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HASHKEY

HashKey Holdings Limited

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 3887)

VOLUNTARY ANNOUNCEMENT IN RELATION TO THE INVESTMENT IN SIGNALPLUS

This announcement is made by HashKey Holdings Limited (the “**Company**”, together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) on a voluntary basis to inform shareholders and potential investors of the Company regarding the latest business development of the Group.

THE INVESTMENT

The board of directors (the “**Board**”) of the Company is pleased to announce that, recently, HashKey Fintech Multi-Strategy Fund IV LP (the “**Fund**”, which is not a member of the Group), managed by HashKey Capital Investment (the asset management arm of the Group) has entered into an investment agreement (the “**Agreement**”) with SignalPlus. Pursuant to the Agreement, the Fund has led the Series B+ investment of SignalPlus (the “**Investment**”) with a cash investment of US\$40 million, of which the Group contributed US\$20 million in cash.

REASONS FOR AND BENEFITS OF THE INVESTMENT

SignalPlus is a leading institutional-grade infrastructure platform in the crypto derivatives space, focusing on option trading systems, automated market-making, and structured product solutions. Currently, its services are deeply integrated into the global mainstream crypto options markets, holding a leading market share in Asia. Fund managed by the Group was the lead investor in the seed round of SignalPlus, supporting its development from an early stage and continuously making follow-on investments in subsequent stages. The Investment not only represents a further deepening of the long-term partnership between both parties, but also reflects the Company’s continued recognition of SignalPlus’s technical capabilities, market position, and industry prospects.

Leveraging on the Investment and the strategic cooperation, the Group and SignalPlus will consolidate their respective industry chain layouts in the digital asset space and strengths in derivatives trading technology to jointly expand the global institutional services market, thereby enhancing the strategic competitiveness and influence of both parties in the global digital asset derivatives ecosystem.

IMPLICATIONS UNDER THE LISTING RULES

To the best of the knowledge, information and belief of the Directors, the Investment does not constitute a notifiable transaction or connected transaction of the Company under the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited.

INFORMATION ON THE COMPANY

HashKey Holdings Limited is a mature, comprehensive digital asset company in Asia with a global footprint, building a digital asset ecosystem by providing end-to-end financial infrastructure, technology and investment management. The Company provides trading facilitation services, on-chain services and asset management services through its licensed digital asset platforms.

By order of the Board
HashKey Holdings Limited
Dr. Xiao Feng
*Chairman of the Board, Executive Director
and Chief Executive Officer*

Hong Kong, May 20, 2026

As at the date of this announcement: (i) Dr. Xiao Feng is an executive Director; (ii) Mr. Lu Weiding is a non-executive Director; and (iii) Mr. Chan Jessey Ting, Ms. Lin Lynn Zhihong and Mr. Huang Sidney Xuande are independent non-executive Directors.