

Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited take no responsibility for the contents of this announcement, make no representation as to its accuracy or completeness and expressly disclaim any liability whatsoever for any loss howsoever arising from or in reliance upon the whole or any part of the contents of this announcement.



CHINA ORIENTAL GROUP COMPANY LIMITED 中國東方集團控股有限公司*

(incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)

(Stock code : 581)

Update on Public Float Issue

China Oriental Group Company Limited (the “**Company**”, and together with its subsidiaries collectively known as the “**Group**”) is issuing this announcement pursuant to Rule 13.09(2) of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “**Stock Exchange**”) (the “**Listing Rules**”) and the “Inside Information Provision” (as defined under the Listing Rules) under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance of Hong Kong.

Reference is made to the announcements of the Company dated 30 December 2013, 11 April 2014, 5 May 2014, 30 May 2014, 6 July 2014, 20 August 2014, 26 August 2014, 5 September 2014, 16 October 2014, 21 November 2014, 16 December 2014, 13 February 2015, 18 March 2015, 16 April 2015, 15 May 2015, 29 May 2015, 15 June 2015, 17 July 2015, 14 August 2015, 14 September 2015, 6 October 2015, 6 November 2015, 7 December 2015, 7 January 2016, 5 February 2016 and 4 March 2016 (the “**Announcements**”). Unless otherwise stated, capitalized terms used herein shall have the same meaning ascribed in the Announcements.

As mentioned in the announcement of the Company dated 4 March 2016, the Company is given to understand from the financial advisers that they will formulate an updated proposal for share issue to restore the public float of the Company after the publication of the 2015 annual results of the Company and contact with the potential investors with the updated financial information of the Company for assessing the Company's financial position. As at the date of this announcement, the Company still continues to follow-up with the financial advisers for their updated proposal, and also seeks to contact other financial advisers to provide alternate feasible measures to resolve the public float issue of the Company. No concrete proposals for the restoration of public float or timetable have been determined. The Company will publish an update announcement for any material development on the proposed issue of new shares in due course and measures that may be introduced by the Company to restore its public float.

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

By order of the Board
China Oriental Group Company Limited
HAN Jingyuan
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Hong Kong, 7 April 2016

As at the date of this announcement, the Board of Directors of the Company comprises Mr. HAN Jingyuan, Mr. ZHU Jun, Mr. SHEN Xiaoling, Mr. ZHU Hao and Mr. HAN Li being the Executive Directors, Mr. Ondra OTRADOVEC being the Non-executive Director and Mr. WONG Man Chung, Francis and Mr. WANG Tianyi being the Independent Non-executive Directors.

This announcement is published on the websites of the Company (www.chinaorientalgroup.com) and the Stock Exchange (www.hkexnews.hk).

**For identification purposes only*