

VOLUNTARY CONDITIONAL GENERAL OFFER

by



RHT CAPITAL PTE. LTD.

(Company Registration No.: 201109968H)
(Incorporated in the Republic of Singapore)

for and on behalf of

STARNOVA PTE. LTD.

(Company Registration No.: 201941389H)
(Incorporated in the Republic of Singapore)

to acquire all the issued and paid-up ordinary shares in the capital of



LUZHOU BIO-CHEM TECHNOLOGY LIMITED

(Company Registration No.: 200412523N)
(Incorporated in the Republic of Singapore)

other than those already owned, controlled or agreed to be acquired by Starnova Pte. Ltd. as at the date of the Offer

DESPATCH OF NOTICES PURSUANT TO SECTION 215(1) AND SECTION 215(3) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, CHAPTER 50 OF SINGAPORE ("COMPANIES ACT")

1. INTRODUCTION

RHT Capital Pte. Ltd. ("**RHTC**") refers to

- (a) the offer document dated 20 July 2020 ("**Offer Document**") issued by RHTC, for and on behalf of Starnova Pte. Ltd. ("**Offeror**"), in relation to the voluntary conditional general offer ("**Offer**") to acquire all of the issued and paid-up ordinary shares ("**Shares**") in the capital of Luzhou Bio-Chem Technology Limited ("**Company**"), which was despatched on 20 July 2020 ("**Commencement Date**") to the shareholders of the Company ("**Shareholders**"); and

- (b) the announcement released on 26 August 2020 (“**Unconditional Announcement**”) in relation to the Offer becoming unconditional in all respects and the Offeror’s intention to exercise its right of compulsory acquisition (“**Compulsory Acquisition Right**”) under Section 215(1) of the Companies Act to compulsorily acquire all Shares of Shareholders who have not accepted the Offer (“**Dissenting Shareholders**”) at the Offer Price of S\$0.03 for each Share (“**Consideration**”) and on the same terms and conditions as the Offer.

All capitalized terms used and not defined herein shall have the same meaning given to them in the Offer Document and Unconditional Announcement, unless otherwise expressly stated or the context otherwise requires.

2. COMPULSORY ACQUISITION UNDER SECTION 215(1) OF THE COMPANIES ACT AND RIGHTS UNDER SECTION 215(3) OF THE COMPANIES ACT

- 2.1. Compulsory Acquisition.** As announced in the Unconditional Announcement, as the Offeror has received valid acceptances pursuant to the Offer or otherwise acquired Shares following the Commencement Date other than through valid acceptances of the Offer in respect of not less than 90 per cent. of Shares (other than treasury shares and those Shares already held by the Offeror, its related corporations or their respective nominees as at the Commencement Date), **the Offeror is entitled, and intends, to exercise its Compulsory Acquisition Right. The Offeror will then proceed to delist the Company from the SGX-ST and the date on which the Company will be delisted from the SGX-ST will be announced in due course.**
- 2.2. Notice Given.** The Offeror has today given notice in the form prescribed under the Companies Act (“**Form 57**”) pursuant to Section 215(1) of the Companies Act, together with a cover letter (**Compulsory Acquisition Letter**) to the Dissenting Shareholders.

The Offeror has also despatched, together with the Compulsory Acquisition Letter, a Notice to Non-Assenting Shareholder in the form prescribed under the Companies Act (“**Form 58**”) pursuant to Section 215(3) of the Companies Act, whereby the Dissenting Shareholders may, within three (3) months from the date of the Form 58 (that is, by 17 December 2020), require the Offeror to acquire their Shares at the Consideration and on the same terms and conditions as the Offer (or otherwise in accordance with Section 215(3) of the Companies Act).

For the avoidance of doubt, Shareholders who have already tendered all their Shares in acceptance of the Offer may disregard the Compulsory Acquisition Letter, the Form 57 and the Form 58.

As the Offeror will be proceeding to compulsorily acquire the Shares of the Dissenting Shareholders, the Dissenting Shareholders need not take any action in relation to their right under Section 215(3) of the Companies Act. The Dissenting Shareholders who nevertheless wish to exercise such right or who are in any doubt as to their position are advised to seek their own independent legal advice.

Electronic copies of the Compulsory Acquisition Letter, the Form 57 and the Form 58 are available on the website of the SGX-ST at www.sgx.com.

- 2.3. Compulsory Acquisition Exercise.** The Offeror intends to exercise its Compulsory Acquisition Right to acquire all the Shares held by the Dissenting Shareholders on or after 17 October 2020 (“**Transfer Date**”), being a date after the expiration of one (1) month from the date of the Form 57, subject to and on the terms set out in the Form 57 and the provisions of Section 215(4) of the Companies Act.

2.4. Registration of Transfer. Upon the settlement of the aggregate amount of the Consideration payable to the Company by the Offeror, the Company will cause to be transferred to the Offeror all such Shares held by the Dissenting Shareholders and register the Offeror as the holder of all those Shares as soon as practicable.

2.5. Settlement. If you are a Dissenting Shareholder, please note that, subject to and in accordance with the provisions of Section 215(1) of the Companies Act and the terms set out in the Form 57, as soon as practicable after the Transfer Date:

2.5.1. if your Shares are held through a Securities Account maintained with The Central Depository (Pte) Limited (“**CDP**”), CDP will, on the Offeror’s behalf, despatch remittances in the form of S\$ crossed cheques for the appropriate aggregate amount of the Consideration payable in respect of all your Shares to you by ordinary post, at your own risk, to your address as it appears in the records of CDP, or by such other manner as you may have agreed with CDP for the payment of any cash distributions and;

2.5.2. if your Shares are held in scrip form, the Registrar will, on the Offeror’s behalf, despatch a cheque for the appropriate aggregate amount of the Consideration payable in respect of all your Shares to you by registered post, at your own risk, to your address as it appears in the register of holders of the Shares, as maintained by the Registrar.

3. LOSS OF FREE FLOAT

Rule 724(1) of the Listing Manual requires the Company to ensure that at least 10 per cent. of the total number of Shares (excluding preference shares, convertible equity securities and treasury shares) is at all times held by the public (“**Free Float Requirement**”).

As announced in the Unconditional Announcement, as the total number of (i) Shares owned, controlled, or agreed to be acquired by the Offeror and its Concert Parties; and (ii) valid acceptances of the Offer, amount to an aggregate of 534,742,149 Shares, representing approximately 90.02 per cent. of the total number of Shares, the Free Float Requirements is no longer satisfied.

Rule 1303(1) of the Listing Manual provides that where the Offeror succeeds in garnering acceptances exceeding 90 per cent. of the total number of Shares (excluding treasury shares), thus causing the percentage of Shares (excluding treasury shares) held in public hands to fall below 10 per cent., the SGX-ST will suspend trading of the Shares only at the close of the Offer.

Accordingly, trading of Shares on the SGX-ST, as announced by the Company, has been suspended with effect from 15 September 2020. The Company will be delisted from the SGX-ST upon the completion of the Offeror’s exercise of its Compulsory Acquisition Right.

4. RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

The sole director of the Offeror (including any who may have delegated detailed supervision of this Announcement) have taken all reasonable care to ensure that the facts stated and all opinions expressed in this Announcement are fair and accurate and that no material facts have been omitted from this Announcement, and he accepts responsibility accordingly. Where any information has been extracted or reproduced from published or otherwise publicly available sources or obtained from the Company (including, without limitation, in relation to the Company), the sole responsibility of the director of the Offeror has been to ensure through reasonable enquiries that such information has been accurately and correctly extracted from such sources or, as the case may be, reflected or reproduced in this Announcement.

Issued by
RHT CAPITAL PTE LTD.

For and on behalf of
STARNOVA PTE. LTD.
18 September 2020

Any inquiries relating to this Announcement should be directing during office hours to:
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