or context<br>erewith:   |
|  | "Auditor"  | means person appointed by the<br>Company from time to time to<br>perform the duties of auditor<br>of the Company;              |                | "Auditor"  | means the auditor of the<br>Company for the time<br>being and may include any<br>individual, partnership or<br>body corporate or persons<br>appointed by the Company<br>from time to time to perform<br>the duties of auditor of the<br>Company;  |
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|  | "Companies<br>Act"   | means the Companies Act Cap.<br>22 (Law 3 of 1961, as revised<br>and supplemented from time to<br>time) of the Cayman Islands; |                | "Companies<br>Act"   | means the Companies Act<br>Cap. 22 (as revised) of the<br>Cayman Islands as amended<br>from time to time and every<br>other act, order regulation<br>or other instrument having<br>statutory effect (Law 3<br>of 1961, as revised and<br>supplemented as amended<br>from time to time) for<br>the time being in force<br>in of the Cayman Islands<br>applying to or affecting the<br>Company, the Memorandum<br>of Association and/or the<br>Articles of Association; |

| 5(a)  | If at any time the share capital of the Company is<br>divided into different classes of Shares, all or any<br>of the special rights attached to the Shares or any<br>class of Shares (unless otherwise provided for<br>by the terms of issue of the Shares of that class)<br>may, subject to the provisions of the Companies<br>Act, be varied, modified or abrogated either<br>with the consent in writing of not less than <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> of<br>the voting rights of the holders of that class or<br>with the sanction of a Special Resolution passed<br>at a separate general meeting of the holders of<br>the Shares of that class. To every such separate<br>general meeting the provisions of these Articles<br>relating to general meetings shall mutatis<br>mutandis apply, but so that the necessary quorum<br>(other than at an adjourned meeting) shall be two<br>persons holding (or, in the case of a Shareholder<br>being a corporation, by its duly authorised<br>representative) or representing by proxy holding<br>not less than one-third in nominal value of the<br>issued Shares of that class, that the quorum for<br>any meeting adjourned for want of quorum shall<br>be two Shareholders present in person (or in the<br>case of the Shareholder being a corporation, by<br>its duly authorised representative) or by proxy<br>(whatever the number of Shares held by them)<br>and that any holder of Shares of the class present<br>in person (or in the case of the Shareholder<br>being a corporation, by its duly authorised<br>representative) or by proxy<br>(whatever the number of Shares held by them)<br>and that any holder of Shares of the class present<br>in person (or in the case of the Shareholder<br>being a corporation, by its duly authorised<br>representative) or by proxy may demand a poll. | 5(a)  | If at any time the share capital of the Company is<br>divided into different classes of Shares, all or any<br>of the special rights attached to the Shares or any<br>class of Shares (unless otherwise provided for<br>by the terms of issue of the Shares of that class)<br>may, subject to the provisions of the Companies<br>Act, be varied, modified or abrogated either<br>with the consent in writing of not less than <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> of<br>the voting rights of the holders of that class or<br>with the sanction of a Special Resolution passed<br>at a separate general meeting of the holders of<br>the Shares of that class. To every such separate<br>general meeting the provisions of these Articles<br>relating to general meetings shall mutatis<br>mutandis apply, but so that the necessary quorum<br>(other than at an adjourned meeting) shall be two<br>persons holding (or, in the case of a Shareholder<br>being a corporation, by its duly authorised<br>representative) or representing by proxy holding<br>not less than one-third in nominal value of the<br>issued Shares of that class, that the quorum for<br>any meeting adjourned for want of quorum shall<br>be two Shareholders present in person (or in the<br>case of the Shareholder being a corporation, by<br>its duly authorised representative) or by proxy<br>(whatever the number of Shares held by them)<br>and that any holder of Shares of the class present<br>in person (or in the case of the Shareholder<br>being a corporation, by its duly authorised<br>representative) or by proxy<br>(whatever the number of Shares of the class present<br>in person (or in the case of the Shareholder<br>being a corporation, by its duly authorised<br>representative) or by proxy<br>(whatever the number of Shares of the class present<br>in person (or in the case of the Shareholder<br>being a corporation, by its duly authorised<br>representative) or by proxy may demand a poll. |
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| 17(d) | Subject to the requirements of the securities<br>regulatory institutions of the Relevant Territory,<br>the registration of transfers may be suspended<br>and the Register may be closed on giving notice<br>by advertisement in any Newspapers or by any<br>other means in accordance with the requirements<br>of the HK Stock Exchange to that effect be<br>suspended or closed at such times and for such<br>periods (not exceeding in the whole 30 days in<br>any year) as the Board may determine, and either<br>generally or in respect of any class of Shares.   | 17(d) | Subject to the requirements of the securities<br>regulatory institutions of the Relevant Territory,<br>the registration of transfers may be suspended<br>and the Register may be closed on giving notice<br>by advertisement in any Newspapers or by any<br>other means in accordance with the requirements<br>of the HK Stock Exchange to that effect be<br>suspended <b>or closed</b> at such times and for such<br>periods (not exceeding in the whole 30 days<br>in any year) as the Board may determine, <b>and</b><br><b>either generally or in respect of any class of</b><br><b>Shares</b> .   |

| 64(a) | In each financial year during the Relevant Period,<br>the Company shall hold a general meeting as<br>its annual general meeting within six months<br>after the end of each financial year in addition<br>to any other meeting in that year and shall<br>specify the meeting as such in the notice calling<br>it. The annual general meeting shall be held in<br>the Relevant Territory or elsewhere as may be<br>determined by the Board and at such time and<br>place as the Board shall appoint. A meeting of<br>the Shareholders or any class thereof may be held<br>by means of such telephone, electronic or other<br>communication facilities (including, without<br>limitation, websites, application technology and/<br>or collaboration and conference systems) as<br>permit all persons participating in the meeting<br>to communicate with each other simultaneously<br>and instantaneously, and participation in such<br>a meeting shall constitute presence at such<br>meetings.   | 64(a) | Other than the year of the Company's adoption of these Articles, in In each financial year during the Relevant Period, the Company shall hold a general meeting as its annual general meeting within six months after the end of each financial year in addition to any other meeting in that year and shall specify the meeting as such in the notice calling it. The annual general meeting shall be held in the Relevant Territory or elsewhere as may be determined by the Board and at such time and place as the Board shall appoint. A meeting of the Shareholders or any class thereof may be held by means of such telephone, electronic or other communication facilities (including, without limitation, websites, application technology and/or collaboration and conference systems) as permit all persons participating in the meeting to communicate with each other simultaneously and instantaneously, and participation in such a meeting shall constitute presence at such meetings.  |
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| 67    | An annual general meeting of the Company<br>shall be called by not less than 20 clear<br>business days' notice in writing. All other<br>general meetings (including an extraordinary<br>general meeting) shall be called by at least 14<br>clear days' notice in writing and not less than<br>10 clear business days. The notice shall be<br>exclusive of the day on which it is served<br>or deemed to be served and of the day for<br>which it is given, and shall specify the time<br>and place or means and the agenda of the<br>meeting and particulars of the resolutions to<br>be considered at that meeting and in case of<br>special business (as defined in Article 71),<br>the general nature of that business, and shall<br>be given, in manner hereinafter mentioned<br>or in such other manner, if any, as may<br>be prescribed by the Company in general<br>meeting, to such persons as are, under these<br>Articles, entitled to receive such notices from<br>the Company, provided that a meeting of the<br>Company shall notwithstanding that it is called<br>by shorter notice than that specified in this<br>Article be deemed to have been duly called,<br>subject to the Companies Act and the Listing<br>Rules if it is so agreed: | 67    | An annual general meeting of the Company shall<br>be called by not less than <b>21</b> <del>20</del> <del>clear business</del><br>days' notice in writing. All other general<br>meetings (including an extraordinary general<br>meeting) shall be called by <b>not less than</b> <del>at least</del><br>14 <del>clear</del> days' notice in writing <del>and not less</del><br>than 10 <del>clear business days</del> . The notice shall<br>be exclusive of the day on which it is served or<br>deemed to be served and of the day for which<br>it is given, and shall specify the time and place<br>or means and the agenda of the meeting and<br>particulars of the resolutions to be considered<br>at that meeting and in case of special business<br>(as defined in Article 71), the general nature<br>of that business, and shall be given, in manner<br>hereinafter mentioned or in such other manner,<br>if any, as may be prescribed by the Company in<br>general meeting, to such persons as are, under<br>these Articles, entitled to receive such notices<br>from the Company, provided that a meeting of<br>the Company shall notwithstanding that it is<br>called by shorter notice than that specified in<br>this Article be deemed to have been duly called,<br>subject to the Companies Act and the Listing<br>Rules if it is so agreed: |

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| 72  | For all purposes the quorum for a general<br>meeting shall be two Shareholders present<br>in person (or, in the case of a Shareholder<br>being a corporation, by its duly authorised<br>representative) or by proxy and entitled to vote.<br>No business shall be transacted at any general<br>meeting unless the requisite quorum shall be<br>present at the time when the meeting proceeds<br>to business and continues to be present until the<br>conclusion of the meeting.   | 72  | For all purposes the quorum for a general meeting shall be two Shareholders present in person (or, in the case of a Shareholder being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative, <b>or two persons appointed by a clearing house</b> ) or by proxy and entitled to vote. No business shall be transacted at any general meeting unless the requisite quorum shall be present at the time when the meeting proceeds to business and continues to be present until the conclusion of the meeting.   |
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| 74  | If within 15 minutes from the time appointed for<br>the meeting a quorum is not present, the meeting,<br>if convened upon the requisition of Shareholders,<br>shall be dissolved, but in any other case it shall<br>stand adjourned to the same day in the next week<br>and at such time and place as shall be decided<br>by the Board, and if at such adjourned meeting<br>a quorum is not present within 15 minutes from<br>the time appointed for holding the meeting,<br>the Shareholder or the Shareholders present in<br>person (or, in the case of a Shareholder being a<br>corporation by its duly authorised representative)<br>or by proxy and entitled to vote shall be a<br>quorum and may transact the business for which<br>the meeting was called. | 74  | If within 15 minutes from the time appointed for<br>the meeting a quorum is not present, the meeting,<br>if convened upon the requisition of Shareholders,<br>shall be dissolved, but in any other case it shall<br>stand adjourned to the same day in the next week<br>and at such time and place as shall be decided<br>by the Board, and if at such adjourned meeting<br>a quorum is not present within 15 minutes from<br>the time appointed for holding the meeting,<br>the Shareholder or the Shareholders present in<br>person (or, in the case of a Shareholder being a<br>corporation by its duly authorised representative,<br><b>or two persons appointed by a clearing house</b> )<br>or by proxy and entitled to vote shall be a<br>quorum and may transact the business for which<br>the meeting was called. |
| 84A | Shareholders must have the right to: (a) speak at<br>general meetings of the Company; and (b) vote<br>at a general meeting except where a Shareholder<br>is required, by the Listing Rules, to abstain from<br>voting to approve the matter under consideration.  | 84A | Shareholders (including a Shareholder which<br>is a clearing house (or its nominees)) must<br>have the right to: (a) speak at general meetings of<br>the Company; and (b) vote at a general meeting<br>except where a Shareholder is required, by the<br>Listing Rules, to abstain from voting to approve<br>the matter under consideration.   |

| 97(b) | Where a Clearing House (or its nominee(s)) is<br>a Shareholder, it may (subject to Article 98)<br>authorise such person or persons as it thinks fit<br>to act as its representative or representatives at<br>any meeting of the Company or at any meeting<br>of any class of Shareholders (including but<br>not limited to any general meeting) provided<br>that if more than one person is so authorised,<br>the authorisation shall specify the number and<br>class of Shares in respect of which each such<br>representative is so authorised. A person so<br>authorised pursuant to the provisions of this<br>Article shall be deemed to have been duly<br>authorised without further evidence of the facts<br>and be entitled to exercise the same rights and<br>powers on behalf of the Clearing House (or its<br>nominee(s)) which he represents as that Clearing<br>House (or its nominee(s)) could exercise as if<br>such person were an individual Shareholder,<br>including, the right to speak and vote, and where<br>a show of hands is allowed, the right to vote<br>individually on a show of hands. | 97(b) | Where a Clearing House (or its nominee(s)) is<br>a Shareholder, it may (subject to Article 98)<br>authorise such person or persons as it thinks fit<br>to act as its representative or representatives at<br>any meeting of the Company or at any meeting<br>of any class of Shareholders (including but not<br>limited to any general meeting <b>and creditors'</b><br><b>meeting</b> ) provided that if more than one person<br>is so authorised, the authorisation shall specify<br>the number and class of Shares in respect of<br>which each such representative is so authorised.<br>A person so authorised pursuant to the provisions<br>of this Article shall be deemed to have been duly<br>authorised without further evidence of the facts<br>and be entitled to exercise the same rights and<br>powers on behalf of the Clearing House (or its<br>nominee(s)) which he represents as that Clearing<br>House (or its nominee(s)) could exercise as if<br>such person were an individual Shareholder,<br>including, the right to speak and vote, and where<br>a show of hands is allowed, the right to vote<br>individually on a show of hands. |
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| 118   | The Board shall have power from time to time<br>and at any time to appoint any person as a<br>Director either to fill a casual vacancy or as<br>an additional Director but so that the number<br>of Directors so appointed shall not exceed the<br>maximum number determined from time to time<br>by the Shareholders in general meeting. Any<br>Director appointed by the Board to fill a casual<br>vacancy shall hold office only until the next first<br>annual general meeting of the Company after his<br>appointment and be subject to re-election at such<br>meeting. Any Director appointed by the Board as<br>an addition to the existing Board shall hold office<br>only until the next first annual general meeting<br>of the Company after his appointment and shall<br>then be eligible for re-election. Any Director<br>appointed under this Article shall not be taken<br>into account in determining the Directors or the<br>number of Directors who are to retire by rotation<br>at an annual general meeting.   | 118   | The Board shall have power from time to time<br>and at any time to appoint any person as a<br>Director either to fill a casual vacancy or as<br>an additional Director but so that the number<br>of Directors so appointed shall not exceed the<br>maximum number determined from time to time<br>by the Shareholders in general meeting. Any<br>Director appointed by the Board to fill a casual<br>vacancy shall hold office only until the <del>next</del> first<br>annual general meeting of the Company after his<br>appointment and be subject to re-election at such<br>meeting. Any Director appointed by the Board as<br>an addition to the existing Board shall hold office<br>only until the <del>next</del> first annual general meeting<br>of the Company after his appointment and shall<br>then be eligible for re-election. Any Director<br>appointed under this Article shall not be taken<br>into account in determining the Directors or the<br>number of Directors who are to retire by rotation<br>at an annual general meeting.   |

| 121    | The Shareholders may by Ordinary Resolution<br>remove any Director (including a managing<br>director or other executive director, but without<br>prejudice to any claim for damages under any<br>contract) before the expiration of his period of<br>office notwithstanding anything in these Articles<br>or in any agreement between the Company and<br>such Director (but without prejudice to any claim<br>which such Director may have for damages for<br>any breach of any contract between him and<br>the Company) and may by Ordinary Resolution<br>appoint another person in his stead. Any Director<br>so appointed shall be subject to retirement by<br>rotation pursuant to Article 114.   | 121    | The Shareholders may by Ordinary Resolution<br>remove any Director (including a managing<br>director or other executive director, but without<br>prejudice to any claim for damages under any<br>contract) before the expiration of his <b>term</b><br><del>period</del> of office notwithstanding anything in<br>these Articles or in any agreement between<br>the Company and such Director (but without<br>prejudice to any claim which such Director may<br>have for damages for any breach of any contract<br>between him and the Company) and may by<br>Ordinary Resolution appoint another person in<br>his stead. Any Director so appointed shall be<br>subject to retirement by rotation pursuant to<br>Article 114.   |
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| 186(b) | The Shareholders may, at any general meeting<br>convened and held in accordance with these<br>Articles, remove the Auditor by Special<br>Resolution at any time before the expiration<br>of his term of office and shall, by Ordinary<br>Resolution, at that meeting appoint another<br>Auditor in his stead for the remainder of his<br>term.  | 186(b) | The Shareholders may, at any general meeting<br>convened and held in accordance with these<br>Articles, remove the Auditor by <b>Ordinary</b><br><del>Special</del> Resolution at any time before the<br>expiration of his term of office and shall, by<br>Ordinary Resolution, at that meeting appoint<br>another Auditor in his stead for the remainder of<br>his term.   |
| 200    | If the Company shall be wound up (whether<br>the liquidation be voluntary or by the court) the<br>liquidator may, with the authority of a Special<br>Resolution and any other sanction required by the<br>Companies Act, divide among the Shareholders<br>in specie or kind the whole or any part of the<br>assets of the Company whether the assets shall<br>consist of property of one kind or shall consist<br>of properties of different kinds and the liquidator<br>may, for such purpose, set such value as he<br>deems fair upon any one or more class or classes<br>of property to be divided as aforesaid and may<br>determine how such division shall be carried out<br>as between the Shareholders or different classes<br>of Shareholders and the Shareholders within each<br>class. The liquidator may, with the like authority,<br>vest any part of the assets in trustees upon such<br>trusts for the benefit of Shareholders as the<br>liquidator, with the like authority, shall think fit,<br>but so that no Shareholder shall be compelled<br>to accept any Shares or other assets upon which<br>there is a liability. | 200    | If the Company shall be wound up (whether<br>the liquidation be voluntary or by the court) the<br>liquidator may, with the authority of a Special<br>Resolution and any other sanction required by<br>the Companies Act, <b>apply the assets of the</b><br><b>Company in such manner and order as he<br/>thinks fit in satisfaction of creditors' claims,</b><br>divide among the Shareholders in specie or<br>kind the whole or any part of the assets of the<br>Company whether the assets shall consist of<br>property of one kind or shall consist of properties<br>of different kinds and the liquidator may, for<br>such purpose, set such value as he deems fair<br>upon any one or more class or classes of property<br>to be divided as aforesaid and may determine<br>how such division shall be carried out as<br>between the Shareholders or different classes of<br>Shareholders and the Shareholders within each<br>class. The liquidator may, with the like authority,<br>vest any part of the assets in trustees upon such<br>trusts for the benefit of Shareholders as the<br>liquidator, with the like authority, shall think fit,<br>but so that no Shareholder shall be compelled<br>to accept any Shares or other assets upon which<br>there is a liability. |