



**MAXI-CASH FINANCIAL SERVICES CORPORATION LTD**

(Incorporated in the Republic of Singapore on 10 April 2008)

(Company Registration No.: 200806968Z)

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## INTERESTED PERSON TRANSACTION WITH THE ASPIAL GROUP

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Pursuant to Rule 905(2) of the Listing Manual Section B: Rules of Catalist of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (“**SGX-ST**”) (the “**Catalist Rules**”), the board of directors (the “**Board**” or the “**Directors**”) of Maxi-Cash Financial Services Corporation Ltd (the “**Company**”, and together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) wishes to announce the following in relation to an interested person transaction with Aspial Group (defined below), an interested person defined under Chapter 9 of the Catalist Rules.

Aspial Corporation Limited (an entity listed on the Official List of the SGX-ST) (“**Aspial**”, and together with its subsidiaries, the “**Aspial Group**”) is a controlling shareholder of the Company, holding 67.91% of the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company. The Directors, Messrs Koh Wee Seng, Koh Lee Hwee and Ko Lee Meng, are also directors and substantial shareholders of Aspial. Accordingly, all transactions entered into between the Group and the Aspial Group constitute “interested person transactions” under Chapter 9 of the Catalist Rules.

In December 2015, upon the Group recognising interest charges amounting to approximately S\$135,000 charged by the Aspial Group on its loan extended to the Group, the aggregate value of all interested person transactions (excluding interested person transactions less than S\$100,000) entered into between the Group and the Aspial Group amounted to approximately S\$2.0 million. This represented approximately 3.1% of the Group’s latest audited net tangible assets as at 31 December 2014 of S\$64.1 million, which exceeded the relevant threshold of 3.0% under Rule 905(2) of the Catalist Rules. The Company wishes to provide details of the aforementioned interested person transaction with the Aspial Group as follows:-

<b>Name of interested person</b>	<b>Nature of interested person transaction</b>	<b>Aggregate value of the interested person transaction in the financial year ended 31 December 2015 (“FY2015”) (S\$’000)</b>
The Aspial Group	Interest charges on loans extended by the Aspial Group <sup>(1)</sup>	1,116

**Note:-**

- (1) As at 31 December 2015, the loan amount extended by the Aspial Group to the Group amounted to approximately S\$51.7 million. The loan is unsecured and interest-bearing, and is repayable on demand.

The total value of all interested person transactions (excluding interested person transactions less than S\$100,000) entered into between the Group and all interested persons during FY2015 amounted to approximately S\$2.5 million, representing approximately 3.9% of the Group's latest audited net tangible assets as at 31 December 2014 of S\$64.1 million.

The interested person transactions are entered into by the Company in its ordinary course of business and are on an arm's length basis.

The audit committee of the Company is of the view that the above interested person transactions in FY2015 had been carried out on normal commercial terms and are not prejudicial to the interests of the Company and its minority shareholders.

Save as disclosed above, none of the Directors or substantial shareholders of the Company has any interest, direct or indirect (other than through their respective shareholdings in the Company), in the above interested person transactions.

By order of the Board

Lim Swee Ann  
Company Secretary  
16 February 2016

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