



# **Press Release**

# mm2 partners FOX Networks Group Asia on 2 new Taiwanese productions.

THE 19<sup>th</sup> SHANGHAI INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL, 15 June 2016 – mm2 Asia Ltd. ("mm2 Asia", "mm2 全亚影视娱乐有限公司" and together with its subsidiaries, the "Group") announced today that it is partnering with FOX Networks Group Asia's ("FNG Asia") flagship Chinese movies channel, SCM (衛視電影台) to co-produce the following Taiwanese productions:

## 1) TURN AROUND 老师你会不会回来

An inspirational youth comedy based on the true story of a teacher named Alex Wang and his unique teaching methods. It is directed by award-winning director Tapu Chen 陈大璞 and stars Jay Shih 是元介《SPIDER LILIES 刺青》 and Kimi Hsia 夏于乔 《ENDLESS NIGHTS IN AURORA 极光之爱》. 'TURN AROUND' is currently in production and slated for release in 2017.

### 2) DON'T WANNA SAY GOODBYE 带我去月球

A youth romance drama based on the popular hit song of the same name by late singer Tom Chang 张雨生. It is executive produced by renowned filmmaker Wei Te-Sheng 魏德圣 (《CAPE NO.7 海角七号》and 《SEEDIQ BALE 赛德克·巴莱》Director) and directed by Hsieh Chun-Yi 谢 骏逸(《APOLITICAL ROMANCE 对面的女孩杀过来》and《TAIPEI FACTORY II 台北工厂 2》 Director). 'DON'T WANNA SAY GOODBYE' is currently in development and is co-produced with Good Films Workshop《好好电影工作室》which also produced the highly anticipated youth romance drama,《AT CAFÉ 6 六弄咖啡馆》,due to be released in July 2016, and horror hit, 《THE BRIDE 尸忆》.

"Taiwan has produced a number of recent hits which have won over many audiences throughout the region. We see great potential with these projects and we are very honoured to be working with FNG again to continue to develop and produce compelling stories into great films," said Mr Melvin Ang, CEO of mm2 Asia.





Cora Yim, SVP and Head of Chinese Entertainment at FOX Networks Group Asia, said: "We have recently co-produced several great hits with mm2, including *Ah Boys To Men 3: Frogmen* and *1965* in Singapore, and we are excited to extend our partnership into Taiwan. We are honoured to work with mm2 again and we look forward to bringing even more high quality Asian productions to our viewers all around the region."

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#### **About FOX Networks Group**

FOX Networks Group (FNG) is 21st Century FOX's international multi-media business. We develop, produce and distribute 300+ wholly- and majority-owned entertainment, sports, factual and movie channels in 45 languages across Latin America, Europe, Asia and Africa. FNG's core channel brands include FOX, FOX Sports, FOX Life, FOX+ and National Geographic Channel. FNG's movie channels include FOX Movies, FOX Movies Premium and SCM (formerly Star Chinese Movies). Our non-linear brands include FOX Play, FOX Play+ and Nat Geo Play. These networks and their related mobile, non-linear and high- definition extensions, reach over 1.825 billion cumulative households worldwide. In addition, FNG owns and operates two production studios and produces thousands of local programming hours for its wholly owned channels and third parties.

#### **About SCM**

SCM (衛視電影台) (formerly known as STAR Chinese Movies) is the No. 1 Chinese movie channel in Asia and is the premier destination for lovers of blockbuster Chinese cinema, with more than 1,000 titles in its film inventory. SCM is dedicated to providing first-run, premium content as well as cutting-edge advanced services. Premiering box-office hits from Hong Kong, Mainland China and Taiwan, SCM guarantees exclusives from top Chinese and Asian producers and major studios such as Emperor Motion Pictures, Media Asia, Pegasus and Fortune Star. In addition to hit movies, SCM also offers a powerful combination of live events, major concerts and acclaimed Asian documentaries in Cantonese or Mandarin with Chinese and English as well as Bahasa Indonesia and Thai subtitles. This unrivalled content together with HD viewing, a VOD service and a market-leading online catch-up service called SCM Play, the channel provides an unmatched entertainment experience.

#### About mm2 Asia Ltd.

Headquartered in Singapore, mm2 Asia is a producer of films and TV/online content. As a producer, mm2 Asia provides services that cover the entire filmmaking process, including securing financing, producing and distributing as well as securing advertising and sponsorship. mm2 Asia furthers strengthen its competitive advantage through the ownership of Cathay cineplexes in Malaysia, as well as bought a stake in local 3D animation company, Vividthree Productions. In addition to Singapore, mm2 Asia also has a presence in Malaysia, Hong Kong, Taiwan and the PRC through its group of companies and/or strategic working partnerships. mm2 Asia has coproduced and/or distributed in excess of 50 films across Asia since 2008 including co-producing well-known films such as the 'Ah Boys to Men' and 'Long Long Time Ago' series; and distributing titles such as Malaysia's 'The Journey' and Taiwan's 'Café.Waiting.Love'. In 2014, mm2 Asia made its debut on the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (SGX stock code: 43D), becoming the first Singapore film production company to achieve this.





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