

*Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited take no responsibility for the contents of this notice, make no representation as to its accuracy or completeness and expressly disclaim any liability whatsoever for any loss howsoever arising from or in reliance upon the whole or any part of the contents of this notice.*



**GBA HOLDINGS LIMITED**

**GBA集團有限公司**

*(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)*

**(Stock Code: 00261)**

## **NOTICE OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the annual general meeting (the “**AGM**”) of GBA Holdings Limited (the “**Company**”) will be held at 1/F, Function Room, 7–9 Minden Avenue, Tsimshatsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong on Thursday, 8 June 2023 at 11:00 am. for the following purposes:

### **ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS**

#### **As Ordinary Business**

1. To receive, consider and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements of the Group, the reports of the directors (the “**Directors**”) and the auditors for the year ended 31 December 2022.
2.
  - (a) To re-elect Mr. Yuk Kai Yao as an executive Director of the Company and the board of Directors be authorised to fix his Director’s remuneration;
  - (b) To re-elect Ms. Wu Wai Shan as an independent non-executive Director of the Company and the board of Directors be authorised to fix her Director’s remuneration;
  - (c) To re-elect Mr. Lau Yik Lok as an independent non-executive Director of the Company and the board of Directors be authorised to fix his Director’s remuneration;
  - (d) To re-elect Mr. Leung Gar-Gene Vincent as an independent non-executive Director of the Company and the board of Directors be authorised to fix his Director’s remuneration;
3. To re-appoint Crowe(HK) CPA Limited as auditors and to authorise the board (the “**Board**”) of Directors to fix the remuneration of the auditors.

### **As Special Business**

4. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution of the Company:

**“THAT:**

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to buy back issued shares in the share capital of the Company subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited or of any other stock exchange as amended from time to time be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) above shall be in addition to any other authorisation given to the Directors and shall authorise the Directors on behalf of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) to procure the Company to buy back its shares at a price determined by the directors of the Company;
- (c) the total number of shares of the Company to be bought back by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the total number of shares of the Company in issue as at the date of passing of this resolution, and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (d) for the purposes of this resolution:

**“Relevant Period”** means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by applicable laws or the Company’s bye-laws to be held; and
- (iii) the date upon which the authority set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by way of an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in a general meeting.”

5. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution of the Company:

**“THAT:**

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional new shares in the share capital of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements, options and rights of exchange or conversion which might require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) above shall be in addition to any other authorisation given to the Directors and shall authorise the Directors on behalf of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) to make or grant offers, agreements, options and rights of exchange or conversion which would or might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined);
- (c) the total number of shares of the Company allotted or issued or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted or issued (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to the approval granted in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined); or (ii) the exercise of options granted under any share option scheme or similar arrangement adopted by the Company; or (iii) any scrip dividend or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on the shares of the Company in accordance with the bye-laws of the Company from time to time, shall not exceed 20 per cent. of the total number of shares of the Company in issue as at the date of passing of this resolution, and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (d) for the purposes of this resolution:

**“Relevant Period”** shall have the same meaning as that ascribed to it under resolution no. 4 as set out in the notice convening the annual general meeting of which this resolution forms part; and

**“Rights Issue”** means an offer of shares open for a period fixed by the directors of the Company to the holders of shares of the Company on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the directors of the Company may deem necessary or expedient in

relation to the fractional entitlements or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of any relevant jurisdiction, or the requirements of any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange, in any territory outside Hong Kong).”

6. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution of the Company:

“**THAT** conditional upon the passing of the resolutions nos. 4 and 5 as set out in the notice convening the annual general meeting of which this resolution forms part, the general mandate granted to the Directors pursuant to the resolution no. 5 as set out in the notice convening the annual general meeting of which this resolution forms part be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto of an amount representing the total number of shares of the Company to be bought back by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to the resolution no. 4 as set out in the notice convening the annual general meeting of which this resolution forms part, provided that such amount shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the total number of shares of the Company in issue as at the date of passing of this resolution.”

#### **SPECIAL RESOLUTION**

7. To consider as special business and, if though fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as special resolution of the Company:

“**THAT:**

- (a) the proposed amendments (the “**Proposed Amendments**”) to the existing bye-laws of the Company (the “**Existing Bye-Laws**”), the details of which are set out in Appendix III to the circular of the Company dated 26 April 2023, be and are hereby approved;
- (b) the amended and restated bye-laws of the Company (the “**New Bye-Laws**”), which contains all the Proposed Amendments and a copy of which has been produced to the AGM and marked “A” and initialled by the chairman of the AGM, be and is hereby approved and adopted in substitution for and to the exclusion of the Existing Bye-Laws with immediate effect after the close of the AGM; and

- (c) any director or company secretary of the Company be and is hereby authorised to do all such acts, deeds and things and execute all such documents and make all such arrangements that he/she shall, in his/her absolute discretion, deem necessary or expedient to give effect to the Proposed Amendments and the adoption of the New Bye-Laws, including without limitation, attending to the necessary filings with the Registrar of Companies in Bermuda and Hong Kong.”

By Order of the Board of  
**GBA HOLDINGS LIMITED**  
**Ong Chor Wei**  
*Chairman*

Hong Kong, 26 April 2023

*Notes:*

- (1) The register of members of the Company will be closed from Friday, 2 June 2023 to Thursday, 8 June 2023 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of share(s) will be effected. In order to determine the eligibility to attend and vote at the AGM, all transfer of share(s), accompanied by the relevant share certificate(s) with the properly completed transfer form(s) either overleaf or separately, must be lodged with the branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, 1 June 2023.
- (2) Any shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the AGM or at any adjourned meeting thereof (as the case may be) is entitled to appoint another person as his/her proxy to attend and vote instead of him/her. A shareholder who is the holder of two or more shares may appoint not more than two proxies (who must be an individual or individuals) to attend and vote instead of him/her on the same occasion or if a recognised clearing house (or its nominee) is a shareholder of the Company, it may appoint the number of person(s) to act as its proxy or proxies not exceeding the number of shares held by it. A proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company but must attend the AGM or any adjourned meeting thereof (as the case may be) in person to represent him/her.
- (3) In order to be valid, a form of proxy in the prescribed form together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed, or a notarially certified copy of such power or authority, must be lodged with the branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong not later than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM (i.e. not later than 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, 6 June 2023, Hong Kong time) or any adjourned meeting thereof (as the case may be). Such prescribed form of proxy for use at the AGM is also published on the websites of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited at [www.hkexnews.hk](http://www.hkexnews.hk) and the Company at [www.gbaholdings.com/](http://www.gbaholdings.com/).
- (4) Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude shareholders from attending and voting in person at the AGM or at any adjourned meeting thereof (as the case may be) should they so wish, and in such event, the form of proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

- (5) Where there are joint registered holders of any share(s), any one of such joint holders may attend and vote at the AGM or at any adjourned meeting thereof (as the case may be), either in person or by proxy, in respect of such share(s) as if he/she was solely entitled thereto, but if more than one of such joint holders are present at the AGM or at any adjourned meeting thereof (as the case may be), the most senior shall alone be entitled to vote, whether in person or by proxy. For this purpose, seniority shall be determined by the order in which the names stand in the register of members of the Company in respect of the joint holding.
- (6) With respect to the resolution set out in resolution no. 2 of this notice Mr. Yuk Kai Yao, Ms. Wu Wai Shan, Mr. Lau Yik Lok and Mr. Leung Gar-Gene Vincent will retire and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election at the AGM. Biographical details of the above directors are set out in the circular of the Company which will be sent to the shareholders of the Company in due course.
- (7) With respect to the resolution set out in resolution no. 4 of this notice, approval is being sought from the shareholders for the general mandate to be given to the directors to buy back the shares of the Company. A circular containing an explanatory statement with further information with respect to such resolution will be sent to the shareholders of the Company in due course.
- (8) With respect to the resolutions set out in resolutions nos. 5 and 6 of this notice, approval is being sought from the shareholders for the general mandates to be given to the directors to allot, issue and deal with new shares of the Company in accordance with the Listing Rules on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited.

*As at the date of this notice, the executive Directors are Mr. Ong Chor Wei and Mr. Yuk Kai Yao and the independent non-executive Directors are Ms. Wu Wai Shan, Mr. Lau Yik Lok and Mr. Leung Gar-gene, Vincent.*