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# **Multi-services provider Aedge's IPO garners strong support**

- Placement of 16 million Placement Shares at S\$0.20 each was fully subscribed
- Trading debuts on the Catalist Board of the SGX-ST at 9.00 am on Monday, 14 December 2020

SINGAPORE, 11 December 2020 – Aedge Group Limited (溢科集团有限公司) ("Aedge" or the "Company", and together with its subsidiaries, the "Group"), a multi-services provider of engineering, transport and security and manpower services, has attracted positive interest from investors for its initial public offering ("IPO") by way of a placement (the "Placement") of 16 million shares (the "Placement Shares") at S\$0.20 each. The listing and trading of its shares on the Catalist Board of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "SGX-ST") is expected to commence on a "ready" basis at 9.00 am on 14 December 2020.

As at the close of the Placement at 12.00 noon on 10 December 2020, all 16 million Placement Shares have been validly subscribed for and application monies received for these Placement Shares amount to a total of S\$3.2 million.

**UOB Kay Hian Private Limited** is the Sponsor, Issue Manager and Placement Agent for this IPO.

Commenting on the positive response to the IPO, the Group's **Executive Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Mr Poh Soon Keng (**傅孙庆**)**, said: *"We are extremely encouraged by the show of confidence from investors as it indicates that they recognise the potential and strength of a multi-services provider of commonly required solutions for engineering, transport and security and manpower needs. Although the events in 2020 have made it very challenging for many businesses, we believe in our Group's prospects because of our diverse capabilities that cater to a myriad of industries and customers. With the proceeds raised, we look forward to embarking on the next phase of our growth strategy, which will see us strengthen the depth and breadth of services offered by each of our three business segments."* 



The Group plans to utilise its proceeds raised to strengthen its core capabilities and further its business strategies and future plans, in particular, through the acquisition of property, plant and equipment, including purchasing additional scaffolds components and structures to enhance its ability to secure more projects. To ensure that its fleet of buses is efficiently deployed, the Group will be upgrading its bus management systems to better manage and track demand levels. Additionally, to remain competitive and to keep abreast of rapidly changing technologies in security systems, Aedge intends to develop and test new security solutions in line with market needs and hire new staff as well as upgrade its human resource software to support its expanding operations.

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### About Aedge Group Limited (溢科集团有限公司)

Established in 2000, Aedge Group Limited ("Aedge" or the "Company", and together with its subsidiaries, the "Group"), is a Singapore-based multi-services provider of three (3) principal services, namely engineering services, transport services and security and manpower services. Being a multi-services provider enables the Group to offer a comprehensive range of services to meet the diverse needs of its customers across many industries.

Backed by a strong track record of providing quality services and solutions, the Group has built a diverse customer base comprising government agencies, multi-national companies, government-linked companies and established large corporations, over the years.

As a testament to the quality of its services and safety standards, the Group has been awarded various accreditations, including "Clean Mark" (Silver Award), bizSAFE Star award, ISO 45001:2018 and ISO 9001:2015, among others.

## Issued for and on behalf of Aedge Group Limited

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