NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual general meeting of The Trendlines Group Ltd. (the "**Company**") for the financial year ended 31 December 2023 (the "**FY2023**") (the "**AGM**") will be held at 190 Clemenceau Ave, #06-01, Singapore Shopping Centre, The Dining Hall @ Work Central, Singapore 239924 on **Thursday, 18 April 2024 at 10:00 a.m.** (Singapore time) for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, approving the following matters:

AS ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

Ordinary Business

- 1. To receive the Directors' Report and the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31 December 2023 together with the Auditors' Report thereon.
- 2. To re-elect Professor Low Teck Seng, who is retiring pursuant to Article 40(g) of the Company's Articles of Association, as a Director of the Company.

[See Explanatory Note (ii)]

[RESOLUTION 1]

3. To re-appoint Messrs. Ernst & Young LLP (Singapore), as external independent auditors of the Company until the consummation of the Company's next AGM and to authorise the Directors of the Company ("**Directors**") to fix their remuneration.

[RESOLUTION 2]

Special Business

To consider and if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as Ordinary Resolution, with or without any modifications:

4. Authority to Issue Shares

That pursuant to Rule 806 of the Listing Manual Section B: Rules of Catalist ("**Catalist Rules**") of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited ("**SGX-ST**"), that authority be given to the Directors to (i) allot and issue shares in the capital of the Company ("**Shares**") whether by way of rights, bonus or otherwise; (ii) make or grant offers, agreements or options including under The Trendlines 2015 Share Option Plan (collectively, "**Instruments**") that might or would require Shares to be issued, including but not limited to the creation and issue of (as well as adjustments to) warrants, debentures or other instruments convertible into Shares, at any time and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes and to such persons as our Directors may in their absolute discretion deem fit; and (iii) (notwithstanding the authority conferred by this resolution may have ceased to be in force) issue Shares in pursuance of any Instruments made or granted by the Directors while this resolution was in force, provided that:

 the aggregate number of Shares (including Shares to be issued in pursuance of the Instruments, made or granted pursuant to this resolution) and Instruments to be issued pursuant to this resolution shall not exceed 50.0% of the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) in the capital of the Company (as calculated in accordance with sub-paragraph (2) below), of which the aggregate number of Shares to be issued (including Shares to be issued pursuant to the Instruments) other than on a pro-rata basis to existing Shareholders shall not exceed 25.0% of the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) in the capital of the Company (as calculated in accordance with sub-paragraph (2) below);



- (2) (subject to such manner of calculation as may be prescribed by the SGX-ST) for the purpose of determining the aggregate number of Shares (including Shares to be issued pursuant to the Instruments) that may be issued under sub-paragraph (1) above, the percentage of Shares that may be issued shall be based on the total number of issued Shares of the Company (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) at the time this authority is given, after adjusting for: (a) new Shares arising from the conversion or exercise of the Instruments or any convertible securities outstanding at the time this authority is given; (b) new Shares arising from exercising share options or vesting of share awards outstanding or subsisting at the time of the passing of this authority, provided that the share options or share awards were granted in compliance with the Catalist Rules; and (c) any subsequent bonus issue, consolidation or sub-division of Shares;
- (3) in exercising such authority, the Company shall comply with the provisions of the Catalist Rules for the time being in force (unless such compliance has been waived by the SGX-ST), the provisions of Israeli Companies Law for the time being in force, the Articles of Association for the time being of the Company and The Trendlines 2015 Share Option Plan; and
- (4) unless revoked or varied by the Company in a general meeting, such authority shall continue in force until (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company or (b) the date by which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by law to be held, whichever is the earlier.

[See Explanatory Note (vi)]

[RESOLUTION 3]

5. To transact any other ordinary business which may properly be transacted at an AGM.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF THE TRENDLINES GROUP LTD.

Sahar Farah Eunice Hooi Lai Fann Joint Company Secretaries

13 March 2024

Explanatory Notes:

(i) Professor Low Teck Seng ("Prof. Low") will, if re-elected as a Director of the Company, remain as a Non-Executive Director of the Company, and member of the Remuneration committee. Prof. Low will be considered independent for the purposes of Rule 704(7) of the Catalist Rules.

Additional information on Prof. Low as required to be furnished pursuant to Rule 720(5) of the Catalist Rules can be found in the Corporate Governance Report section of the Company's Annual Report for FY2023.

(ii) Ordinary Resolution 3 above, if passed, will empower the Directors of the Company, effective until the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by law to be held or such time when the authority is varied or revoked by the Company in a general meeting, whichever is the earlier, to issue Shares, make or grant instruments convertible into Shares and to issue shares pursuant to such instruments, up to a number not exceeding, in total, 50% of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) in the capital of the Company, of which up to 25.0% may be issued other than on a pro-rata basis to shareholders.

For determining the aggregate number of shares that may be issued, the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) will be calculated based on the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) in the capital of the Company at the time this Ordinary Resolution is passed after adjusting for new Shares arising from the conversion or exercise of any convertible securities or share options or vesting of share awards which are outstanding or subsisting at the time when this Ordinary Resolution is passed and any subsequent bonus issue, consolidation or subdivision of Shares.

- (iii) Ordinary Resolutions 1, 2 and 3, shall be deemed adopted if approved by the holders of a majority of the voting power represented at the meeting in person or by proxy and voting thereon. <u>Only shareholders of record at the close of business on 11 April 2024, being the</u> record date for determining those shareholders eligible to vote at the AGM, are entitled to notice of and to vote at the AGM and any postponements or adjournments thereof.
- (iv) For information relating to the compensation of our top five most highly compensated office holders with respect to the FY2023, please refer to principle 8 in the Corporate Governance Report in our Annual Report for FY2023.

Notes:

1. The AGM is being convened, and will be held physically. All shareholders are cordially invited to attend the AGM in person. There will be no option for shareholders to participate virtually.

Printed copies of this Notice of AGM and the accompanying Proxy Form will be mailed to shareholders.

Printed copy of the Company's FY2023 Annual Report **will not** be mailed to shareholders, instead will be made available to shareholders on the SGXNet at the URL <u>https://www.sgx.com/securities/company-announcements</u> and the Company's website at URL <u>https://www.trendlines.com/</u>.

Shareholders who wish to request for a printed copy of the Company's FY2023 Annual Report may do so by submitting your request to the Company via email to <u>CompanySecretary@trendlines.com</u> with your full name, contact number and delivery address **no later than Tuesday**, **9 April 2024**.

- 2. A shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the AGM is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote in the shareholder's stead.
- 3. A proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company.
- 4. Any shareholder who holds more than one share shall be entitled to appoint a proxy with respect to all or some of its shares or appoint more than one proxy, provided that the instrument appointing a proxy shall include the number of shares with respect to which it was issued and only one proxy shall be appointed with respect to any one share.
- 6. The Proxy Form must be signed by the appointor or his/her attorney duly authorised in writing.
- 7. A shareholder of the Company which is a corporation is entitled to appoint its authorised representative or proxy to vote on its behalf. If the appointor is a corporation, the Proxy Form must be executed either under its common seal or under the hand of its duly authorised officer or attorney. A copy of the power of attorney or such other authority must be submitted together with the instrument appointing a proxy.
- 8. Shareholders who wish to vote at the AGM via a proxy(ies) must submit the accompanying Proxy Form to appoint the proxy(ies) or the Chairman of the AGM as their proxy to cast votes on their behalf.

Shareholders are requested to complete, sign and return the Proxy Form appointing proxy(ies) or corporate representative(s) in accordance with the instructions printed thereon as soon as possible and in any event so as to arrive at the registered office of the Company at T'chelet Street 17, Misgav Industrial Park, 2017400 Israel, or the Company's Singapore Share Registrar and Share Transfer Office, Boardroom Corporate & Advisory Services Pte. Ltd. at 1 Harbourfront Avenue, #14–07 Keppel Bay Tower, Singapore 098632, or by e-mail to Mrs Sahar Farah, Joint Company Secretary, at <u>CompanySecretary@trendlines.com</u>, not less than forty eight (48) hours before the time appointed for the AGM (i.e. by **10:00 a.m. on Tuesday**, **16 April 2024**).

Notwithstanding the above, the Chairman of the AGM shall have the right to waive the time requirement provided above with respect to all instruments of proxies and to accept any and all instruments of proxy until the beginning of the AGM.

9. Persons who hold shares of the Company through relevant intermediaries (as defined in Section 181 of the Companies Act 1967 of Singapore), including CPF or SRS investors should approach their respective CPF Agent Banks or SRS Operators to submit their votes at least seven (7) working days before the AGM (i.e. by 10:00 a.m. on Monday, 8 April 2024) in order to allow sufficient time for their respective relevant intermediaries to in turn submit a proxy form to appoint the Chairman of the AGM to vote on their behalf by the cut-off date.

Submission of Questions In Advance of the AGM

Shareholders may submit substantial and relevant questions related to the resolutions to be tabled for approval at the AGM to the Company in advance of the AGM. Such questions must be submitted by **10:00 a.m. on Monday, 1 April 2024** via e-mail to Mrs Sahar Farah, Joint Company Secretary, at <u>CompanySecretary@trendlines.com</u> or by post to the Company's Singapore Share Registrar and Share Transfer Office, Boardroom Corporate & Advisory Services Pte. Ltd. at 1 Harbourfront Avenue, #14-07 Keppel Bay Tower, Singapore 098632.

Shareholders who submit questions via email or by post to the Company must provide the following information:

- (i) the Shareholder's full name;
- (ii) the Shareholder's address; and
- (iii) the manner in which the Shareholder holds shares in the Company (e.g. via CDP, CPF or SRS).

The Company will upload its response to the substantial and relevant questions from shareholders on the SGXNet and the Company's website **before 10:00 a.m. on 14 April 2024**, being at least 48 hours prior to the proxy form submission deadline for the AGM.

The Company endeavours to address (i) subsequent clarifications sought (ii) follow-up questions or (iii) substantial and relevant questions which are received from shareholders after its response on 14 April 2024, at the AGM itself. Where substantially similar questions are received, the Company will consolidate such questions and consequently not all questions may be individually addressed. The Company's responses to all subsequent questions addressed at the AGM together with the minutes of the AGM, will be posted on the SGXNet and the Company's website within one (1) month after the date of the AGM.

Personal Data Privacy

By submitting an instrument appointing proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) to attend and vote at the AGM and/or any adjournment thereof, a shareholder of the Company or a Depositor, as the case may be, (i) consents to the collection, use and disclosure of the shareholder or Depositor's personal data by the Company (or its agents or service providers) for the purpose of the processing and administration by the Company (or its agents or service providers) of the appointment of proxy(ies) or representative(s) for the AGM (including any adjournment thereof) and the preparation and compilation of the attendance lists, minutes and other documents relating to the AGM (including any adjournment thereof), and in order for the Company (or its agents or service providers) to comply with any applicable laws, listing rules, regulations and/or guidelines (collectively, the **Purposes**), (ii) warrants that where the shareholder or a Depositor discloses the personal data of the shareholder or Depositor's proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) to the Company (or its agents or service providers), the shareholder or Depositor has obtained the prior consent of such proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) for the collection, use and disclosure by the Company (or its agents or service providers), the shareholder or Depositor has obtained the prior consent of such proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) for the collection, use and disclosure by the Company (or its agents or service providers) of the personal data of such proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) for the Purposes, and (iii) agrees that the shareholder or Depositor will indemnify the Company in respect of any penalties, liabilities, claims, demands, losses and damages as a result of the shareholder or Depositor's breach of warranty.

