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## HONG WEI (ASIA) HOLDINGS COMPANY LIMITED

鴻偉(亞洲)控股有限公司

(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 8191)

# GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND REPURCHASE SHARES, RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS, AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening the annual general meeting (the "AGM") to be held at 1804A, 18/F, Tower 1, Admiralty Centre, 18 Harcourt Road, Admiralty, Hong Kong, on Friday, 26 May 2017 at 10:30 a.m. is set out in this circular. A form of proxy for use at the AGM is also enclosed with this circular. Whether or not you intend to attend the AGM, you are requested to complete the enclosed form of proxy and return it in accordance with the instructions printed thereon as soon as possible to the Company's share registrar and transfer office, Tricor Investor Services Limited at Level 22, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong, and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM (i.e., not later than 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, 24 May 2017) or any adjournment thereof. The completion and delivery of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting at the AGM or any adjournment if you so wish.

This circular, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the GEM Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Company. The Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that, to the best of their knowledge and belief, the information contained in this circular is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this circular misleading.

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#### CHARACTERISTICS OF GEM

GEM has been positioned as a market designed to accommodate companies to which a higher investment risk may be attached than other companies listed on the Stock Exchange. Prospective investors should be aware of the potential risks of investing in such companies and should make the decision to invest only after due and careful consideration. The greater risk profile and other characteristics of GEM mean that it is a market more suited to professional and other sophisticated investors.

Given the emerging nature of companies listed on GEM, there is a risk that securities traded on GEM may be more susceptible to high market volatility than securities traded on the Main Board and no assurance is given that there will be a liquid market in the securities traded on GEM.

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#### **DEFINITIONS**

In this circular, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the following meanings:

"AGM" the annual general meeting of the Company to be held at

1804A, 18/F, Tower 1, Admiralty Centre, 18 Harcourt Road, Admiralty, Hong Kong on Friday, 26 May 2017 at

10:30 a.m.

"AGM Notice" the notice convening the AGM as set out on pages 17 to 21

of this circular

"Articles" or "Articles of

Association"

the articles of association of the Company

"Board" the board of Directors

"Close associate(s)" has the meaning ascribed to it under the GEM Listing Rules

"Company" Hong Wei (Asia) Holdings Company Limited (鴻偉(亞洲)

控股有限公司), a company incorporated in Hong Kong

with limited liability on 28 May 2012

"Controlling Shareholder" has the meaning ascribed to it under the GEM Listing Rules

"Core connected person(s)" has the meaning ascribed to it under the GEM Listing Rules

"Director(s)" director(s) of the Company

"GEM" the Growth Enterprise Market of the Stock Exchange

"GEM Listing Rules" The Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on GEM (as

amended from time to time)

"Group" the Company and its subsidiary

"Hongwei (Renhua)" 鴻偉木業(仁化)有限公司 (Hongwei Wooden Products

(Renhua) Co. Ltd.), a wholly foreign-owned enterprise established in the PRC on 12 May 2003 and a 100% owned

subsidiary of our Company

#### **DEFINITIONS**

"Issue Mandate" a general mandate authorizing the Directors to allot, issue and deal with the Shares of the Company not exceeding 20% of the total number of issued shares as at 30 June 2016, being the date on which such issue mandate was granted by Shareholders, plus the aggregate number of shares repurchased by the Company under the Repurchase Mandate (if any) "Latest Practicable Date" 20 April 2017, being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this circular for ascertaining certain information in this circular "Mr. Wong" Mr. Wong Cheung Lok, the chairman of the Board, an executive Director, chief executive officer and a Controlling Shareholder of the Company, and also the spouse of Mrs. Wong "Mrs. Wong" Ms. Cheung Ngar Kwan, an executive Director and the spouse of Mr. Wong "PRC" The People's Republic of China "Proposed Extension Mandate" to extend the Proposed Issue Mandate to the Directors to issue and allot additional Shares by adding the number of Shares repurchased by the Company under the Proposed Repurchase Mandate "Proposed Issue Mandate" a general mandate to the Directors to allot, issue and deal with Shares of the Company not exceeding 20% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing of the proposed ordinary resolution contained in item 4(A) of the notice of AGM as set out in pages 17 to 21 of this circular "Proposed Repurchase a general mandate to the Directors to repurchase Shares of Mandate" the Company not exceeding 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing of the proposed ordinary resolution contained in item 4(B) of the notice of AGM as set out in pages 17 to 21 of this circular "Repurchase Mandate" a general mandate authorizing the Directors to repurchase the Shares of the Company on the Stock Exchange not exceeding 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at 30 June 2016, being the date on which such repurchase

Laws of Hong Kong)

"SFO"

mandate was granted by Shareholders

the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the

#### **DEFINITIONS**

"Share(s)" ordinary share(s) in the share capital of the Company or if

there is a subsequent subdivision or consolidation of the share capital of the Company, shares forming part of the equity share capital of the Company after such subdivision

or consolidation

"Shareholders" the holder(s) of the Share(s)

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"Takeovers Code" The Hong Kong Code on Takeovers and Mergers

"Zhangzhou Hongwei" 漳州鴻偉木業有限公司(Zhangzhou Hongwei Woods

Industry Co., Ltd.), a wholly foreign-owned enterprise established in the PRC on 11 November 1993 and used to be owned by Mr. Wong as to 60% and by Mrs. Wong as to 40% but subsequently disposed to an independent third party by Mr. Wong and Mrs. Wong respectively on 22

November 2012

All times and dates referred to in this circular refer to Hong Kong local times and dates.



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Mr. Wong Cheung Lok (Chairman)

Ms. Cheung Ngar Kwan

Ms. Huang Xiuyan

Mr. Liu Jiayong

Non-executive Director:

Mr. Lai Ming Wai

Independent non-executive Directors:

Dr. Chow Ho Wan, Owen

Dr. Xu Jianmin

Ms. Qian Xiaoyu

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Hong Kong

24 April 2017

To the Shareholders

Dear Sirs or Madams,

## GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND REPURCHASE SHARES, RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS, AND NOTICE OF AGM

#### INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this circular is to provide the Shareholders with information regarding the following matters to be put forward at the AGM for Shareholders' consideration and, if thought fit, approval of, among other things:

- (i) the grant of the Proposed Issue Mandate to the Directors;
- (ii) the grant of the Proposed Repurchase Mandate to the Directors;
- (iii) the grant of the Proposed Extension Mandate to the Directors; and
- (iv) the re-election of Directors.

#### **GENERAL MANDATES**

On 30 June 2016, resolutions were passed by Shareholders for the grant of the Issue Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate, and all of the above aforesaid mandates will expire at the conclusion of the AGM. As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Company had 832,603,100 Shares in issue.

#### (a) Proposed Issue Mandate

An ordinary resolution will be proposed at the AGM to approve the grant of the Proposed Issue Mandate, which if granted, will allow the Directors to allot, issue and deal with further Shares up to 20% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing the relevant resolution.

Subject to the passing of the ordinary resolution approving the Proposed Issue Mandate and on the basis that no Shares are issued or repurchased prior to the AGM, the exercise of the Proposed Issue Mandate in full would enable the Company to issue a maximum of 166,520,620 Shares. The grant of the Proposed Issue Mandate will provide the Directors with flexibility to issue Shares when it is in the interest of the Company to do so. As of the Latest Practicable Date, there was no present intention to issue any Shares of the Company pursuant to the Proposed Issue Mandate if it is granted by the Shareholders at the AGM.

#### (b) Proposed Repurchase Mandate

An ordinary resolution will be proposed at the AGM to approve the grant of the Proposed Repurchase Mandate, which if granted, will allow the Directors to exercise all the powers of the Company to repurchase its own Shares not exceeding 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing the relevant resolution.

Subject to the passing of the ordinary resolution approving the Proposed Repurchase Mandate and on the basis that no Shares are issued or repurchased prior to the AGM, the exercise of the Proposed Repurchase Mandate in full would enable the Company to repurchase a maximum of 83,260,310 Shares. As of the Latest Practicable Date, there was no present intention for any repurchase of Shares pursuant to the Proposed Repurchase Mandate if it is granted by the Shareholders at the AGM.

#### (c) Proposed Extension Mandate

An ordinary resolution will be proposed at the AGM to approve the extension of the Proposed Issue Mandate to include the total number of such Shares (if any) repurchased under the Proposed Repurchase Mandate provided that such amount shall not exceed 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing the resolution.

Subject to the passing of the relevant ordinary resolutions at the AGM, the Proposed Issue Mandate, the Proposed Repurchase Mandate and the Proposed Extension Mandate will continue to be in force until the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company immediately after the AGM;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Articles of Association or any applicable laws to be held; and
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under the corresponding resolution as set out in the AGM Notice by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in a general meeting of the Company.

An explanatory statement containing the particulars required by the GEM Listing Rules to enable the Shareholders to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the resolution to be proposed at the AGM in relation to the Proposed Repurchase Mandate is set out in Appendix I to this circular.

#### RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Board comprises eight Directors, namely Mr. Wong Cheung Lok, Ms. Cheung Ngar Kwan, Ms. Huang Xiuyan, Mr. Liu Jiayong, Mr. Lai Ming Wai, Dr. Chow Ho Wan, Owen, Dr. Xu Jianmin, and Ms. Qian Xiaoyu.

The Articles of the Company provides that, at each annual general meeting one third of the Directors for the time being, or, if their number is not three or a multiple of three, then the number nearest to but not less than one-third, shall retire from office by rotation provided that every Director shall be subject to retirement by rotation at least once every three years. The Directors to retire in every year shall be those who have been longest in office since their last election but as between persons who became Directors on the same day those to retire shall (unless they otherwise agree between themselves) be determined by lot. The retiring Directors shall be eligible for re-election. Dr. Chow Ho Wan, Owen, who was appointed as a Director with effect from 1 August 2016, will hold office until the AGM and be eligible for re-election at the AGM. He will not be taken into account in determining the number of Directors who are to retire by rotation at the AGM. Accordingly, Ms. Cheung Ngar Kwan, Ms. Huang Xiuyan, Mr. Liu Jiayong and Dr. Chow Ho Wan, Owen shall retire at the AGM and being eligible, would offer themselves for re-election.

Brief biographical details of Ms. Cheung Ngar Kwan, Ms. Huang Xiuyan, Mr. Liu Jiayong and Dr. Chow Ho Wan, Owen are set out in Appendix II to this circular.

#### **AGM**

The AGM will be held at 1804A, 18/F, Tower 1, Admiralty Centre, 18 Harcourt Road, Admiralty, Hong Kong on Friday, 26 May 2017 at 10:30 a.m. The AGM Notice is set out on pages 17 to 21 of this circular.

A form of proxy for use at the AGM is enclosed with this circular. Whether or not you intend to attend and vote at the AGM in person, you are requested to complete and return the accompanying form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it to the Company's share registrar and transfer office, Tricor Investor Services Limited at Level 22, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM (i.e., not later than 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, 24 May 2017) or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the proxy form will not preclude you from attending and voting at the AGM or any adjourned meeting thereof should you so wish.

#### **CLOSURE OF REGISTER OF MEMBERS**

For the purpose of determining the entitlements of the Shareholders to attend and vote at the AGM, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, 23 May 2017 to Friday, 26 May 2017 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of Shares will be registered. In order to be entitled to attend and vote at the AGM, all transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's share registrar and transfer office, Tricor Investor Services Limited at Level 22, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong not later than 4:30 p.m. on Monday, 22 May 2017. Shareholders whose names appear on the Company's register of members on Friday, 26 May 2017 will be eligible to attend and vote at the AGM.

#### **VOTING BY POLL**

Pursuant to Rule 17.47(4) of the GEM Listing Rules, any vote of the Shareholders at the AGM must be taken by poll except where the chairman, in good faith, decides to allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter (as defined in the Note to Rule 17.47(4) of the GEM Listing Rules) to be voted on by a show of hands.

#### RECOMMENDATION

The Directors believe that the resolutions proposed at the AGM are in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole, and accordingly, recommend all Shareholders to vote in favor of these resolutions to be proposed at the AGM.

Yours faithfully, On behalf of the Board **Wong Cheung Lok** *Chairman*  This Appendix contains information required under Rule 13.08 of the GEM Listing Rules to be included in an explanatory statement to enable the Shareholders to make an informed view on whether to vote for or against the resolution to be proposed at the AGM in connection with the Proposed Repurchase Mandate.

#### 1. SHAREHOLDERS' APPROVAL

All proposed repurchases of shares by a company with its primary listing on the Stock Exchange must be approved in advance by way of an ordinary resolution, either of a specific approval of a particular transaction or of a general mandate to the directors of the company to make such repurchases.

#### 2. SHARE CAPITAL

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the total number of Shares in issue was 832,603,100 Shares. Subject to the passing of the ordinary resolution approving the Proposed Repurchase Mandate and on the basis that no Shares are issued or repurchased prior to the AGM, the exercise of the Proposed Repurchase Mandate in full would enable the Company to repurchase a maximum of 83,260,310 Shares, representing 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing the resolution, during the period from the date of the passing of the resolution to the earliest of the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company, the date by which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required to be held by the Articles of Association or any applicable laws or the date upon which such authority is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in general meeting ("**Proposed Repurchase Period**").

#### 3. REASONS FOR THE REPURCHASE

The Directors believe that the Proposed Repurchase Mandate is in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders. An exercise of the Proposed Repurchase Mandate (if approved at the AGM) may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net asset value and/or earnings of the Company per Share.

#### 4. SOURCE OF FUNDS

Repurchases of Shares made pursuant to the Proposed Repurchase Mandate must be made out of funds legally available for such purpose in accordance with the Articles of Association, the GEM Listing Rules and the applicable laws of Hong Kong.

There could be an adverse impact on the working capital or gearing position of the Company (as compared with the position disclosed in the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2016) in the event that the Proposed Repurchase Mandate was to be exercised in full at any time during the Proposed Repurchase Period. However, the Directors do not propose to exercise the Proposed Repurchase Mandate to such an extent as would, in the circumstances, have a material adverse effect on the working capital or the gearing position of the Company. The Directors would only exercise the power to repurchase in circumstances where they consider that the repurchase would be in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

#### 5. SHARE PRICES

The following table shows the highest and lowest prices at which the Shares were traded on GEM during each of the previous 12 calendar months prior to the Latest Practicable Date:

	Price per Share	
	Highest	Lowest
	(HK\$)	(HK\$)
2016		
April (note)	_	_
May (note)	_	
June	0.5000	0.3650
July	0.4950	0.3950
August	0.4200	0.3700
September	0.4100	0.3300
October	0.4100	0.3500
November	0.3950	0.3400
December	0.4500	0.3500
2017		
January	0.4300	0.3700
February	0.4300	0.3750
March	0.4050	0.3750
April (up to the Latest Practicable Date)	0.4350	0.3750
April (up to the Latest Fracticable Date)	0.4330	0.5550

Note: Trading in the Shares was suspended in April 2016 and May 2016

#### 6. UNDERTAKING

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange to exercise the power of the Company to make repurchases pursuant to the Proposed Repurchase Mandate in accordance with the GEM Listing Rules, the Articles of Association and the applicable laws in Hong Kong.

#### 7. DIRECTORS, THEIR CLOSE ASSOCIATES AND CORE CONNECTED PERSONS

None of the Directors nor, to the best of their knowledge having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their close associates, has any present intention to sell any Shares to the Company in the event that the Proposed Repurchase Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.

None of the core connected persons of the Company has notified the Company that he has a present intention to sell any Shares to the Company or has undertaken not to do so in the event that the Company is authorized to make repurchases of the Shares.

#### 8. TAKEOVERS CODE AND MINIMUM PUBLIC HOLDING

If as a result of a repurchase of Shares pursuant to the Proposed Repurchase Mandate, a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases, such increase will be treated as an acquisition for the purposes of Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code.

Accordingly, a Shareholder, or group of Shareholders acting in concert, depending on the level of increase of the Shareholders' interest, could obtain or consolidate control of the Company and become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rules 26 and 32 of the Takeovers Code.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Wong Cheung Lok held voting rights in an aggregate of 430,000,000 Shares, representing approximately 51.65% of the total number of Shares in issue (and approximately 57.38% of the total number of Shares in issue if the Proposed Repurchase Mandate is exercised in full and assuming no new Share will be issued during the Proposed Repurchase Period). To the best of the knowledge and belief of the Directors, an exercise of the Proposed Repurchase Mandate in full will not result in Mr. Wong Cheung Lok becoming obliged to make a mandatory general offer under Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code.

The Directors have no present intention to exercise the Proposed Repurchase Mandate to such an extent that would result in the number of Shares held by the public being reduced to less than 25% of the entire issued share capital of the Company.

#### 9. SHARE REPURCHASE MADE BY THE COMPANY

The Company did not repurchase any of its Shares (whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise) during the six months preceding the Latest Practicable Date.

#### BIOGRAPHICAL DETAILS OF DIRECTORS FOR RE-ELECTION

The brief biographical details of the Directors eligible for re-election at the AGM are set out below.

Ms. Cheung Ngar Kwan (張雅鈞), aged 53, is an executive Director and was appointed as an executive Director on 13 December 2013. Mrs. Wong established our Group with Mr. Wong in 2003 and she is primarily responsible for the strategic planning, corporate management and business operation of our Group. Mrs. Wong has accumulated over 15 years of experience in the wood-based panel industry since 1999 when she founded HK Hung Wai Partnership together with Mr. Wong. Mrs. Wong is currently a committee member (常委) of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference of Fujian Zhangzhou (福建省漳州市政協委員), a committee member of the women's commission of Hong Kong Federation of Fujian Association Limited, a standing director of and a deputy head of women's commission of Hong Kong Fukien Sanming Association Limited and a standing director of HK Federation of Fujian Associations. Mrs. Wong is the spouse of Mr. Wong, an executive Director and the chairman of the Board.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mrs. Wong, as the spouse of Mr. Wong, was deemed to be interested in 430,000,000 Shares, representing approximately 51.65% of the total number of Shares in issue. Pursuant to the terms of the service contract entered into between the Company and Mrs. Wong, Mrs. Wong's term of appointment as an executive Director is 3 years with effect from 8 January 2017, subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meetings of the Company pursuant to the Articles of Association, and her basic annual emolument is HKD240,000, which was determined by the Board with reference to her qualification, experience, responsibilities to be undertaken, and the prevailing market level of remuneration of similar position. Either the Company or Mrs. Wong may terminate the said service contract by giving not less than three months' prior notice in writing to the other.

Save as disclosed above, Mrs. Wong did not (i) hold any other positions in the Group, (ii) hold any directorship in any other listed public companies in Hong Kong or other places in the last three years immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date; (iii) have any relationship with any directors, senior management, substantial shareholders or controlling shareholders of the Company and (iv) have any interests in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO as at the Latest Practicable Date.

Save as disclosed above, there are no other matters that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in connection with the re-election of Mrs. Wong as an executive Director nor is there any information required to be disclosed pursuant to Rule 17.50(2) of the GEM Listing Rules.

Ms. Huang Xiuyan (黃秀延), aged 46, is an executive Director, the compliance officer of the Company, and the supervisor of Hongwei (Renhua). Ms. Huang joined our Group in June 2009 and was appointed as an executive Director on 13 December 2013. Ms. Huang is primarily responsible for the internal auditing, internal control and the supervision of business operation of our Group. Between June 2009 and August 2012, Ms. Huang was the chief financial officer of Hongwei (Renhua). Ms. Huang has over 21 years of experience in financial management and internal control in the wood-based panel industry. Before joining our Group, Ms. Huang worked as a chief financial officer in Zhangzhou Hongwei from March 1994 to May 2009, and was primarily responsible for financial management, financing decisions, internal control, market development and strategic planning. Ms. Huang had also participated in the establishment of Zhangzhou Hongwei and the strategic planning for the business development of most of the companies Mr. Wong used to own.

Pursuant to the terms of the service contract entered into between the Company and Ms. Huang, Ms. Huang's term of appointment as an executive Director is 3 years with effect from 8 January 2017, subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meeting of the Company pursuant to the Articles of Association, and her basic annual emolument is HKD180,000, which was determined by the Board with reference to her qualification, experience, responsibilities to be undertaken, and the prevailing market level of remuneration of similar position. Either the Company or Ms. Huang may terminate the said service contract by giving not less than three months' prior notice in writing to the other.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Ms. Huang did not have any interests in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Save as disclosed above, Ms. Huang did not (i) hold any other positions in the Group, (ii) hold any directorship in any other listed public companies in Hong Kong or other places in the last three years immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date; and (iii) have any relationship with any directors, senior management, substantial shareholders or controlling shareholders of the Company.

Save as disclosed above, there are no other matters that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in connection with the re-election of as an executive Director nor is there any information required to be disclosed pursuant to Rule 17.50(2) of the GEM Listing Rules.

Mr. Liu Jiayong (劉加勇), aged 43, is an executive Director and the chief financial officer of the Group. Mr. Liu joined our Group in June 2009 and was appointed as an executive Director on 13 December 2013. Mr. Liu is primarily responsible for the overall finance and accounting management, taxation and compliance and other day-to-day financial administration of our Group. Mr. Liu is also responsible for the execution of strategies and the reform of the management system of our Group. Mr. Liu possesses approximately 21 years' experience in the accounting field. Prior to joining our Group, Mr. Liu worked in Fujian Shanghang Secondary Vocational School (福建省上杭職業中專學校) as an accounting teacher from September 1994 to March 2003. Mr. Liu was also an external accounting teacher of both the Chinese Accounting Correspondence School at Shanghang (中華會計函授學校上杭分校) and the Open University of China at Shanghang (中央廣播電視大學上杭分校) from August 1996 to January 2003, the head of finance department of Fujian Shanghang Educational Garment Factory (福建省上杭縣教育服裝廠) from August 1995 to January 2003 and head of finance department of Fujian Toronto Bio-chemical Co., Ltd (福建省多倫多生物化工有限公 司) from October 2000 to July 2001. Subsequently, Mr. Liu held the position of manager of the finance department of Xiamen Yifanda Medical Instrument Co., Ltd (廈門市益帆達醫療設備有 限公司) from January 2003 to March 2004. Mr. Liu served as the manager of finance department in Zhangzhou Hongwei during March 2004 to May 2009.

Mr. Liu completed a part-time course and obtained an undergraduate diploma in accounting from the Open University of China in July 2006. In December 2002, Mr. Liu passed the intermediate level of national examination of the department of finance in the PRC and was issued a certificate to certify his qualification level in accountancy. Mr. Liu is a qualified junior middle school teacher by the Education Bureau of Shanghang since October 2003. Mr. Liu was also an executive council member (常務理事) of the Shanghang Accounting Association (上杭縣會計協會) from January 2003 to March 2004.

Pursuant to the terms of the service contract entered into between the Company and Mr. Liu, Mr. Liu's term of appointment as an executive Director is 3 years with effect from 8 January 2017, subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meeting of the Company pursuant to the Articles of Association, and his basic annual emolument is HKD459,000, which was determined by the Board with reference to his qualification, experience, responsibilities to be undertaken, and the prevailing market level of remuneration of similar position. Either the Company or Mr. Liu may terminate the said service contract by giving not less than three months' prior notice in writing to the other.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Liu did not have any interests in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Liu did not (i) hold any other positions in the Group, (ii) hold any directorship in any other listed public companies in Hong Kong or other places in the last three years immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date; (iii) have any relationship with any directors, senior management, substantial shareholders or controlling shareholders of the Company and (iv) have any interests in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO as at the Latest Practicable Date.

Save as disclosed above, there are no other matters that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in connection with the re-election of Mr. Liu as an executive Director nor is there any information required to be disclosed pursuant to Rule 17.50(2) of the GEM Listing Rules.

Dr. CHOW Ho Wan, Owen, (周浩雲博士), 41, has been appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director, the Chairman of Audit Committee and a member of Nomination Committee as well as Remuneration Committee of the Company since 1 August 2016.

Dr. Chow is a director and chief executive officer of Sino Fame International Group Limited. He is an independent non-executive director of CCT Land Holdings Limited, a company listed on the main board of the Stock Exchange (stock code: 00261). Dr. Chow had also been appointed as an independent non-executive director of Amax International Holdings Limited from 12 September 2012 to 6 March 2013, a company listed on the main board of the Stock Exchange (stock code: 00959). He is also the founder and chairman of the Association of International Certified Financial Consultants ("AICFC"). Dr. Chow is also the Managing Director of Emerald Capital Limited and Director of Nebpay Limited.

Dr. Chow obtained the degree of Bachelor of Commerce from the University of Toronto, Canada in 1999 and subsequently obtained the Master of Science in Finance from the Chinese University of Hong Kong in 2003, the Bachelor of Laws from Tsinghua University in 2006 and the Doctor of Business Administration from European University, Switzerland in 2011. In 2014, Dr. Chow took Postdoctoral Global Leadership Research Program in University of Oxford. Dr. Chow also holds various professional qualifications, including Certified Financial Consultants (CFC), Certified Financial Management Planners (CFMP), Certified Banking Risk Management (CBRM), member of The Institute of Financial Accountants (IFA), Fellow member of Hong Kong Institute of Directors (FHKIOD), CPA Australia (ASCPA), Fellow of The Chartered Management Institute (FCMI), Member of Hong Kong Securities and Investment Institute (MHKSI) and Canadian Securities Institute (CSI). He has over 15 years of experience in the finance and accounting field and used to work in various international banks.

Pursuant to the terms of the appointment letter entered into between the Company and Dr. Chow, Dr. Chow's initial term of appointment is 2 years with effect from 1 August 2016, subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the annual general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Articles of Association, and he is entitled to a director's fee of HK\$150,000 per annum, which was determined by the Board with reference to his duties and responsibilities with the Company, the prevailing market rate and the remuneration policy of the Company. Either the Company or Dr. Chow may terminate the said appointment letter by giving not less than three months' prior notice in writing to the other.

Save as disclosed above, Dr. Chow did not (i) hold any other positions in the Group, (ii) hold any directorship in any other listed public companies in Hong Kong or other places in the last three years immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date; (iii) have any relationship with any directors, senior management, substantial shareholders or controlling shareholders of the Company; and (iv) have any interests in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO as at the Latest Practicable Date.

Save as disclosed above, there are no other matters that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in connection with the re-election of Dr. Chow as an independent non-executive Director nor is there any information required to be disclosed pursuant to Rule 17.50(2) of the GEM Listing Rules.



## HONG WEI (ASIA) HOLDINGS COMPANY LIMITED

鴻偉(亞洲)控股有限公司

(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 8191)

#### NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Annual General Meeting ("Meeting") of Hong Wei (Asia) Holdings Company Limited (the "Company") will be held at 1804A, 18/F, Tower 1, Admiralty Centre, 18 Harcourt Road, Admiralty, Hong Kong on Friday, 26 May 2017 at 10:30 a.m. for the following purposes:

#### **ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS**

- 1. To receive and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements, the report of the directors of the Company (the "**Directors**") and the report of the auditor of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2016;
- 2. (A) To re-elect Ms. Cheung Ngar Kwan as an executive Director;
  - (B) To re-elect Ms. Huang Xiuyan as an executive Director;
  - (C) To re-elect Mr. Liu Jiayong as an executive Director;
  - (D) To re-elect Dr. Chow Ho Wan, Owen as an independent non-executive Director; and
  - (E) To authorize the board of directors of the Company (the "Board") to fix the Directors' remuneration;
- 3. To consider and approve the re-appointment of Messrs. Graham H.Y. Chan & Co. as the auditor of the Company and to authorize the Board to fix the auditor's remuneration:

4. To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendments, the following resolutions as ordinary resolutions of the Company:

#### (A) "THAT

- (i) subject to sub-paragraph (iii) of this resolution, pursuant to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Growth Enterprise Market of The Stock Exchange of the Hong Kong Limited (the "GEM Listing Rules"), the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue, grant, distribute and otherwise deal with additional shares of the Company (the "Shares") and to make, issue or grant offers, agreements, options (including bonds, warrants and securities or debentures convertible into Shares) and rights of exchange or conversion which might require the exercise of such powers either during or after the Relevant Period, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (ii) the approval in sub-paragraph (i) of this resolution shall authorize the Directors during the Relevant Period to make, issue or grant offers, agreements, options (including bonds, warrants and debentures convertible into Shares) and rights of exchange or conversion which would or might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (iii) the total number of Share allotted, issued, granted, distributed or otherwise dealt with or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted, issued, granted, distributed or otherwise dealt with (whether pursuant to an option, a conversion or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to the approval in sub-paragraph (i) of this resolution, otherwise than pursuant to (a) a Rights Issue (as defined below); (b) the exercise of warrants to subscribe for Shares of the Company or any securities which are convertible into Shares of the Company or the exercise of options granted under any share option schemes adopted by the Company; or (c) an issue of Shares of the Company in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on Shares of the Company in accordance with the articles of association of the Company, shall not exceed 20% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of the passing of this resolution and this approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (iv) for the purpose of this resolution:
  - "Relevant Period" means the period from the date of the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:
  - (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
  - (b) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company or any applicable laws to be held; and

(c) the date on which the authority sets out in this resolution is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution in general meeting of the Company.

"Rights Issue" means the allotment, issue, or grant of Shares pursuant to an offer of Shares of the Company open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of Shares in the Company on the register of members of the Company on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such Shares as at that date (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the directors of the Company may deem necessary or expedient in relation to overseas shareholders or fractional entitlements or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of any recognized regulatory body or any stock exchange in, any territory applicable to the company)."

#### (B) "THAT

- (i) subject to sub-paragraph (ii) below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all powers of the Company to repurchase Shares in issue on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") or any other stock exchange on which the Shares of the Company may be listed and recognized by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong and the Stock Exchange for such purpose, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws of Hong Kong and the requirements of the GEM Listing Rules or of any other stock exchange as amended from time to time, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (ii) the total number of Shares which the Company is authorized to repurchase pursuant to the approval in sub-paragraph (i) above shall not exceed 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of the passing of this resolution, and this approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (iii) for the purpose of this resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the date of passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (b) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company or any applicable laws of Hong Kong to be held; and
- (c) the date on which the authority set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution in general meeting of the Company."

(C) "THAT conditional upon ordinary resolutions no. 4(A) and 4(B) above being passed, the total number of Shares which are repurchased by the Company under the authority granted to the Directors pursuant to ordinary resolution no. 4(B) above shall be added to the total number of Shares that may be allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted by the Directors pursuant to ordinary resolution no. 4(A) above."

By order of the Board

Hong Wei (Asia) Holdings Company Limited

Wong Cheung Lok

Chairman

Hong Kong, 24 April 2017

Notes:

- (i) Shareholders entitled to attend and vote at the Meeting is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote on his/her/its behalf. A proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company.
- (ii) In order to be valid, the proxy form together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed (or a notarially certified copy of such power or authority), must be delivered to the Company's share registrar and transfer office, Tricor Investor Services Limited at Level 22, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the Meeting (i.e., not later than 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, 24 May 2017) or any adjournment thereof.
- (iii) Delivery of an instrument appointing a proxy should not preclude a member from attending and voting in person at the Meeting and in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.
- (iv) If a shareholder appoints more than one proxy, such proxies shall only exercise their voting rights by a poll.
- (v) In the case of join holders, any one of such persons may vote at the meeting, either personally or by proxy, in respect of such share as if he were solely entitled thereto but if more than one of such joint holders be present at the meeting personally or by proxy, that one of the said persons so present whose name stands first on the register of members of the Company in respect of such share shall alone be entitled to vote in respect thereof.
- (vi) For the purpose to determine the entitlements of the Shareholders to attend and vote at the AGM, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, 23 May 2017 to Friday, 26 May 2017 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of Shares will be registered. All transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's share registrar and transfer office, Tricor Investor Services Limited at Level 22, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong not later than 4:30 p.m. on Monday, 22 May 2017.

As at the date of this notice, the executive Directors are Mr. Wong Cheung Lok, Ms. Cheung Ngar Kwan, Ms. Huang Xiuyan and Mr. Liu Jiayong; the non-executive Director is Mr. Lai Ming Wai and the independent non-executive Directors are Dr. Chow Ho Wan, Owen, Dr. Xu Jianmin and Ms. Qian Xiaoyu.

This notice, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Growth Enterprise Market ("GEM") of the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Company. The Directors, having made all reasonable enquires, confirm that, to the best of their knowledge and belief,

the information contained in this notice is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this notice misleading.

This notice will remain on the GEM website (www.hkgem.com) for at least seven days from the day of its posting. This notice will also be published on the Company's website at www.hongweiasia.com.