

HC SURGICAL SPECIALISTS LIMITED

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OPENING OF ORTHOPAEDIC CENTRE

The Board of Directors (the “**Board**”) of HC Surgical Specialists Limited (“**HCSS**” or the “**Company**”) and together with its subsidiaries (the “**Group**”) wishes to announce that its associated company, Total Orthopaedics Pte. Ltd., has today, obtained the medical licence from the Ministry of Health for the operations of its orthopaedic centre, known as Total Orthopaedic Care & Surgery (the “**TOCS**”), located at 10 Sinaran Drive #09-24 Novena Medical Centre Singapore 3047506.

The centre will be helmed by Dr. Benjamin Seah (“**Dr. Seah**”), who joined the Group in June 2023. Dr. Seah is an experienced surgeon, having worked in public hospitals for more than 15 years. He has been a specialist surgeon since 2017 and completed his fellowship training in shoulder and elbow surgery in 2020. Dr. Seah was previously a Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon as well as the Shoulder and Elbow Service lead in the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery at Sengkang General Hospital. He was responsible for managing all complex upper limb fractures, joint replacements and ligament injuries for the hospital.

Commenting on the opening of TOCS, Dr. Seah commented, *“This centre was created with the patient’s experience in mind, with its calming natural tones and easy accessibility via public transport (Novena Mrt Station). It is an exciting new chapter and we will continually strive to provide comprehensive evidence-based orthopaedic treatments, with patient care as our utmost priority, complementing the group’s wide array of surgical expertise and services.”*

Chief Executive Officer of HCSS, Dr. Heah Sieu Min commented, *“The Company is very excited about the opening of its first orthopaedic centre and believes in its potential growth and synergy that it can bring to the Group.”*

For appointments at the orthopaedic centre, please call 9232-6737.

By Order of the Board

Dr. Heah Sieu Min

Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer

13 October 2023

About HC Surgical Specialists Limited

HC Surgical Specialists Limited (the “Company”) was incorporated on 1 September 2015 in Singapore and listed on the Catalist of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited on 3 November 2016. The Company, its subsidiaries and associated companies are a medical services group primarily

engaged in the provision of endoscopic procedures, including gastroscopies and colonoscopies, and general surgery services with a focus on colorectal procedures across a network of 16 clinics located throughout Singapore.

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