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VOLUNTARY ANNOUNCEMENT

ALIBABA GROUP ANNOUNCES INCLUSION OF ITS ORDINARY SHARES IN THE SHANGHAI-HONG KONG STOCK CONNECT AND THE SHENZHEN-HONG KONG STOCK CONNECT PROGRAMS

Alibaba Group Holding Limited ("Alibaba Group" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that the Company's ordinary shares, which trade on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange, have been included in the Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect and the Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect programs, both effective on September 10, 2024, pursuant to the announcements made by the Shanghai Stock Exchange and the Shenzhen Stock Exchange, respectively. Following its inclusion, eligible investors in Mainland China will have direct access to the trading of the Company's ordinary shares.

About Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect

The Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect established a two-way trading link between the Shanghai Stock Exchange and the Hong Kong Stock Exchange. The stock connect allows qualified Mainland Chinese investors to access eligible Hong Kong shares (Southbound) as well as Hong Kong and overseas investors to trade eligible A-shares (Northbound) subject to a certain amount of daily quota.

About Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect

The Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect is a mutual stock market access mechanism between Mainland China and Hong Kong, under which the Shenzhen Stock Exchange and the Hong Kong Stock Exchange have established technical connectivity to enable investors in Mainland China and Hong Kong to trade eligible shares listed on each other's market through their local securities companies or brokers.

By order of the Board
Alibaba Group Holding Limited
Kevin Jinwei ZHANG
Secretary

Hong Kong, September 9, 2024

As at the date of this announcement, our board of directors comprises Mr. Joseph C. TSAI as the chairman, Mr. Eddie Yongming WU, Mr. J. Michael EVANS and Ms. Maggie Wei WU as directors, and Mr. Jerry YANG, Ms. Wan Ling MARTELLO, Mr. Weijian SHAN, Ms. Irene Yun-Lien LEE, Mr. Albert Kong Ping NG and Mr. Kabir MISRA as independent directors.