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## DELAY IN DESPATCH OF CIRCULAR IN RELATION TO THE DEBT C SETTLEMENT ARRANGEMENT

Reference is made to the announcement of China Tonghai International Financial Limited (the "Company") dated 28 April 2023 (the "Debt C Announcement") and the announcement of the Company dated 29 May 2023 (the "Debt C Update Announcement") in relation to the settlement arrangement entered by the Company, Quam Overseas Investments Limited, China Oceanwide Holdings Group Co., Ltd. and Tonghai International Development Limited in relation to Debt C. Capitalised terms used herein shall have the same meanings as those defined in the Debt C Announcement and Debt C Update Announcement unless the context requires otherwise.

Reference is also made to the joint announcement issued by the Company and Quam Tonghai Holdings Limited (the "Offeror") dated 15 September 2022, 3 February 2023 and 3 May 2023 in relation to the deed of share purchase dated 15 September 2022 entered into among Messrs. TSUI Chi Chiu and SO Kit Yee Anita of Ernst & Young Transactions Limited, Oceanwide Holdings IF and the Offeror relating to the sale and purchase of the 4,098,510,000 Shares and the mandatory unconditional cash offer made by Haitong International Securities Company Limited and Red Sun Capital Limited, on behalf of the Offeror, to acquire all the issued shares in the Company (other than those already owned or agreed to be acquired by the Offeror and parties acting in concert with it (other than Oceanwide Holdings IF, China Oceanwide Group Limited, Oceanwide Holdings Co., Ltd.\* (泛海控股股份有限公司), Oceanwide Energy Holdings Co., Ltd.\* (泛海集團有限公司),

Tohigh Holdings Co., Ltd.\* (通海控股有限公司), Mr. LU Zhiqiang, Ms. LU Xiaoyun and Nautical League Limited) (the "Offer"). The Offer was completed on 3 May 2023. As at the date of this announcement, the Offeror and parties acting in concert with it (other than the Vendor Group) were interested in 4,329,882,404 Shares (of which 4,216,809,571 Shares were held by the Offeror and 113,072,833 Shares were held by Mr. LAM), representing approximately 69.87% of all the issued Shares.

## DELAY IN DESPATCH OF CIRCULAR

As disclosed in the Debt C Update Announcement, given the Debt C Settlement Arrangement constitutes a major transaction under the Listing Rules and a special deal under Rule 25 of the Takeovers Code, the Company will include in one circular (the "**Circular**"), among other things, (i) information of the terms of the Settlement Agreement; (ii) a letter from the Independent Board Committee in respect of the Debt C Settlement Arrangement; (iii) a letter from the Independent Financial Adviser to the Independent Board Committee and the Independent Shareholders containing its advice and recommendation on the Debt C Settlement Arrangement in compliance with the relevant requirement under the Listing Rules and the Takeovers Code; (iv) the financial information of the Group; (v) the audited financial information of the Target Companies; (vi) the unaudited pro forma financial information of the Group; (vii) the Valuation Report prepared by Masterpiece Valuation Advisory Limited; and (viii) a notice convening the SGM will be despatched to the Shareholders on or before 23 June 2023.

As additional time is required for (i) the Independent Financial Adviser to finalise the letter of advice to the Independent Board Committee and the Independent Shareholders in respect of the Debt C Settlement Arrangement; and (ii) the finalisation of the content of the Circular, it is expected that the despatch date of the Circular will be postponed to a date falling on or before 28 June 2023.

## WARNING

As the Debt C Settlement Arrangement may or may not be completed, Shareholders and other investors are reminded to exercise caution in dealing in the securities of the Company.

On behalf of the Board China Tonghai International Financial Limited HAN Xiaosheng Co-Chairman

Hong Kong, 23 June 2023

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises:

Executive Directors:Independent Non-executive Directors:Mr. HAN Xiaosheng (Co-Chairman)Mr. Roy LO Wa KeiMr. LIU HongweiMr. LIU JipengMr. Kenneth LAM Kin Hing (Co-Chairman)Mr. LIU JipengMr. LAM Wai HonMr. LAM Wai Hon

*Non-executive Director:* Mr. FANG Zhou

The Directors jointly and severally accept full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in this announcement and confirm, having made all reasonable inquiries, that to the best of their knowledge, opinions expressed in this announcement have been arrived at after due and careful consideration and there are no other facts not contained in this announcement, the omission of which would make any statement contained in this announcement misleading.

\* The English name is a transliteration of the relevant Chinese name and are included here for identification purposes only