

Registration No. 196200046K

## **RESPONSE TO SGX QUERY**

The Board of Directors of Chemical Industries (Far East) Limited (the 'Company') in response to the query raised by Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited on 4 June 2022.

## **SGX Query**

We refer to the Company's announcement on 28 September 2021 on changes to the Board of Directors and corporate management of the Company. The Company had disclosed that with the cessation of Mr Lim Soo Peng as Managing Director with effect from 1 October 2021, the Company had appointed Mr Chng Hee Kok as interim Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Company on a contract basis for an initial period of six months from 1 October 2021 until 31 March 2022, with the Company having an option to renew Mr Chng's contract for another three months, while the Board conducts a search for a permanent CEO. Please provide an update on the status of Mr Chng's role as interim CEO of the Company, and disclose whether any replacement CEO has been appointed.

## Company's Response

An international recruitment firm has been engaged to assist the Company to search for a new CEO. As the search is still ongoing, the Company has extended Mr Chng's term as interim CEO for another 3 months. An announcement will be made when a new CEO has been appointed.

## By Order of the Board

Foo Soon Soo (Ms) Secretary

6 April 2022