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CHINA ART FINANCIAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

中國藝術金融控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock code: 1572)

PROFIT WARNING

This announcement is made by China Art Financial Holdings Limited (the "Company", together with its subsidiaries, the "Group") pursuant to Rule 13.09 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 in the Listing Rules) under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (the "SFO") (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

The board of directors (the "**Director(s)**") of the Company (the "**Board**") wishes to inform shareholders of the Company (the "**Shareholders**") and potential investors that, based on a preliminary review by the Board on the latest unaudited consolidated management accounts of the Group, which have not been reviewed or audited by the independent auditors and/or the audit committee of the Company, and taking into consideration of the information currently available to the Board, the Group is likely to record a reduction in net profit for the year ended 31 December 2023 in the range of 30% to 40% as compared to the corresponding period in 2022 which recorded a net profit of approximately RMB14.6 million (the "**Profit Warning**"). The expected reduction in profit is mainly attributable to decrease in the interest revenue from art and asset pawn business, and increase in operating expenses of the Group.

The information contained in this announcement is only based on the information currently available to the Company and a preliminary review by the Board on the unaudited consolidated management accounts of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2023, which have not been reviewed or audited by the independent auditors and/or the audit committee of the Company. The actual financial results of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2023 may differ from what is disclosed in this announcement. Shareholders and potential investors are advised to read carefully about the announcement of the Company for the annual results for the year ended 31 December 2023, which is expected to be published by the end of March 2024 in accordance with the requirements of the Listing Rules.

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

By Order of the Board CHINA ART FINANCIAL HOLDINGS LIMITED Fan Zhixin

Co-Chairman and Executive Director

Hong Kong, 19 March 2024

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises (1) Mr. Fan Zhixin (Co-Chairman) as the executive Director, (2) Mr. Chen Yunwei and Mr. Tian Rui (Co-Chairman) as the non-executive Directors and (3) Mr. Leung Shu Sun, Sunny, Ms. Shao Qiongqiong and Ms. Yin Xuhong as the independent non-executive Directors.