

# NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of HOSEN GROUP LTD. (the "Company") will be held at 267 Pandan Loop, Singapore 128439 on 28 April 2017, at 12.00 p.m. for the following purposes:

# **AS ORDINARY BUSINESS**

- To receive and adopt the Directors' Statement and Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2016 together with the Independent Auditors' Report thereon. (Resolution 1)
  - To re-elect the following Directors retiring by rotation pursuant to Article 104 of the Company's Articles of Association:
  - Ms Lim Kim Ena Mr Wee Piew

(Resolution 2) (Resolution 3) (Resolution 4)

Mr Ngiam Zee Moey Mr Wee Piew, upon re-election as Director of the Company, will remain as the Non-Executive Independent Chairman, Chairman of the Audit and Remuneration Committees and a member of the Nominating Committee. He will be considered independent for the purpose of Rule 704(7) of the Listing Manual (Section B: Rules of Catalist) of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited. Information of Mr Wee Piew can be found on page 9 of the Annual Report.

Mr Ngiam Zee Moey, upon re-election as Director of the Company, will remain as a member of the Audit and Remuneration Committees. He will be considered independent for the purposes of Rule 704(7) of the Listing Manual (Section B: Rules of Catalist) of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited. Information of Mr Ngiam Zee Moey can be found on page 9 of the Annual Report.

To approve the payment of Directors' fees of S\$105,000 for the year ended 31 December 2016 (2015: S\$105,000).

4. To re-appoint BDO LLP as the Company's Auditors and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration.

To transact any other ordinary business which may properly be transacted at an Annual General Meeting. 5.

#### **AS SPECIAL BUSINESS**

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

#### Share Issue Mandate 6.

That pursuant to Section 161 of the Companies Act, Cap. 50 (the "Companies Act") and Rule 806 of the Catalist Rules, authority be given to the Directors of the Company ("Directors") to issue shares ("Shares") whether by way of rights, bonus or otherwise, and/or make or grant offers, agreements or options (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

- and issue of (as well as adjustments to) warrants, dependires of other instruments convertible into Shares at any time and upon such terms and conditions and to such persons as the Directors may, in their absolute discretion, deem fit provided that: (a) the aggregate number of Shares (including Shares to be issued in pursuance of Instruments made or granted pursuant to this Resolution) to be issued pursuant to this Resolution shall not exceed one hundred per cent. (100%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) in the capital of the Company (as calculated in accordance with sub-paragraph (b) below) at the time of the passing of this Resolution, of which the aggregate number of Shares and convertible securities to be issued other than on a pro-rata basis to all shareholders of the Company shall not exceed fifty per cent. (50%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) in the capital of the Compang (b) below);
- (subject to such manner of calculation as may be prescribed by the SGX-ST) for the purpose of determining the aggregate number of Shares (b) that may be issued under sub-paragraph (a) above, the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) shall be based on the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) in the capital of the Company as at the date of the passing of this Resolution, after adjusting for:
  - new shares arising from the conversion or exercise of convertible securities; (i)
  - new shares arising from exercising share options or vesting of share awards which are outstanding or subsisting at the time this Resolution (ii) is passed; and
  - (iii) any subsequent bonus issue, consolidation or subdivision of shares;
- (c) in exercising the authority conferred by this Resolution, the Company shall comply with the requirements imposed by the SGX-ST from time to time and the provisions of the Catalist Rules for the time being in force (in each case, unless such compliance has been waived by the SGX-ST), all applicable legal requirements under the Companies Act and otherwise, the Articles of Association of the Company; and
- (d) unless revoked or varied by the Company in general meeting, such authority shall continue in force until the conclusion of the Company's next Annual General Meeting or the date by which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law to be held, whichever is the earlier. (Resolution 7)

### [See Explanatory Note (i)]

### Authority to issue shares under the Hosen Employee Share Option Scheme 2014

That pursuant to Section 161 of the Companies Act, Chapter 50, the Directors of the Company be authorised and empowered to grant options in accordance with the provisions of the Hosen Employee Share Option Scheme 2014 ("Scheme") and to issue from time to time such number of shares in the capital of the Company as may be required to be issued pursuant to the exercise of the options granted by the Company under the Scheme, whether granted during the subsistence of this authority or otherwise, provided always that:

- the aggregate number of additional ordinary shares to be allotted and issued pursuant to the Scheme shall not exceed fifteen per cent. (15%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) in the capital of the Company from time to time; (i)
- unless revoked or varied by the Company in a general meeting, such authority shall continue in force until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law to be held, whichever (ii) is earlier.

[See Explanatory Note (ii)]

## 8. Renewal of Share Buy-Back Mandate

That:

- (a) for the purposes of Sections 76C and 76E of the Companies Act, the exercise by the Directors of all the powers of the Company:
  - (1) to purchase or otherwise acquire issued ordinary shares ("Share Buy-Backs") in the capital of the Company ("Shares") not exceeding in aggregate the Prescribed Limit (as hereinafter defined), at such price(s) as may be determined by the Directors of the Company from time to time up to the Maximum Price (as hereinafter defined), whether by way of:

     (i) on-market Share Buy-Backs (each an "On-market Share Buy-Back") transacted on the SGX-ST; and/or
     (ii) off-market Share Buy-Backs (each an "Off-market Share Buy-Back") effected otherwise than on the SGX-ST in accordance with any equal access schemes as may be determined or formulated by the Directors of the Company as they consider fit, which schemes other activity all the compating accession.

    - shall satisfy all the conditions prescribed by the Companies Act,
  - and otherwise in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Companies Act and the Catalist Rules, be and is hereby authorised and approved generally and unconditionally (the "Share Buy-Back Mandate");
- (b) unless varied or revoked by the Company in general meeting, the authority conferred on the Directors pursuant to the Share Buy-Back Mandate may be exercised by the Directors at any time and from time to time during the period commencing from the date of the passing of this Resolution and expiring on the earlier of:
  - the date on which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is held or required by law to be held; (i)
  - the date on which the purchases or acquisitions of shares pursuant to the Share Buy-Back are carried out to the full extent mandated; or (ii)
  - (iii) the date on which the authority conferred by the Share Buy-Back Mandate is revoked or varied by the Company in general meeting; ("Relevant Period")
- (c) in this Resolution:

"Prescribed Limit" means ten per cent. (10%) of the total number of Shares as at the date of passing of this Resolution unless the Company has effected a reduction of the share capital of the Company in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Companies Act at any time during the Relevant Period, in which event the issued ordinary share capital of the Company shall be taken to be the amount of the issued ordinary share capital of the Company as altered (excluding any treasury shares that may be held by the Company from time to time); "Maximum Price" in relation to a Share to be purchased or acquired, means the purchase price (excluding brokerage, commissions, stamp duties, applicable goods and services tax and other related expenses) to be paid for a Share, which shall not exceed:

- in the case of an On-market Share Buy-Back, five per cent. (5%) above the average of the closing market prices of the Shares over the last five (5) market days on the SGX-ST on which transactions in the Shares were recorded, immediately preceding the day of the On-market Share Buy-Back by the Company, and deemed to be adjusted for any corporate action that occurs after such five (5)-day period; and
- in the case of an Off-market Share Buy-Back pursuant to an equal access scheme, twenty per cent. (20%) above the average of the closing market prices of the Shares over the last five (5) market days on the SGX-ST on which transactions in the Shares were recorded, immediately preceding the day on which the Company announces its intention to make an offer for the purchase of Shares from Shareholders, stating the purchase price for each Share and the relevant terms of the equal access scheme for effecting the Off-market Share Buy-Back, and deemed to be adjusted for any corporate action that occurs after such five (5)-day period; and (ii)
- (d) the Directors and/or any of them be and are hereby authorised to complete and do all such acts and things (including executing such documents as may be required) as they and/or he may consider necessary or expedient to give effect to the transactions contemplated by this Resolution. [See Explanatory Note (iii)] (Resolution 9)

(Resolution 5) (Resolution 6)

(Resolution 8)

#### **Company Secretary**

Singapore, 12 April 2017

## **Explanatory Notes:**

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- **Idanatory Notes:** Ordinary Resolution 7, if passed, will empower the Directors from the date of the above Meeting until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law to be held or such authority is varied or revoked by the Company in a general meeting, whichever is the earlier, to allot and issue Shares and convertible securities in the Company up to a number not exceeding, in total, one hundred per cent. (100%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) in the capital of the Company, of which up to fifty per cent. (50%) may be issued other than on a *pro-rata* basis to shareholders. Ordinary Resolution 8, 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 authority is varied or revoked by the Company in a general meeting, whichever is the earlier, to issue of the use to be held or such authority is varied or revoked by the Company in a general meeting, whichever is the earlier, to issue from time to time such number of fully-paid shares in the capital of the Company as may be required to be issued pursuant to the exercise of options granted or to be granted under the Scheme. The aggregate number of shares which may be issued pursuant to the Scheme shall not exceed fifteen per cent. (15%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) in the capital of the Company from time to time. (ii) (excluding treasury shares) in the capital of the Company from time to time.
- (iii) Ordinary Resolution 9, if passed, will empower the Directors of the Company, effective until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company, or the date by which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law to held, or the date on which purchases and acquisitions of shares pursuant to the Share Buy-Back Mandate are carried out to the full extent mandated, whichever is earlier, to repurchase ordinary shares of the Company by way of On-market Share Buy-Back or Off-market Share Buy-Back of up to ten per cent. (10%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) in the capital of the Company up to the Maximum Price. Information relating to this proposed Resolution are set out in the Appendix attached.

#### Notes:

- A member who is not a relevant intermediary is entitled to appoint not more than two (2) proxies to attend, speak and vote on his behalf at the Annual General Meeting. 1.
- Where a member appoints more than one (1) proxy, the member shall specify the proportion of his shareholding to be represented by each proxy. If no such proportion or number is specified, the first named proxy may be treated as representing 100% of the shareholding and any second 2. named proxy as an alternate to the first named.
- For any member who acts as an intermediary pursuant to Section 181(6) of the Companies Act, Cap. 50, who is either: 3.
  - (a) a banking corporation licensed under the Banking Act (Cap. 19) or its wholly-owned subsidiary which provides nominee services and holds shares in that capacity;
  - (b) a capital markets services licence holder which provides custodial services for securities and holds shares in that capacity; or
  - (c) Central Provident Fund ("CPF") Board established by the Central Provident Fund Act (Cap. 36), in respect of shares purchased on behalf of the CPF investors.

You are entitled to appoint one (1) or more proxies to attend and vote at the meeting. The proxy need not be a member of the Company. Please note that if any of your shareholdings are not specified in the list provided by the intermediary to the Company, the Company may have the sole discretion to disallow the said participation of the said proxy at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

- If the appointor is a corporation, the instrument appointing a proxy must be executed under seal or the hand of its duly authorised officer or attorney
- The instrument appointing a proxy must be deposited at the registered office of the Company at 267 Pandan Loop, Singapore 128439 not less than forty-eight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the Annual General Meeting. 5

This announcement has been prepared by Hosen Group Ltd (the "**Company**") and its contents have been reviewed by the Company's sponsor, PrimePartners Corporate Finance Pte. Ltd. (the "**Sponsor**") for compliance with the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "**SGX-ST**") Listing Manual Section B: Rules of Catalist. The Sponsor has not verified the contents of this announcement.

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