

## FURTHER UPDATE ON THE INQUIRY CONDUCTED BY SINGAPORE MEDICAL COUNCIL ("SMC") DISCIPLINARY TRIBUNAL

The Board of Directors (the "**Board**") of TalkMed Group Limited (the "**Company**", together with its subsidiaries, collectively the "**Group**") refers to its announcements on 8 May 2015, 17 July 2016, 13 August 2016 and 23 August 2016 in relation to the update on the inquiry conducted by SMC's Disciplinary Tribunal and wishes to provide further update on this matter.

The Board wishes to inform shareholders that Dr Ang Peng Tiam ("**Dr Ang**"), the Chief Executive Officer of the Company has been given an eight-month suspension by the Court of Three Judges. The suspension will begin on 25 July 2017.

"We are disappointed with the verdict. Our immediate focus is to ensure that the medical needs of Dr Ang's patients continue to be well taken care of." said Mr Chandra Das, the Non-Executive Chairman of the Group ("**Mr Das**").

All of Dr Ang's cases will be handed over to his colleagues including Dr Khoo Kei Siong, the current Chief Operating Officer of the Group. With a team of 12 specialist doctors, the operations of the Group will continue as usual and the Group has taken steps to minimise disruption to patients and to the business.

During the period of his suspension, Dr Ang will not be involved in any patient care but he will continue to lead the Group and develop other growth opportunities.

The Group is operationally sound and on a firm financial footing. While the verdict may have a material impact on the Group's earnings, the Board is confident that the suspension will not have a major long-term effect on the Group.

"We look forward to Dr Ang resuming his patient care duties in eight months," said Mr Das.

By Order of the Board

Lee Boon Yong Chief Financial Officer 28 June 2017 This announcement has been prepared by the Company and its contents have been reviewed by the Company's sponsor, Hong Leong Finance Limited (the **"Sponsor"**), for compliance with the relevant rules of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the **"SQX-ST"**). The Sponsor has not independently verified the contents of this announcement. This announcement has not been examined or approved by the SGX-ST and the SGX-ST assumes no responsibility for the contents of this announcement including the correctness of any of the statements or opinions made or reports contained in this announcement.

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