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## **CHAMPION HOLDING (BVI) CO., LTD**

*(incorporated in the British Virgin Islands with limited liability)*

**PRE-CONDITIONAL VOLUNTARY GENERAL CASH OFFER BY  
SHENWAN HONGYUAN CAPITAL (H.K.) LIMITED  
ON BEHALF OF CHAMPION HOLDING (BVI) CO., LTD  
TO ACQUIRE ALL THE ISSUED SHARES OF  
CPMC HOLDINGS LIMITED (OTHER THAN  
THOSE ALREADY OWNED OR AGREED TO BE ACQUIRED BY  
THE OFFEROR OR PARTIES ACTING IN CONCERT WITH IT)  
APPROVAL FROM SAFE AND ANTITRUST  
APPROVAL FROM VIETNAM COMPETITION COMMISSION**

**Financial adviser to the Offeror**



**Shenwan Hongyuan Capital (H.K.) Limited**

Reference is made to (i) the joint announcement issued by Champion HOLDING (BVI) CO., LTD (the “**Offeror**”) and CPMC Holdings Limited (“**CPMC**”) dated 6 December 2023 pursuant to Rule 3.5 of the Takeovers Code (the “**3.5 Announcement**”), (ii) the announcement issued by the Offeror dated 27 December 2023 in relation to the delay in despatch of the offer document, (iii) the monthly update announcements issued by the Offeror dated 26 January 2024 and 22 March 2024, and (iv) the update announcements issued by the Offeror dated 19 February 2024, 23 February 2024, 15 April 2024 and 26 April 2024 in relation to obtaining of approval from SASAC, MOFCOM, NDRC and Germany Federal Cartel Office, respectively. Unless otherwise defined, capitalised terms used herein shall have the same meanings as those defined in the 3.5 Announcement.

As disclosed in the 3.5 Announcement, the making of the Offer is subject to the satisfaction of the Pre-Conditions (as the case may require) by the Pre-Conditions Long Stop Date. As at the date of this announcement, in addition to the approval obtained from SASAC, MOFCOM and NDRC and the official unconditional antitrust clearance decision from Germany Federal Cartel Office, respectively, the Offeror has also obtained the approval from SAFE and the unconditional clearance decision from Vietnam Competition Commission in connection with the Offer. The Pre-Conditions regarding receipt of antitrust clearance from SAMR currently remain to be satisfied. Save as disclosed above, there are no further updates on the fulfilment of the Pre-Conditions. The Offeror will continue to work towards satisfaction of the Pre-Conditions.

Further announcement(s) will be made by the Offeror on the latest status of the Offer and the timing of despatch of the offer document as and when appropriate.

**WARNING: The Pre-Conditions must be satisfied before the making of the Offer. The making of the Offer is therefore a possibility only and all references to the Offer in this announcement are references to the possible Offer which will be implemented if and only if the Pre-Conditions are satisfied. Shareholders and potential investors of CPMC should note that there is no assurance that the Offer will proceed. The Offer may or may not become unconditional and will lapse if it does not become unconditional. The Offeror will publish announcement(s) to update the status of the Offer as and when appropriate. Shareholders and potential investors of CPMC are therefore advised to exercise caution when dealing in the securities of CPMC, and if they are in any doubt about their position, they should consult their professional adviser(s).**

By order of the sole director of  
**CHAMPION HOLDING (BVI) CO., LTD**  
**Li Jiantao**  
*Sole Director*

Hong Kong, 16 May 2024

*As at the date of this announcement, (i) the directors of Baowu are Mr. Hu Wangming, Mr. Hou Angui, Mr. Tang Fuping, Mr. Luo Jianchuan, Mr. Cheng Daoran, Mr. Hu Zhanghong and Mr. Zhang Helei; (ii) the directors of Changping Industrial are Ms. Lu Qiaoling, Mr. Li Jiantao, Mr. Zhang Xiaojun, Mr. Xiao Linxing and Ms. Zong Yuran; and (iii) the sole director of the Offeror is Mr. Li Jiantao.*

*The directors of Baowu and Changping Industrial and the sole director of the Offeror jointly and severally accept full responsibility for the accuracy of 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 in this announcement misleading.*