Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited take no responsibility for the contents of this announcement, 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 announcement.



(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability) (Stock Code: 1025)

## **REDUCTION IN LOSS**

This announcement is made by KNT Holdings Limited (the "**Company**", together with its subsidiaries, the "**Group**") pursuant to Rule 13.09(2)(a) of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "**Listing Rules**") and the Inside Information Provisions (as defined under the Listing Rules) under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

The board of directors (the "**Board**") of the Company wishes to inform the shareholders of the Company (the "**Shareholders**") and potential investors that, based on the preliminary assessment on the unaudited consolidated management accounts of the Group for the six months ended 30 September 2023, the Group is expected to record a loss of approximately HK\$14.6 million for the six months ended 30 September 2023, as compared to a loss of approximately HK\$18.1 million for the six months ended 30 September 2022.

Based on the information currently available, the expected decrease in loss was mainly attributable to the net effect of (i) the decrease in administrative expenses and selling and distribution expenses of the Group for the six months ended 30 September 2023 as compared with the corresponding period in 2022 due to cost control measures implemented in 2023; (ii) the decrease in impairment loss recognised in respect of property, plant and equipment; (iii) the decrease in gross profit; and (iv) the increase in share of losses of the associates.

\* For identification purpose only

The information contained in this announcement is only based on the preliminary review by the Board on the unaudited consolidated management accounts of the Group for the six months ended 30 September 2023 and other information currently available, which have yet to be finalised and have not been reviewed by the audit committee of the Board and may be subject to adjustments. Shareholders and potential investors of the Company are advised to read carefully the interim results announcement of the Company for the six months ended 30 September 2023, which is expected to be published on 30 November 2023.

Shareholders and potential investors of the Company are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the securities of the Company.

By Order of the Board **KNT Holdings Limited Chong Sik** Chairman and Executive Director

Hong Kong, 17 November 2023

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises four executive directors, namely, Mr. Chong Sik, Mr. Chong Pun, Mr. Lam Chi Yuen and Dr. Dong Bin; one non-executive director, namely, Mr. Hu Shilin; and four independent non-executive directors, namely, Mr. Leung Martin Oh Man, Mr. Lau Koong Yep, Mr. Yuen King Sum and Mr. Lau Kwok Fan.