If you are in doubt as to any aspect of this circular or as to the action to be taken, you should consult your stockbroker or other registered dealer in securities, bank manager, solicitor, professional accountant or other professional adviser.

If you have sold or transferred all your shares in Shandong Chenming Paper Holdings Limited you should at once

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DEFINITIONS

In this circular, the following expressions shall have the meanings set out below unless the context requires otherwise:

"A Share(s)" the domestic share(s) in the share capital of the Company,

with a nominal value of RMB1.00 each, which are listed on the Shenzhen Stock Exchange and traded in RMB

(stock code: 000488);

"AGM" the 2023 annual general meeting to be held by the

Company on Tuesday, 14 May 2024 at 2:30 p.m. at the conference room of the research and development centre of the Company, No. 2199 Nongsheng Road East, Shouguang City, Shandong Province, the People's

Republic of China;

"Articles of Association" the articles of association of the Company, i.e. the

Articles of Association of Shandong Chenming Paper

Holdings Limited;

"B Share(s)" the domestic listed foreign share(s) in the share capital of

the Company, with a nominal value of RMB1.00 each, which are listed on the Main Board of Shenzhen Stock Exchange and traded in Hong Kong dollars (stock code:

200488);

"Board" the board of directors of the Company;

"Chairman" the chairman of the Company;

"Company" Shandong Chenming Paper Holdings Limited*, a joint

stock limited liability company incorporated in the PRC whose H Shares are listed on the Main Board of the Stock

Exchange;

"CSRC" the China Securities Regulatory Commission;

"Director(s)" the director(s) of the Company;

"H Share(s)" the overseas listed foreign share(s) in the share capital of

the Company, with a nominal value of RMB1.00 each, which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange and traded in Hong Kong dollars (stock code:

01812);

"Hong Kong" the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the

PRC;

"Listing Rules" the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the

Stock Exchange;

"Mandatory Provisions"	the Mandatory Provisions for the Articles of Association of Companies Listed Overseas;
"Measures for Administration of Independent Directors"	The Measures for Administration of Independent Directors of Shandong Chenming Paper Holdings Limited;
"Meilun (BVI)"	Meilun (BVI) Limited, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company;
"Notice of 2023 AGM"	the notice of AGM set out in pages 96 to 99 of this circular;
"Overseas Bonds"	the corporate bonds to be issued overseas of no more than RMB2.0 billion (inclusive) or equivalent in foreign currency by Meilun (BVI);
"PRC"	the People's Republic of China, for the purposes of this circular, excludes Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC, Macau Special Administrative Region of the PRC and Taiwan;
"Procedural Rules of the Board Meeting"	The Procedural Rules of the Board Meeting of Shandong Chenming Paper Holdings Limited;
"Procedural Rules of the General Meeting"	The Procedural Rules of the General Meeting of Shandong Chenming Paper Holdings Limited;
"RMB"	Renminbi, the lawful currency of the PRC;
"Share(s)"	A Share(s), B Share(s) and H Share(s);
"Shareholder(s)"	holder(s) of shares of the Company;
"Shenzhen Stock Exchange"	the Shenzhen Stock Exchange;



The purpose of this circular is to provide you with information of certain resolutions proposed at the AGM to enable you to make informed decisions to vote on the relevant resolution at the AGM.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

On 14 February 2023, the State Council issued the Decision of the State Council to Repeal Certain Administrative Regulations and Documents (《國務院關於廢止部分行政法規 和文件的決定》), pursuant to which the Special Regulations were abolished. As approved by the State Council, the CSRC issued the Trial Administrative Measures on 17 February 2023, pursuant to which the Mandatory Provisions were abolished, which became effective on 31 March 2023. The Stock Exchange amended the Listing Rules pursuant to the Trial Administrative Measures, which became effective on 1 August 2023. In addition, to regulate the conduct of independent Directors, fully utilize the role of independent Directors in the governance of listed companies and promote quality improvement of listed companies, the CSRC and the Shenzhen Stock Exchange successively issued the Measures for the Administration of Independent Directors of Listed Companies (《上市公司獨立董事管理辦 法》) and the Guidelines for Self-discipline Regulation of Listed Companies of Shenzhen Stock Exchange No. 1 - Standard Operation of Listed Companies on the Main Board (as amended in December 2023) (《深圳證券交易所上市公司自律監管指引第1號-主板上市公司 規範運作(2023年12月修訂)》) in August 2023. Accordingly, the Board proposes to amend the corresponding articles of the Articles of Association. Details of the proposed amendments to the Articles of Association are set out in Appendix I to this circular. The English version of the proposed amendments to the Articles of Association is an unofficial translation of the Chinese version and is for reference only. In case of discrepancies between the Chinese and the English version, the Chinese version shall prevail.

The resolution in relation to the amendments to the Articles of Association was considered and approved at the eighth meeting of the tenth session of the Board held on 28 March 2024, and are now submitted as a special resolution for consideration and approval at the AGM. The amendmentsamenmene Asso2.7(Ther-492.7(Thw)-je7.5(ndments)-6(amenmene)-2.7(The)-345.8

, on the Guidelines for Self-discipline Stock Exchange No. 1 – Standard Operation amended in December 2023) (《深圳證券交易規範運作(2023年12月修訂)》) in August 2023 corresp25ng ar2ents2engs2eng to Adminis28rdins Inde98rdinent .de98rdine 28rdine 28rdine 28rdine 28rdines Inde98rdine 28rdine 28

LETTER FROM THE BOARD

PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF CORPORATE BONDS IN AGGREGATE OF NO MORE THAN RMB2.0 BILLION

Particulars of the issuance of the Overseas Bonds, if proceeds, are as follows:

1. Issuer

The issuer will be the Company or Meilun (BVI) Limited, an overseas wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company.

2. Size of issuance

The Overseas Bonds shall be issued with a size of no more than RMB2.0 billion (inclusive) or equivalent in foreign currency (calculated based on the foreign exchange rate at the time of issuance) in one or several tranches. The specific amount is subject to the amount reviewed by or filed with the relevant state authorities.

3. Term of issuance

The term will not be more than 5 years (inclusive, may be issued in tranches).

4. Coupon rate

The coupon rate will be determined based on the foreign debt market conditions at the time of issuance.

5. Use of proceeds

The proceeds will be used to, among others, replace domestic and overseas debts, purchase raw materials, replenish working capital, and for project construction.

6. Guarantees and other arrangements

The Company will choose guarantees or other credit enhancement methods based on market conditions, including but not limited to a guarantee with unconditional and irrevocable joint liability provided by the Company or a standby letter of credit provided by a bank or a guarantee provided by a credit enhancement company. The specific arrangements will be determined by the management of the Company based on the issuance structure and other relevant specific circumstances during the implementation of this proposal as authorised by the Board which will be proposed for authorisation at the AGM.

7. Venue of listing

The Stock Exchange or other overseas exchanges.

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8. Term of validity of the resolution

The resolution on the issuance of the Overseas Bonds is valid for 60 months from the date of approval at the AGM.

9. Authority matters related to the issuance of the Overseas Bonds

In order to ensure the orderly and efficient execution of the issuance of the Overseas Bonds, the Board will propose the AGM to approve the Board authorising the management of the Company to handle matters related to the issuance of the Overseas Bonds according to the above issuance plan, including but not limited to: (1) formulate the specific issuance plan of the issuance of the Overseas Bonds and amend and adjust the issuance clauses of the issuance of the Overseas Bonds, including but not limited to matters related to the declaration and issuance of the Overseas Bonds such as specifically determining the timing of the issuance, issuance size, the number of issuance tranches, bond interest rate or its determination method within the scope permitted by laws and regulations and according to the specific conditions of the Company and the market; (2) decide on the engaging of underwriters and other intermediaries that will provide services for the issuance of the Overseas Bonds to conduct the issuance of the Overseas Bonds; (3) sign contracts, agreements and documents related to the issuance of the Overseas Bonds, including but not limited to issuing application documents, underwriting agreements, various announcements, etc.; (4) perform necessary procedures, including but not limited to relevant registration procedures; (5) carry out all other necessary matters related to the issuance of the Overseas Bonds; and (6) the authorisation period starts from the date when the resolution of the issuance of the Overseas Bonds is approved at the AGM until the date when the AGM resolution of the issuance of the Overseas Bonds expires.

The Company will provide guarantee for the issuance of the Overseas Bonds by Meilun (BVI). The guarantee methods include but not limited to provision by the Company of surety guarantee with unconditional and irrevocable joint liability. The scope of guarantee includes the principal and interest of the Overseas Bonds issued by Meilun (BVI). The above guarantee agreement has not yet been signed, and its final terms will be determined upon signing. Details of the guarantee are as follows:

Guaranteed party: Meilun (BVI) Limited

Date of establishment: 30 August 2018

Domicile: No. 3170, Road Town, Tortola Island, British Virgin Islands

Director: Jia Guanlei

Registered capital: USD50,000

Scope of business: Import and export trade of paper products such as machine-made paper and paper board, raw materials for paper making and paper making machinery.

Shareholding structure: Shandong Chenming Paper Sales Company Limited*, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, holds its 100% equity interest.

Meilun (BVI) was established mainly for issuing Overseas Bonds of the Company, and has no other business operations.

Meilun (BVI) is not a dishonest entity subject to enforcement.

As at the date of this circular, the aggregate balance of external guarantees provided by the Company and its subsidiaries was RMB13.596 billion, accounting for 81.45% of the latest

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If you intend to appoint a proxy to attend the AGM, you are required to complete and return the proxy form in accordance with the instructions printed thereon. For holder of H Shares, the proxy form should be returned to Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited by hand, by post or by fax not less than 24 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM or any adjourned meeting thereof. Completion and return of the proxy form will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the AGM or at any adjourned meeting should you so wish, but in such event the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

RECOMMENDATION

The Board is of the view that the above resolutions are in the best interest of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Accordingly, the Board recommends the Shareholders to vote in favour of the relevant resolutions which will be proposed at the AGM.

RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

This circular includes particulars given in compliance with the Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with respect to the Company. The information contained herein relating to the Company has been supplied by the Directors, who collectively and individually accept full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in this circular and confirm, having made all reasonable enquiries, that to the best of their knowledge and belief, there are no other facts not contained in this circular the omission of which would make any statement herein misleading insofar as it relates to the Company.

OTHER INFORMATION

Your attention is drawn to the additional information set out in the appendices to this circular.

Yours faithfully
By order of the Board
Shandong Chenming Paper
Holdings Limited
Chen Hongguo
Chairman

(The Articles of Association is formulated in accordance with the currently effective law, regulation and constitutional system of The Company Law of the People's Republic of China (the "Company Law"), Special Provisions of the State Council Concerning the Floatation and Listing Abroad of Stocks by Limited Stock Companies (State Council Order No. 160) (the "Special Provisions"), Mandatory Provisions for the Articles of Association of Companies **Listed Overseas (the "Mandatory** Provisions"), Circular Regarding **Comments on the Amendments to Articles of Association of Companies** Listed in Hong Kong ("Zheng Jian Hai Han [1995] No.1"), Opinions on Further Standardising Operations and Intensifying Reforms of Companies Listed Overseas ("Opinions"), Notice on further implementation of Cash Dividends Distribution of Listed Companies (Zheng Jian Fa [2012] No. 37), Guidelines for the Articles of Association for Listed Companies (as amended in 2022) (the "Guidelines for the Articles of Association"), Code of Corporate Governance for Listed Companies (the "CG Code" or "CSRC Announcement [2018] No. 29"), Procedural Rules for General Meeting of Listed Companies (the "Procedural Rules for General Meeting" or "CSRC Announcement [2022] No. 13"), Rules for Independent Directors of Listed Companies ("Rules for Independent Directors", "CSRC Announcement [2022] No. 14"),

Amended Articles

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Regulatory Guidance for Listed Companies No. 3 – Distribution of Cash Dividends by Listed Companies (as amended in 2022) ("Distribution of Cash Dividends by Listed Companies" or "CSRC Announcement [2022] No. 3"), Guidelines for Selfdiscipline Regulation of Listed Companies of Shenzhen Stock Exchange No. 1 -Standard Operation of Listed Companies on the Main Board ("Guidelines for Standard Operation"), Reply of the State Council on the Adjustment of the Notice Period of the General Meeting and Other Matters Applicable to Overseas Listed Companies ("Reply of the State Council") and Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules") and Rules Governing the Listing of Securities of Shenzhen Stock Exchange (the "SZSE Listing Rules").)

Amended Articles

Exchange No. 1 – Standard Operation of Listed Companies on the Main Board (as amended in December 2023) ("Guidelines for Standard Operation"), Reply of the State Council on the Adjustment of the Notice Period of the General Meeting and Other Matters Applicable to Overseas Listed Companies ("Reply of the State Council") and Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules") and Rules Governing the Listing of Securities of Shenzhen Stock Exchange (the "SZSE Listing Rules").)

Article 1

Shandong Chenming Paper Holdings Limited (the "Company") is a joint-stock company with limited liability established under The Company Law of the People's Republic of China (the "Company Law"), State Council's Special Regulations on the Overseas Offering and Listing of Shares by Joint Stock Limited Companies (the "Regulations"), and other

Article 1

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Original Articles Article 32 The Company may, according to its business and development needs, increase its capital pursuant to the approval required under provisions of the Articles. The Company may increase its capital by: (1) Offering new shares to unspecific investors; (2) Placing new shares to existing shareholders; (3) Issuing bonus new shares to existing shareholders;

(4) Issuing new shares to specific investors; and

(5) Other ways approved by laws and regulations.

To increase its capital by issuing new shares, the Company shall obtain the approval under provisions of the Articles, and proceed according to laws and regulations of the PRC.

Article 34

Unless otherwise provided by laws and regulations, **ordinary** shares of the Company can be freely transferred, clear of any lien.

Article 37

Issues or transfer of all overseas listed foreign shares will be registered on the register of shareholders of overseas listed foreign shares, which is deposited in Hong Kong according to **Article 58** of the Articles.

Amended Articles

Article 32

The Company may, according to its business and development needs and laws and regulations, and subject to resolutions of the General Meeting, may increase its capital by:

- (1) Public offering shares;
- (2) Non-public offering shares;
- (3) Issuing bonus shares to existing shareholders;
- (4) Converting capital reserves into share capital; and
- (5) Other ways approved by laws and regulations.

To increase its capital by issuing new shares, the Company shall obtain the approval under provisions of the Articles, and proceed according to laws and regulations of the PRC.

Article 34

Unless otherwise provided by laws and regulations, shares of the Company can be freely transferred, clear of any lien.

Article 37

Issues or transfer of all overseas listed foreign shares will be registered on the register of shareholders of overseas listed foreign shares, which is deposited in Hong Kong according to **Article 52** of the Articles.

Article 43

To reduce its registered capital, the Company shall prepare a balance sheet and an inventory of assets.

The Company shall notify its creditors within 10 days of the resolution for the reduction of its registered capital, and shall make—at least three announcements on newspapers within 30 days thereof. The creditors have the right, within 30 days of receiving the notice or, if such notice is not received, within 45 days of the publication of the announcement, to require the Company to repay its debts or provide a guarantee for the repayment.

The reduced registered capital of the Company shall not be lower than the minimum amount prescribed by law.

Article 46

Subject to the approval of governing regulatory authorities, the Company may repurchase its outstanding shares through:

- (1) a general offer of repurchase to all shareholders of relevant classes in equal proportion;
- (2) open trading on a stock exchange;
- (3) an off-market repurchase agreement; or
- (4) other ways approved by laws and regulations.

Amended Articles

Article 43

To reduce its registered capital, the Company shall prepare a balance sheet and an inventory of assets.

The Company shall notify its creditors within 10 days of the resolution for the reduction of its registered capital, and shall make announcements on newspapers within 30 days thereof. The creditors have the right, within 30 days of receiving the notice or, if such notice is not received, within 45 days of the publication of the announcement, to require the Company to repay its debts or provide a guarantee for the repayment.

The reduced registered capital of the Company shall not be lower than the minimum amount prescribed by law.

Article 46

The Company may acquires its own shares through open and centralised trading or other methods permitted by laws, regulations, regulatory provisions, self-disciplinary rules and other relevant provisions. Acquisition of the Company's own shares under the circumstances set out in (3), (5) and (6) of paragraph 1 of Article 44 of the Articles of Association shall be made through open and centralised trading.

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 47	Deleted
The Company may, with the prior	
approval of a general meeting in	
accordance with the Articles, repurchase	
its outstanding shares under an off-	
market agreement. Subject to the prior	
approval of a general meeting so	
obtained, the Company may release or	
revise any agreement so entered into by	
the Company or waive any of its rights.	
The said agreement to repurchase	
shares includes without limitation the	
agreement to assume the obligation or to	
acquire rights to repurchase shares of	
the Company.	
Article 48	
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The Company shall not assign the	
share repurchase agreement or any of its	
rights under such agreement.	
Article 49	
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Where the Company has the power	
to repurchase redeemable shares,	
purchases not made through the market	
or by tender shall be limited to a	
maximum price; if shares are	
repurchased by tender, tenders shall be	
available to all shareholders.	

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 51	Deleted
Unless the Company is in the	
course of liquidation, it must comply	
with the following provisions in respect	
of repurchase of its outstanding shares:	
(1) Where the Company	
repurchases its shares at par value,	
payment shall be made out of book	
balance of the distributable profits of	
the Company or out of proceeds from	
the issue of new shares made for that	
purpose;	
(2) Where the Company	
repurchases its shares at a premium to	
their par value, payment up to the par	
value shall be made out of the book	
balance of distributable profits of the	
Company or out of the proceeds from	
the issue of new shares made for that	
purpose. Payment of the portion in	
excess of the par value shall be treated	
as follows:	
1. if the shares repurchased were	
issued at par value, payment shall be	
made out of the book balance of the	
distributable profits of the Company;	
2. if the shares repurchased were	
issued at a premium to their par value,	
payment shall be made out of the book	
balance of the distributable profits of	
the Company or out of the proceeds	
from the issue of new shares made for	
that purpose, provided that the amount	
paid out of such proceeds shall not	
exceed the aggregate of premiums	
received by the Company from the issue	
of the shares repurchased nor the	
current amount of the Company's share	
premium account (or capital reserve	
account) (including the premiums on the	
new share issue);	

Original Articles	Amended Articles
(3) Payment of the Company for	
following activities shall be made out of	
the Company's distributable profits:	
1. acquisition of rights to	
repurchase shares of the Company;	
2. modification of any contract for	
repurchasing shares of the Company;	
and	
3. release of its obligation under	
any contract for repurchasing its shares.	
(4) After the Company's registered	
capital has been reduced by the total	
par value of the cancelled shares in	
accordance with applicable provisions,	
the amount deducted from the	
distributable profits of the Company for	
payment of the par value portion of the	
shares repurchased shall be transferred	
to the Company's share premium	
account (or capital reserve account).	
Article 52	Article 48
The Company or its subsidiaries	The Company or its subsidiaries
shall not, by any means at any time,	shall not, by any means at any time,
provide any kind of financial assistance	provide any kind of financial assistance
to a person who is acquiring or will	to a person who is acquiring or will
acquire shares of the Company. The said	acquire shares of the Company. The said
person includes those who directly or	person includes those who directly or
indirectly assume any obligations caused	indirectly assume any obligations caused
by the acquisition of shares.	by the acquisition of shares.
The Company or its subsidiaries	The Company or its subsidiaries
shall not, by any means at any time,	shall not, by any means at any time,
provide financial assistance to the said	provide financial assistance to the said
acquirer for the purpose of reducing or	acquirer for the purpose of reducing or
discharging the obligations assumed by	discharging the obligations assumed by
that person.	that person.
This provision does not apply to the	This provision does not apply to the
circumstances stated in Article 54 herein.	circumstances stated in Article 50 herein.
Article 54	Article 50

The following activities shall not be

deemed prohibited by Article 48:

The following activities shall not be

deemed prohibited by Article 52:

	Original Articles	Amended Articles
	Article 55	Tamondou Til Vicios
	Share certificates of the Company	
	shall be in registered form.	
-	The following major items shall be	
	on the share certificate of the	
	Company:	
	(I) the Company's name;	
	the Company's registration	
	THE CONTRACTOR OF THE CONTRACT	
	the class of the share certificate,	
	the par value and the number of shares	
	termsented by the share certificate;	
	(4) the serial number of the share	
	certificate; and	
	other items required to be	
	specified by the stock exchange(s) where	
	shares of the Company are listed in	
	addition to those provided in the	
	Company Law and Special Regulations.	
	Article 56	

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 59	Deleted
The Company shall maintain a	
complete register of shareholders. The	
register of shareholders shall include:	
(1) the register of shareholders	
deposited at the Company's domicile	
(other than those parts as described in	
(2) and (3) of this Articles);	
(2) the register of shareholders in	
respect of the holders of overseas listed	
foreign shares of the Company deposited	
at the place where the overseas stock	
exchange where the shares are listed is	
located;	
(3) the register of shareholders	
deposited at such other place as the	
Board may consider necessary for the	
purpose of listing of the Company's	
shares.	
Article 60	
Different parts of the register of	
shareholders shall not overlap one	
another. No transfer of the shares	
registered in any part of the register	
shall, during the existence of that	
registration, be registered in any other	
part of the register of shareholders.	
Alteration or rectification of each	
part of the register of shareholders shall	
be made in accordance with the laws of	
the place where that part of the register	
of shareholders is deposited.	

Article 66

Proceeds from sales of the Company's shares within six (6) months of the purchase and from purchase of the Company's shares within six (6) months of sales by Directors, supervisors, senior management and shareholders who hold over 5% of the Company's shares belong to the Company and will be obtained by the Board of Directors of the Company, except for securities brokers that purchase more than 5% of the Company's shares as a result of the outstanding stocks after the underwriting of shares and other circumstances stipulated by the China Securities Regulatory Commission.

If Board of Directors of the Company fails to comply with the foregoing provision, shareholders have the right to require the Board to comply with the provision within thirty (30) days. If the Board fails to do so as required, shareholders have the right to bring proceedings in their names to people's counts in the interests of the Company.

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Amended Articles

Article 59

Proceeds from sales of the Company's shares within six (6) months of the purchase and from purchase of the Company's shares within six (6) months of sales by Directors, supervisors, senior management and shareholders who hold over 5% of the Company's shares belong to the Company and will be obtained by the Board of Directors of the Company, except for securities brokers that purchase more than 5% of the Company's shares as a result of the outstanding stocks after the underwriting of shares and other circumstances stipulated by the China Securities Regulatory Commission.

The shares or other equity securities held by Directors, supervisors, senior management or natural person shareholder mentioned in the preceding paragraph shall include the shares or other equity securities held by his/her spouse, parents and children and held through another person's account.

If Board of Directors of the Company fails to comply with the foregoing provision, shareholders have the right to require the Board to comply with the provision within thirty (30) days. If the Board fails to do so as required, shareholders have the right to bring proceedings in their names to people's counts in the interests of the Company.

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Original Articles Amended Articles Article 67 Article 60

When any shareholder holds 5% or more of the shares issued by the Company, the shareholder shall report to securities supervisory authorities of PRC and the stock exchange in writing, notify the Company and make an announcement within three (3) working days of the date when the fact happens; during the given period, the shareholder shall not purchase or sell the Company's shares.

When, through securities trading on a stock exchange, any investor holds 5% or more of the voting shares issued by the Company by himself or through any agreement, other arrangements or jointly with others, the shareholder shall report to securities supervisory authorities of the State Council and the stock exchange in writing, notify the Company and make an announcement within three (3) days of the date when the fact happens; during the given period, the shareholder shall not purchase or sell the Company's shares, except for circumstances stipulated by the securities regulatory authority of the State Council.

Article 68

After any shareholder holds by himself or through any agreement, other arrangements or jointly with others 5% or more of the Company's shares, the shareholder shall report to governing authorities and make announcements as required by the foregoing provision when the holder's shareholding of the Company's share increases or decreases 5% as a result of securities trade in the stock exchange. During the reporting period and two days of the reporting and announcement, the shareholder shall not purchase or sell the Company's shares.

Amended Articles

Article 61

If any investor holds 5% or more of the voting shares issued by the Company by himself/herself, or holds through any agreement, other arrangements or jointly with others, for every increase or decrease of 5% in the shareholding ratio of the Company's issued voting shares, such investor shall report to governing authorities and make announcements as required by the foregoing provision, and shall not trade the Company's shares between the occurrence date of such fact and within three (3) days after the date of the announcement, except for circumstances stipulated by the securities regulatory authority of the State Council.

After any investor holds 5% or more of the voting shares issued by the Company by himself/herself, or holds through any agreement, other arrangements or jointly with others, for every increase or decrease of 5% in the shareholding ratio of the Company's issued voting shares, the investor shall notify the Company on the day following the occurrence of such fact and make an announcement.

In the event of a breach of paragraph 1 and paragraph 2 in the purchase of the Company's voting shares, the voting rights of the shares in excess of the prescribed proportion shall not frig9(nt7tr8-362.9(shall)]TJO4tsabler)-345(every)-36236l

Article 69

When any shareholder's sole or joint holding of the Company's shares reaches 10% or such shareholder intends to increase his holding of the Company's shares, the shareholder shall disclose his holding of the Company's shares or further holding increase plans to the Company, apply to the Company for approval of such plans within three (3) days from the holding reaches 10% or the holding is increased. If the shareholder fails to disclose the information timely or completely or increase his holding of the Company's shares without consent of the Board of Directors, the shareholder is not entitled to the nomination for the Company's Directors and supervisors.

Article 70

When the Company intends to convene a shareholders' general meeting, distribute dividends, liquidate and engage in other activities that involve determination of shareholdings, the Board shall decide on a date for the determination of rights attaching to shares in the Company. Shareholders whose names appear in the register of shareholders at the end of the record date are shareholders of the Company.

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Article 62

For securities trading on a stock exchange, when an investor holds or jointly holds with others by agreement or other arrangement 30% of the issued voting shares of a listed company, and continues to make acquisitions, such investor shall make an offer to acquire all or part of the shares of the listed company to all shareholders of the listed company in accordance with the law.

The offer to acquire part of the shares of the listed company shall stipulate that if the amount of shares committed to be sold by the shareholders of the acquired company exceeds the amount of shares intended to be acquired, the acquirer shall acquire the shares on a proportional basis.

Article 63

When the Company intends to convene a shareholders' general meeting, distribute dividends, liquidate and engage in other activities that involve determination of shareholdings, the Board shall decide on a date for the determination of rights attaching to shares in the Company. Shareholders whose names appear in the register of shareholders at the end of the record date are shareholders of the Company.

Article 76

All shareholders of the Company have the following rights:

- (1) the right to dividends and other distributions in proportion to the number of shares held:
- (2) the right to attend or appoint a proxy to attend shareholders' general meetings and to exercise the voting right;
- (3) the right to supervise and manage business activities of the Company and to put forward proposals and raise inquiries;
- (4) the right to transfer shares held by them in accordance with the laws, administrative regulations and provisions of the Articles of Association;
- (5) the right to obtain relevant information in accordance with the provisions of the Articles of Association, including:
- 1. a copy of the Articles of Association, subject to payment of the cost of such copy;
- 2. to inspect and copy, subject to payment of a reasonable charge:
- (i) all parts of the register of shareholders:
- (ii) personal information of each of the Company's Directors, supervisors, managers, and other senior management, including:
- (a) present name and alias and any former name and alias;
 - (b) principal address (domicile);
 - (c) nationality;
- (d) primary and all other part-time occupations; and
- (e) identification document and its number;
- (iii) report on the state of the Company's share capital;

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Article 69

All shareholders of the Company have the following rights:

- (1) the right to dividends and other distributions in proportion to the number of shares held:
- (2) the right to request, convene, host, attend or appoint a proxy to attend shareholders' general meetings and to exercise the corresponding voting right;
- (3) the right to supervise and manage business activities of the Company and to put forward proposals and raise inquiries;
- (4) the right to transfer, gift or pledge shares held by them in accordance with the laws, administrative regulations and the Articles of Association;
- (5) the right to inspect the Articles of Association, the register of shareholders, corporate bond receipts, minutes of shareholders' general meetings, resolutions of Board meetings, resolutions of meetings of the Supervisory Committee and financial and accounting reports;
- (6) in the event of the termination or liquidation of the Company, to participate in the distribution of remaining assets of the Company in accordance with the number of shares held; and
- (7) the right to request the Company to acquire shares held by shareholders who disagree with the resolutions on mergers and division of the Company made by general meetings;
- (8) other rights provided by laws, administrative regulations and the Articles of Association.

- (iv) reports showing the aggregate par value, quantity, maximum and minimum prices paid in respect of each class of shares repurchased by the Company since the end of the last accounting year and the aggregate amount incurred by the Company for this purpose;
- $\label{eq:continuous} \mbox{(v) minutes of shareholders' general meetings.}$
- (6) in the event of the termination or liquidation of the Company, to participate in the distribution of remaining assets of the Company in accordance with the number of shares held; and
- (7) other rights provided by laws, administrative regulations and the Articles of Association.

The Company shall not exercise any power to freeze or infringe in any other way the rights carried by any share held by any person who enjoys interests directly or indirectly merely for the reason that he has not disclosed his interests to the Company.

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Article 72

Original Articles Article 79

All shareholders of the Company shall assume the following obligations:

- (1) to abide by the Articles of Association;
- (2) to pay subscription monies according to the number of shares subscribed and the method of subscription; and
- (3) Except for the circumstances stipulated by laws and regulations, no withdrawal of shares is allowed:
- (4) not to abuse the rights of shareholders to harm the interests of the Company or other shareholders; not to abuse the independent status of the Company as a legal person and the limited liability of shareholders to harm the interests of any creditors of the Company;
- (5) other obligations imposed by laws, administrative regulations and the Articles of Association.

Shareholders are not liable to make any further contribution to the share capital other than as agreed by the subscribers of the relevant shares on subscription.

All shareholders of the Company shall assume the following obligations:

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- (2) to pay subscription monies according to the number of shares subscribed and the method of subscription; and
- (3) Except for the circumstances stipulated by laws and regulations, no withdrawal of shares is allowed;
- (4) not to abuse the rights of shareholders to harm the interests of the Company or other shareholders; not to abuse the independent status of the Company as a legal person and the limited liability of shareholders to harm the interests of any creditors of the Company;
- (5) other obligations imposed by laws, administrative regulations and the Articles of Association.

Shareholders of the Company shall be liable for indemnity in accordance with the laws if he/she/it abuses his/her/its shareholder's rights and causes loss on the Company or other shareholders. Shareholders of the Company, who abuse the Company's independent status as a legal person and the shareholders' limited liability or evades the repayment of debts resulting in materially damaging the interests of the creditors of the Company, shall be jointly and severally liable for the debts of the Company.

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 94	Article 87
The shareholders' general meeting may exercise the following functions and	The shareholders' general meeting may exercise the following functions and
powers:	powers:
(1) to decide on the operating policies	(1) to decide on the operating policies
and investment plans of the Company;	and investment plans of the Company;
(11) to examine and approve the	(11) to examine and approve the
guarantee stipulated in Article 95;	guarantee stipulated in Article 88;

Article 97

General meetings of shareholders include **annual** and extraordinary general meetings of shareholders. A general meeting of shareholders shall be convened by the Board. The annual general meeting of shareholders shall be held once every year within six (6) months after the end of the previous accounting year.

The Board shall hold an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders within two (2) months upon the occurrence of one of the following circumstances:

- (1) the number of Directors is less than the number required by the Company Law or less than two-thirds of the number required by the Articles of Association;
- (2) the uncovered losses are in excess of one third of the Company's total share capital;
- (3) shareholders holding not less than 10% (inclusive) of the Company's issued shares with voting rights request in writing to hold an extraordinary general meeting;
- (4) the Board considers it necessary or the Supervisory Committee proposes to hold such a meeting;
- (5) independent Directors propose to hold such a meeting according to the Articles of Association; and
- (6) other circumstances as provided by laws and regulations, departmental rules or the Articles of Association.

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Article 90

General meetings of shareholders include **annual general meetings** and extraordinary general meetings of shareholders. A general meeting of shareholders shall be convened by the Board. The annual general meeting of shareholders shall be held once every year within six (6) months after the end of the previous accounting year.

The Board shall hold an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders within two (2) months upon the occurrence of one of the following circumstances:

- (1) the number of Directors is less than the number required by the Company Law or less than two-thirds of the number required by the Articles of Association;
- (2) the uncovered losses are in excess of one third of the Company's total paid-in capital;
- (3) request by shareholder(s) individually or jointly holding not less than 10% of the Company's shares;
- (4) the Board considers it necessary or the Supervisory Committee proposes to hold such a meeting;
- (5) independent Directors propose to hold such a meeting according to the Articles of Association; and
- (6) other circumstances as provided by laws and regulations, departmental rules or the Articles of Association.

Article 108

When the Company convenes a shareholders' **annual** general meeting, shareholder(s) individually or jointly holding 3% (inclusive) or more of the total voting shares of the Company shall have the right to propose new motions in writing ten (10) working days prior to the meeting, and the Company shall issue a supplementary notice with regard to motions that fall within the functions and powers of the general meetings within two (2) working days of receiving such proposals.

The proposal on nomination of Directors shall be submitted, notified and announced at least 10 (ten) (Hong Kong) trading days before the date of convening the shareholders' general meeting.

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Article 101

When the Company convenes a shareholders' general meeting, shareholder(s) individually or jointly holding 3% (inclusive) or more of the total voting shares of the Company shall have the right to propose new motions in writing ten (10) working days prior to the meeting, and the Company shall issue a supplementary notice with regard to motions that fall within the functions and powers of the general meetings within two (2) working days of receiving such proposals.

The proposal on nomination of Directors shall be submitted, notified and announced at least 10 (ten) (Hong Kong) trading days before the date of convening the shareholders' general meeting.

Article 112

A notice of the general meeting shall contain the following contents or meet the following requirements:

- (1) made in written form:
- (2) specify the place, date and time of the meeting;
- (3) submit the matters and motions to the meeting for examination;
- (4) explain in clear words: all ordinary shareholders are entitled to attend the general meeting, and may appoint proxies in writing to attend the meeting and vote on their behalf. A proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company;
- (5) the record date for determining the entitlement of shareholders to attend the general meeting of shareholders;
- (6) the name and telephone number of the standing contact person for meeting affairs:
- (7) the voting time and voting procedures for online voting or other means of voting;
- (8) provide such information and explanation as are necessary for the shareholders to make an informed decision on the proposals put before them. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, where a proposal is made to amalgamate the Company with another, to repurchase the shares of the Company, to reorganize its share capital, or to restructure the Company in any other way, the terms of the proposed transaction must be provided in detail together with copies of the proposed contract, if any, and the cause and effect of such proposal must be properly explained;

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Article 105

A notice of the general meeting shall contain the following contents:

- (1) **the time, place and deadlines** of the meeting;
- (2) submit the matters and motions to the meeting for examination;
- (3) explain in clear words: all shareholders are entitled to attend the general meeting, and may appoint proxies in writing to attend the meeting and vote on their behalf. A proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company;
- (4) the record date for determining the entitlement of shareholders to attend the general meeting of shareholders;
- (5) the name and telephone number of the standing contact person for meeting affairs:
- (6) the voting time and voting procedures for online voting or other means of voting.

The notice and supplementary notice of the general meeting of shareholders shall fully and completely disclose all the specific contents of all motions. If the matters to be discussed require independent Directors to express their opinions, the independent Directors' opinions and reasons will be disclosed at the same time when the notice or supplementary notice of the general meeting of shareholders is issued.

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Original Articles
(9) contain a disclosure of the
nature and extent, if any, of the material
interests of any Director, supervisor,
managers, and other senior management
in the proposed transaction and the
effect that the proposed transaction will
have on them in their capacity as
shareholders in so far as it is different
from the effect on the interests of
shareholders of the same class;
(10) contain the full text of any
special resolution to be proposed at the
meeting;
(11) specify the time and place for
lodging proxy forms for the relevant
meeting.
The notice and supplementary notice
of the general meeting of shareholders
shall fully and completely disclose all the
specific contents of all motions. If the
matters to be discussed require
independent Directors to express their
opinions, the independent Directors'
opinions and reasons will be disclosed at
the same time when the notice or
supplementary notice of the general
meeting of shareholders is issued.

Article 118

Any shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the general meeting shall have the right to appoint one (1) or several persons (who may not be shareholders) to act as his proxy to attend and vote at the meeting on his behalf. The proxy so appointed by the shareholder may, pursuant to the instructions of the shareholder, exercise the following rights:

- (1) the right which the shareholder has to speak at the meeting;
- (2) the right to demand a poll alone or jointly with others;
- (3) Unless pursuant to the listing rules of the stock exchange on which the shares of the Company are listed or otherwise required by other securities laws and regulations, the right to exercise voting rights on a show of hands or on a poll, provided that where more than one proxy is appointed, the proxies may only exercise such voting rights on a poll.

If the said shareholder is a recognized clearing house by the Law of Hong Kong or its proxy (Recognized Clearing House), the shareholder may authorize one (1) or more suitable person to act as its representative at any shareholders' general meeting or at any class meeting; however, if more than one (1) person are authorized, the power of attorney shall clearly indicate the number and types of the stocks involved by way of the said authorization. The persons after such authorization may represent the Recognized Clearing House to exercise the rights, as if they were the individual shareholders of the Company.

Amended Articles

Article 111

Any shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the general meeting shall have the right to appoint one (1) or several persons (who may not be shareholders) to act as his proxy to attend and vote at the meeting on his behalf.

If the said shareholder is a recognized clearing house by the Law of Hong Kong or its proxy (Recognized Clearing House), the shareholder may authorize one (1) or more suitable person to act as its representative at any shareholders' general meeting or at any class meeting; however, if more than one (1) person are authorized, the power of attorney shall clearly indicate the number and types of the stocks involved by way of the said authorization. The persons after such authorization may represent the Recognized Clearing House to exercise the rights, as if they were the individual shareholders of the Company.

Article 137

The following matters shall be resolved by a special resolution at a shareholders' general meeting:

- (1) increase or reduction of the share capital and issue of shares of any class, stock warrants or other securities approved by the China Securities Regulatory Commission:
 - (2) issuance of corporate bonds;
- (3) the division, merger, dissolution and liquidation of the Company;
- (4) amendments to the Articles of Association and appendices (including the Procedural Rules of the General Meeting, the Procedural Rules of the Board of Directors Meeting and the Procedural Rules of Supervisors Meeting);
 - (5) spin-off of subsidiaries for listing;
- (6) purchase or disposal of material assets or any guarantee made within a year, and the amount of which exceeds 30% of the latest audited total assets of the Company;
- (7) repurchase of shares for the purpose of reducing the registered capital;
 - (8) material asset restructuring;
 - (9) option incentives;
- (10) resolution of the Company's general meeting of shareholders to voluntarily withdraw its shares from being listed and traded on Shenzhen Stock Exchange, and the decision to cease the trading on any stock exchange or to apply for trading or transfer on other trading venues:
- (11) any other matters stipulated by laws, administrative regulations or the Articles of Association, as well as other matters considered by the shareholders' general meeting, by way of an ordinary resolution, to have a substantial impact on the Company.

The motions mentioned in (5) and (10) in the preceding paragraph shall not only be approved by more than two thirds of the voting rights held by the shareholders present at the general meeting of shareholders, but also be approved by more than two-thirds of the voting rights held by shareholders other than the Directors, supervisors, and senior management of the Company and shareholders who individually or collectively hold more than 5% of the shares of the Company present at the meeting.

Amended Articles

Article 129

The following matters shall be resolved by a special resolution at a shareholders' general meeting:

- (1) increase or reduction of the share capital and issue of shares of any class, stock warrants or other securities approved by the China Securities Regulatory Commission:
- (2) the division, **spin-off**, merger, dissolution and liquidation of the Company;
- (3) amendments to the Articles of Association and appendices (including the Procedural Rules of the General Meeting, the Procedural Rules of the Board of Directors Meeting and the Procedural Rules of Supervisors Meeting);
 - (4) spin-off of subsidiaries for listing;
- (5) purchase or disposal of material assets or any guarantee made within a year, and the amount of which exceeds 30% of the latest audited total assets of the Company;
- (6) repurchase of shares for the purpose of reducing the registered capital;
 - (7) material asset restructuring;
 - (8) option incentives;
- (9) resolution of the Company's general meeting of shareholders to voluntarily withdraw its shares from being listed and traded on Shenzhen Stock Exchange, and the decision to cease the trading on any stock exchange or to apply for trading or transfer on other trading venues:
- (10) any other matters stipulated by laws, administrative regulations or the Articles of Association, as well as other matters considered by the shareholders' general meeting, by way of an ordinary resolution, to have a substantial impact on the Company.

The motions mentioned in (4) and (9) in the preceding paragraph shall not only be approved by more than two thirds of the voting rights held by the shareholders present at the general meeting of shareholders, but also be approved by more than two-thirds of the voting rights held by shareholders other than the Directors, supervisors, and senior management of the Company and shareholders who individually or collectively hold more than 5% of the shares of the Company present at the meeting.

Article 138

Other than the cumulative voting system set out in Article 144, the shareholders' general meeting will vote on all motions one by one, and for the different motions on the same matter, voting will be proceeded according to the order of the times these motions are put forward. Other than special reasons such as force majeure that results in the interruption of the meeting or makes it impossible to come to resolution, the shareholders' general meeting shall not postpone the motions and shall vote on them.

Article 143

Director candidates nominated in accordance with the procedures provided between Article 140 to 142 herein can join in the election. Candidates receiving at least half of and the most votes of shareholders (including their proxies) present at the General Meeting with voting rights will be elected as Directors.

Article 144

When making a vote in the election of Directors and supervisors in General Meeting, a cumulative voting system shall be implemented according to the requirements of the Articles of Association or a resolution passed by the General Meeting.

The cumulative voting system means each share, when voting to elect Directors or supervisors at the General Meeting, carries the number of voting rights equivalent to the number of the Directors or supervisors to be elected, and a shareholder may concentrate his or her voting rights.

Amended Articles

Article 130

Other than the cumulative voting system set out in **the Articles of Association**, the shareholders' general meeting will vote on all motions one by one, and for the different motions on the same matter, voting will be proceeded according to the order of the times these motions are put forward. Other than special reasons such as force majeure that results in the interruption of the meeting or makes it impossible to come to resolution, the shareholders' general meeting shall not postpone the motions and shall vote on them.

Article 135

Director candidates nominated in accordance with the procedures provided herein can join in the election.

Candidates receiving at least half of and the most votes of shareholders (including their proxies) present at the General Meeting with voting rights will be elected as Directors.

Article 136

When making a vote in the election of Directors and supervisors in General Meeting, a cumulative voting system shall be implemented according to the requirements of the Articles of Association or a resolution passed by the General Meeting. A cumulative voting system shall be implemented if more than two independent Directors are elected.

The cumulative voting system means each share, when voting to elect Directors or supervisors at the General Meeting, carries the number of voting rights equivalent to the number of the Directors or supervisors to be elected, and a shareholder may concentrate his or her voting rights.

Original Articles	Amended Articles	
Article 147	Amended Articles	
The General Meeting shall be chaired and presided over by the Board Chairman. When the Chairman is unable or fails to participate in the meeting, the vice-chairman shall convene and preside over the meeting; when the vice-chairman is unable or fail to participate in the meeting, a62ce p3Fc9*D133ct9(to)-362.dJTgn(thde)-362.9(B	oard)-362.9(Chairman.)]TJT*[(W)-362.62.9(sh feTJ62.9ET5647cm0091.525567.405)QBT/F11	

Article 175

Shareholders of the affected class, whether or not having the right to vote at the shareholders' general meeting, shall nevertheless have the right to vote at class meetings on matters referred to in clause (2) to (8) and (11) to (12) of **Article 174** of the Articles of Association, but interested shareholders shall not be entitled to vote at class meetings.

The interested shareholders mentioned in the preceding paragraph shall have the following meanings:

- (1) in the case of a repurchase of its own shares by the Company by making offers to all shareholders on a same pro rata basis or through public dealing on a stock exchange in accordance with Article 46 of the Articles of Association, "interested shareholder" shall refer to the controlling shareholders as defined in the second item of Article 362 of the Articles of Association:
- (2) in the case of a repurchase of its own shares by the Company through an off-market agreement in accordance with the provisions of Article 46 of the Articles of Association, "interested shareholders" shall refer to the shareholders to which the proposed agreement relates;
- (3) in the case of a restructuring of the Company, "interested shareholder" shall refer to a shareholder within a class who bears liabilities less than the proportion burden imposed on other shareholders of that class or who has interests different from those held by shareholders of the same class.

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Article 165

Shareholders of the affected class, whether or not having the right to vote at the shareholders' general meeting, shall nevertheless have the right to vote at class meetings on matters referred to in clause (2) to (8) and (11) to (12) of **Article 164** of the Articles of Association, but interested shareholders shall not be entitled to vote at class meetings.

The interested shareholders mentioned in the preceding paragraph shall have the following meanings:

- (1) in the case of a repurchase of its own shares by the Company by making offers to all shareholders on a same pro rata basis or through public dealing on a stock exchange, "interested shareholder" shall refer to the controlling shareholders as defined in the Articles of Association;
- (2) in the case of a repurchase of its own shares by the Company through an off-market agreement, "interested shareholders" shall refer to the shareholders to which the proposed agreement relates;
- (3) in the case of a restructuring of the Company, "interested shareholder" shall refer to a shareholder within a class who bears liabilities less than the proportion burden imposed on other shareholders of that class or who has interests different from those held by shareholders of the same class.

Article 179

The special procedures for voting by class shareholders shall not apply in the following circumstances:

- (1) where the Company issues, upon approval by a special resolution at a shareholders' general meeting, domestic shares and overseas listed foreign shares once every twelve (12) months, either separately or concurrently, and the respective numbers of domestic shares and overseas listed foreign shares to be issued do not exceed 20% of the respective numbers of the issued domestic shares and overseas listed foreign shares;
- (2) where the Company's plan to issue domestic shares and overseas listed foreign shares at the time of incorporation is carried out within fifteen (15) months from the date of approval by securities supervisory authorities of PRC; and
- (3) where shareholders holding domestic shares of the Company transfer their shares to overseas investors as stated in Article 26 herein and such shares are traded in overseas markets.

Article 181

Directors shall be elected at shareholders' general meeting. The term of office of the Directors shall be three (3) years. Upon maturity of the current term of office, a Director is eligible for reelection and reappointment.

The Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Board shall be elected and removed by more than one-half of all Directors. The term of office of the Chairman and Vice Chairman shall be three (3) years, renewable upon re-election.

The Directors shall not be required to hold shares of the Company.

Amended Articles

Article 169

The special procedures for voting by class shareholders shall not apply in the following circumstances:

- (1) where the Company issues, upon approval by a special resolution at a shareholders' general meeting, domestic shares and overseas listed foreign shares once every twelve (12) months, either separately or concurrently, and the respective numbers of domestic shares and overseas listed foreign shares to be issued do not exceed 20% of the respective numbers of the issued domestic shares and overseas listed foreign shares;
- (2) where the Company's plan to issue domestic shares and overseas listed foreign shares at the time of incorporation is carried out within fifteen (15) months from the date of approval by securities supervisory authorities of PRC; and
- (3) where shareholders holding domestic shares of the Company transfer their shares to overseas investors and such shares are traded in overseas markets.

Article 171

Directors shall be elected at shareholders' general meeting. The term of office of the Directors shall be three (3) years. Upon maturity of the current term of office, a Director is eligible for reelection and reappointment.

The Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Board shall be elected and removed by more than one-half of all Directors. The term of office of the Chairman and Vice Chairman shall be three (3) years, renewable upon re-election.

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 186	
The Board of Directors is responsible	
to the general meeting, with the following	
duties and authorities:	
(17) Perform other duties and	
authorities provided by the Articles of	
Association and granted by general	
meetings.	
All of the above resolutions adopted	
by the Board of Directors, except those	
in (6), (8), and (13) that must be	
approved by more than two-thirds of	

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 187	
In cases where the expected value	
of fixed assets proposed for disposal by	
the Board, when aggregated with value of fixed assets disposed within four (4)	
of fixed assets disposed within four (4)	

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 199	Article 188
The Board meeting may not be held unless not less than half of the Directors are present. Each Director has one vote. A resolution at the Board meeting shall be adopted by a simple majority of all the	The Board meeting may not be held unless not less than half of the Directors are present. Each Director has one vote. A resolution at the Board meeting shall be
adopted by a simple majority of all the	adopted by a simple majority of all the
Directors.	Directors.
If there is equal number of	
dissenting and affirmative votes, the	
chairman has the casting vote.	
Article 229	Article 218
The number of independent Directors of the Company will be no less than one third of the total of all directors, including at least one professional accountant holding a senior position or who is a certified public accountant	The number of independent Directors of the Company will be no less than one third of the total of all directors, including at least one professional accountant who complies with the laws, regulations,
certified public accountant.	regulatory provisions, self-disciplinary
	rules and other relevant provisions.

Article 231

Independent Directors shall assume a fiduciary duty and due diligence to the Company and its shareholders. Independent Directors should diligently perform their duties for the protection of the Company's interests as a whole and should particularly concern themselves that the lawful interests of minority shareholders are not infringed upon, in accordance with the requirements of relevant laws and regulations, the Rules for Independent **Directors** and the Articles of Association. Independent Directors should perform their duties independently without being subject to the influence of the substantial shareholders or beneficial controllers or other stakeholders (whether an individual or an entity) of the Company. An Independent Director shall take positions in **five** (5) listed companies at most on principle and shall have sufficient time and efforts to effectively perform duties of the Independent Director.

Article 232

If any Independent Director fails to comply with the requirement of independence or other requirements for performing the Independent Director's duties, resulting in the number of Independent Directors less than the minimum required by **the Rules for Independent Directors**, the Company shall supplement to the Independent Directors as required.

Amended Articles

Article 220

Independent Directors shall assume a fiduciary duty and due diligence to the Company and its shareholders. Independent Directors should diligently perform their duties for the protection of the Company's interests as a whole and should particularly concern themselves that the lawful interests of minority shareholders are not infringed upon, in accordance with the requirements of relevant laws and regulations, the Measures for **Independent Directors** and the Articles of Association. Independent Directors should perform their duties independently without being subject to the influence of the substantial shareholders or beneficial controllers or other stakeholders (whether an individual or an entity) of the Company. An Independent Director shall take positions in three (3) listed companies at most on principle and shall have sufficient time and efforts to effectively perform duties of the Independent Director.

Article 221

If any Independent Director fails to comply with the requirement of independence or other requirements for performing the Independent Director's duties, resulting in the number of Independent Directors less than the minimum required by **the Measures for Independent Directors**, the Company shall supplement to the Independent Directors as required.

Original Articles Article 234 Article 223

Independent Directors shall comply with the following requirements:

- (1) Being qualified to act as a Director of a listed company under the laws, administrative regulations and other relevant provisions;
- (2) Demonstrating independence in a manner as required by the Rules for Independent Directors;
- (3) Possessing basic knowledge in the operation of a listed company and being familiar with relevant laws, **administrative regulations**, **institutions** and rules;
- (4) Possessing more than five years' working experience in the legal or economic sectors or other areas necessary for performing the duties of an Independent Director; and
- (5) Other requirements stipulated in the Articles of Association.

Independent Directors shall comply with the following requirements:

- (1) Being qualified to act as a Director of a listed company under the laws, administrative regulations and other relevant provisions;
- (2) Demonstrating independence in a manner as required by Article 6 of the Measures for Independent Directors;
- (3) Possessing basic knowledge in the operation of a listed company and being familiar with relevant laws, **regulations** and rules;
- (4) Possessing more than five years' working experience in the legal, accounting or economic sectors necessary for performing the duties of an Independent Director;—and
- (5) Possess good personal morality and has not been involved in material dishonesty and other misconducts; and
- (6) Other requirements stipulated by laws, administrative regulations, regulations of the China Securities Regulatory Commission, business rules of the stock exchange and the Articles of Association.

Article 235

The following persons shall not be Independent Directors:

- (1) Lineal relatives (including spouse, parents, son and daughters, etc.) and major social relations (including siblings, parents of spouse, spouse of children, spouses of siblings, siblings in law, etc.), of the staff or workers of the Company or its subsidiaries;
- (2) Shareholders, who directly or indirectly hold more than 1% of issued shares with voting rights of the Company or top ten Shareholders of the Company, and his/her lineal relatives;
- (3) Shareholders, who directly or indirectly hold more than 5% of issued shares with voting rights of the Company or persons who work in one of the top five corporate shareholders of the Company, and his/her lineal relatives;
- (4) Persons with above-mentioned status within one year;
- (5) Persons who provide the Company or its subsidiaries financial advice, legal advice or any other consultation;
- (6) Other persons specified by laws, administrative regulations, departmental rules, etc.;
- (7) Other persons stipulated by the Articles of Association; and
- (8) Other persons stipulated by the China Securities Regulatory Commission.

Amended Articles

Article 224

The following persons shall not be Independent Directors:

- (1) Staff or workers of the Company or its subsidiaries, their spouses, parents, children, or in major social relations (including siblings, parents of spouse, spouse of children, parents of spouse of children, spouses of siblings, siblings in law, etc.) with the staff or workers of the Company or its subsidiaries;
- (2) Shareholders, who directly or indirectly hold more than 1% of issued shares of the Company or top ten Shareholders of the Company, and his/her spouses, parents and children;
- (3) Shareholders, who directly or indirectly hold more than 5% of issued shares of the Company or persons who work in one of the top five corporate shareholders of the Company, and his/her spouses, parents and children;
- (4) Persons who work in the subsidiaries of controlling shareholders and de facto controllers of the Company and their spouses, parents and children;
- (5) Persons who have significant business dealings with the Company, its controlling shareholders, de facto controllers or their respective subsidiaries, or who work in entities with which they have significant business dealings and their controlling shareholders or beneficial controllers;

Original Articles	Amended Articles
	(6) Persons providing financial,
	legal, consulting and sponsorship and
	other services to the Company, its
	controlling shareholders, de facto
	controllers or their respective
	subsidiaries, including, but not limited
	to, all members of the project team of
	the intermediaries providing the
	services, reviewers at all levels, persons
	signing the report, partners, Directors,
	senior management and principals;
	(7) Persons who have been in the
	situations listed in (1) to (6) within the
	last twelve months; and
	(8) Other persons who do not
	possess independence as stipulated by
	laws, administrative regulations,
	regulations of the China Securities
	Regulatory Commission, business rules
	of the stock exchange and the Articles of
	Association.
	Subsidiaries of controlling
	shareholders and de facto controllers of
	the Company referred to in (4) to (6)
	above exclude companies controlled by
	the same state-owned asset management
	organisation as the Company and which
	do not constitute a connected
	relationship with the Company in
	accordance with relevant regulations.
	Independent Directors shall conduct
	an annual self-examination of
	independence and submit the self-
	examination to the Board. The Board
	shall evaluate and issue a special opinion
	on the independence of the incumbent
	independent Directors on an annual
	basis, which shall be disclosed at the
	same time as the annual report.

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 236	
Independent Directors shall be	
nominated, elected and replaced in the	
following ways:	
(1) The Board of Directors,	
Supervisory Committee, shareholders who	
alone or jointly hold more than 1% of	
Shares of the Company can nominate	
candidate of Independent Directors, and	
determined by voting at a shareholders'	
general meeting.	
(2) Nominators of Independent	
Directors shall ask for approval from the	
nominees before nomination. The	
nominator shall fully understand the basic	
information of the nominee, including his	
occupation, academic qualifications, job	
position, detailed fulltime and part-time	
work experience. Nominator of	
independent Directors shall also express	
his opinions on the qualification and independence of the candidate as an	
Independent Director, and the nominee	
shall declare that he does not have any	
relationship with the Company which	
may affect his independent and objective	
judgment.	
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Meeting for election of Independent	
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- (4) An Independent Director's term of office is same as that of other Directors. Independent Directors may be re-elected for consecutive terms, however, the consecutive terms shall not be more than six (6) years.
- (5) If the Independent Director fails to attend the Board of Directors meeting three times consecutively, the Board of Directors shall propose to the shareholders' meeting to remove such Independent Director.
- (6) The Company may dismiss an Independent Director through legal procedures before the expiry of the term of office, and if any Independent Director is dismissed before the term of office expires, the Company shall disclose the dismissal as special disclosure.
- (7) Independent Directors may resign before expiry of their terms of office. Independent Directors must submit a written resignation to the Board to specify matters that are related with the resignation or they consider notable for the Company's shareholders and creditors.

If the resignation of any Independent Director causes the percentage of Independent Directors in the Board of the Company lower than the minimum required by the Rules for Independent Directors or Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited, the resignation of such Independent Director shall take effect after the vacancy of the Independent Director is filled.

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- (4) If the Independent Director fails to attend the Board of Directors meeting **two** times consecutively, the Board of Directors shall propose to the shareholders' meeting to remove such Independent Director.
- (5) The Company may dismiss an Independent Director through legal procedures before the expiry of the term of office, and if any Independent Director is dismissed before the term of office expires, the Company shall disclose the dismissal as special disclosure.
- (6) Independent Directors may resign before expiry of their terms of office. Independent Directors must submit a written resignation to the Board to specify matters that are related with the resignation or they consider notable for the Company's shareholders and creditors.

If the resignation of any Independent Director causes the percentage of Independent Directors in the Board of the Company lower than the minimum required by the Measures for Independent Directors or Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited, the resignation of such Independent Director shall take effect after the vacancy of the Independent Director is filled.

Original Articles Article 238

Other than performing the abovementioned powers, Independent Directors shall also give independent advice in meeting of the Board of Directors or shareholders' general meeting:

- (1) To nominate, appoint and remove Directors;
- (2) To engage or remove senior management;
- (3) To determine remuneration of Directors and senior management of the Company;
- (4) To engage or remove an accountants' firm;
- (5) To make changes in accounting policies and accounting estimates or correction of significant accounting errors resulting from reasons other than changes in accounting standards;
- (6) When an accountants' firm issues a non-standard unqualified audit opinion on the financial accounting report and internal control of the Company;
- (7) Internal control evaluation report;
- (8) Proposals on changes in the undertakings given by related parties;
- (9) Whether the formulation, adjustment, decision making, implementation and disclosure of the cash dividend distribution policy of the Company, as well as the profit allocation policy harm the legal interests of medium and minority investors;

Amended Articles

Article 227

The independent Directors shall perform the following duties:

- (1) Participating in the decisionmaking of the Board and expressing their opinions on the matters under consideration;
- (2) Supervising potential material conflicts of interest between the Company and its controlling shareholders, beneficial controllers, Directors and senior management as listed in Articles 23, 26, 27 and 28 of the Measures for Independent Directors, so as to urge the Board to make decisions in line with the interests of the Company as a whole and to protect the legitimate rights and interests of minority shareholders;
- (3) Providing professional and objective advice on the Company's operation and development, and promoting the enhancement of the Board's decision-making level;
- (4) Other powers and functions stipulated by laws, administrative regulations, regulations of the China Securities Regulatory Commission and the Articles of Association.

Original Articles	Amended Articles
(10) Material matters, such as	
discloseable connected transactions,	
provision of guarantee (excluding	
guarantees provided to subsidiaries	
consolidated in the financial statements),	
entrusted wealth management, provision	
of financial assistance, use of proceeds	
and investments in shares and	
derivatives;	
(11) Material asset reorganization	
proposals, management buyouts, share	
incentive schemes, employee stock	
ownership plans, share repurchase	
schemes and proposals on offsetting	
debts with assets by related parties of	
the Company;	
(12) When the Company decides to	
cease trading of its shares on Shenzhen	
Stock Exchange;	
(13) To determine matters that may	
prejudice medium and small	
shareholders;	
(14) Other matters stipulated by	
laws, administrative regulations,	
department rules, normative	
documentsas well as the Articles of	
Association.	
	Article 228
	The following matters shall be
	submitted to the Board for consideration
	after being approved by a majority of all
	independent Directors of the Company:
	(1) Connected transactions that
	shall be disclosed;
	(2) Proposals of the Company and
	related parties to change or waive
	commitments;
	(3) Decisions made and measures
	taken by the Board in response to the
	acquisition of the Company;
	(4) Other matters stipulated by
	laws, administrative regulations,
	regulations of the China Securities
	Regulatory Commission and the Articles
	of Association.

Original Articles	Amended Articles
	Article 229
	The Company shall hold a meeting
	attended by all independent Directors
	(the "special meeting of independent
	Directors") on a regular or ad hoc basis.
	Matters listed in items (1) to (3) of the
	paragraph 1 of Article 18 and Article 23
	of the Measures for Independent
	Directors shall be considered at a special
	meeting of independent Directors.
	The special meeting of independent
	Directors may study and discuss other
	matters of the Company as needed.
	Special meeting of independent
	Directors shall be convened and presided
	over by an independent Director jointly
	elected by a majority of the independent
	Directors; in the event that the convener
	fails to or is unable to perform his/her
	duties, two or more independent
	Directors may convene and elect a
	representative to preside over the
	meeting on their own.
	The Company shall facilitate and
	support the convening of special meeting
	of independent Directors.

Article 248

Independent Directors of the Company shall submit an annual report on their duties to the annual shareholders' meeting of the Company to explain their performance of duties. The annual work report shall include the following contents: The work report includes without limitation: annual attendance of the Board meetings, independent opinions provided, cooperation during the performance of duties, whether their right of information is guaranteed and obstacles met in onsite inspection and performance of duties.

Amended Articles

Article 239

Independent Directors of the Company shall submit an annual report on their duties to the annual general meeting of shareholders of the Company to explain their performance of duties. The annual work report shall include the following contents:

- (1) The attendance, attending methods and number of votes of Board meetings, and the attendance of general meeting;
- (2) Participation in the work of special committees of the Board and special meetings of independent Directors;
- (3) Consideration of the matters set out in Articles 23, 26, 27 and 28 of the Measures for Independent Directors and exercise of the special powers and functions of the independent Directors as set out in paragraph 1 of Article 18 of the Measures for Independent Directors;
- (4) Significant matters, methods and results of communication with the internal auditor and the accounting firm that undertakes the Company's auditing business regarding the Company's financial and business status:
- (5) Communication with minority shareholders;
- (6) The time and content of on-site work at the Company;
- (7) Other circumstances of the performance of duties.

The annual work report of the independent Directors shall be disclosed no later than the notice of annual general meeting of shareholders issued by the Company.

Article 249

The Company shall provide the following conditions for Independent Directors:

(1) The Company shall undertake that Independent Directors will enjoy the same right to information as other Directors. For the matters subject to decisions by the Board of Directors, the Company shall notify the Independent Directors in advance within statutory timeframe and provide them with adequate information; and if the said information is deemed as inadequate, the Independent Directors are entitled to request supplement information. When more than two (2) Independent Directors hold that the information is inadequate or the demonstrations are indefinite, they may jointly propose in writing to the Board of Directors to postpone the pending board meeting or the discussion of the matter in question, and the Board of Directors shall adopt such proposal.

The information provided by the Company to the Independent Directors shall be kept by the Company and the Independent Directors for no less than **five** (5) years.

Article 257

The Company shall dismiss the Secretary to the Board within one month from the date of the occurrence of any of the following circumstances:

- (1) any circumstance as stipulated under **Article 254** of the Articles of Association;
- (2) non-performance of duties for over three consecutive months;
- (3) significant mistakes or omissions in the performance of his/her duties, causing material losses to investors;
- (4) violation of laws, regulations, requirements of Shenzhen Stock Exchange or the Articles of Association, causing material losses to the Company and investors.

Amended Articles

Article 240

The Company shall provide the following conditions for Independent Directors:

(1) The Company shall undertake that Independent Directors will enjoy the same right to information as other Directors. For the matters subject to decisions by the Board of Directors, the Company shall notify the Independent Directors in advance within statutory timeframe and provide them with adequate information; and if the said information is deemed as inadequate, the Independent Directors are entitled to request supplement information. When more than two (2) Independent Directors hold that the information is inadequate or the demonstrations are indefinite, they may jointly propose in writing to the Board of Directors to postpone the pending board meeting or the discussion of the matter in question, and the Board of Directors shall adopt such proposal.

The information provided by the Company to the Independent Directors shall be kept by the Company and the Independent Directors for no less than **ten** (10) years.

Article 248

The Company shall dismiss the Secretary to the Board within one month from the date of the occurrence of any of the following circumstances:

- (1) any circumstance as stipulated under **Article 245** of the Articles of Association;
- (2) non-performance of duties for over three consecutive months;
- (3) significant mistakes or omissions in the performance of his/her duties, causing material losses to investors;
- (4) violation of laws, regulations, requirements of Shenzhen Stock Exchange or the Articles of Association, causing material losses to the Company and investors.

Article 259

While the Board of Directors engages a secretary, it shall also engage at least one securities administrative representative to assist the Secretary to the Board to perform his/her duties. When the Secretary to the Board is incapable to perform his/her duties, the securities administrative representative shall exercise his/her rights and perform his/her duties on his/her behalf. Under the circumstances aforesaid, the responsibility of the Secretary to the Board in respect of information disclosure shall not be automatically waived.

The qualifications for appointment of the securities administrative representative shall be implemented with reference to **Article 254** of the Articles of Association.

Article 263

When the general manager proposes issues relating to the staff's interests, such as staff's wages, welfare, labour safety and protection, insurance, termination of employment (dismissal), the general manager shall listen to opinions of the labour union and staff congress.

Article 268

The Supervisory Committee shall be composed of five (5) Supervisors, one of which shall act as the chairman. The term of office of Supervisors shall be three (3) years, renewable upon re-election and reappointment.

The election and removal of the chairman of the Supervisory Committee shall be determined by more than two thirds of the members of the committee.

The term of office of the chairman shall be three (3) years, renewable upon re-election and reappointment.

If the chairman of the committee is unable to perform or is not performing his duties, another supervisor elected by more than half of the members of the committee shall convene and chair the meetings of the Supervisory Committee.

The chairman of the Supervisory Committee shall be elected and replaced by more than two thirds of the members of the Supervisory Committee.

Amended Articles

Article 250

While the Board of Directors engages a secretary, it shall also engage at least one securities administrative representative to assist the Secretary to the Board to perform his/her duties. When the Secretary to the Board is incapable to perform his/her duties, the securities administrative representative shall exercise his/her rights and perform his/her duties on his/her behalf. Under the circumstances aforesaid, the responsibility of the Secretary to the Board in respect of information disclosure shall not be automatically waived.

The qualifications for appointment of the securities administrative representative shall be implemented with reference to **Article 245** of the Articles of Association.

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Article 258

The Supervisory Committee shall be composed of five (5) Supervisors, one of which shall act as the chairman. The term of office of Supervisors shall be three (3) years, renewable upon re-election and reappointment.

The election and removal of the chairman of the Supervisory Committee shall be made by a majority of all supervisors.

The term of office of the chairman shall be three (3) years, renewable upon re-election and reappointment.

If the chairman of the committee is unable to perform or is not performing his duties, another supervisor elected by more than half of the members of the committee shall convene and chair the meetings of the Supervisory Committee.

Article 277

A Supervisory Committee meeting (including extraordinary Supervisory Committee meeting) shall only be convened with more than two thirds of the Supervisors present.

The chairman of the committee shall convene the Supervisory Committee meeting. If the chairman of the committee is unable to perform or is not performing his duties, another supervisor elected by more than half of the members of the committee shall chair the meetings of the Supervisory Committee.

Amended Articles

Article 267

The chairman of the committee shall convene the Supervisory Committee meeting. If the chairman of the committee is unable to perform or is not performing his duties, another supervisor elected by more than half of the members of the committee shall chair the meetings of the Supervisory Committee.

Article 280

Voting on resolutions at Supervisory Committee meetings will record the names of the voters, each Supervisory has one vote. A resolution shall be approved by **more than two thirds** of **all** the Supervisors. Motion proposed by each supervisor will be examined by the meeting.

Article 270

Voting on resolutions at Supervisory Committee meetings will record the names of the voters, each Supervisory has one vote. A resolution shall be approved by **a majority** of the Supervisors. Motion proposed by each supervisor will be examined by the meeting.

Article 284

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- (5) a person who has a relatively large amount of debts due and outstanding;
- (6) a person who is under criminal investigation or prosecution by a judicial authority for violation of the criminal law and the said investigation or prosecution is not yet concluded;
- (7) a person who is incligible for enterprise leadership according to laws and administrative regulations;
 - (8) a non-natural person; or
- (9) a person convicted of the contravention of provisions of relevant securities regulations by a competent authority, and such conviction involves a finding that he has acted fraudulently or dishonestly, where less than five (5) years has elapsed since the date of the conviction.

Article 274

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(5) a person who has a relatively large amount of debts due and outstanding.

If the election or appointment of Directors, supervisors or the engagement of senior management by the Company violates the provisions of the preceding paragraph, such election, appointment or engagement shall be invalid.

If any of the circumstances listed in the clause 1 of this Article occurs during the term of office of Directors, supervisors or senior management, the Company shall dismiss their duties.

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 295	Deleted
The Company shall not in any	
manner pay taxes for or on behalf of its	
Directors, supervisors, managers and	
other senior management members.	
Article 298	Article 287
A loan guarantee provided by the	A loan guarantee provided by the
Company in breach of clause 1 of Article	Company in breach of clause 1 of Article
296 herein shall be unenforceable against	285 herein shall be unenforceable against
the Company, provided that:	the Company, provided that:
(1) a loan was provided to an	(1) a loan was provided to an
associate of any of the Directors,	associate of any of the Directors,
supervisors, managers and other senior	supervisors, managers and other senior
management of the Company or of the	management of the Company or of the
Company's parent company where the	Company's parent company where the
lender did not know the relevant	lender did not know the relevant
circumstances; or	circumstances; or
(2) the collateral provided by the	(2) the collateral provided by the
Company has been lawfully disposed of by	Company has been lawfully disposed of by
the lender to a bona fide purchaser.	the lender to a bona fide purchaser.
Article 303	Article 292
The Company shall establish its	The Company shall establish its
financial and accounting system in	financial and accounting system in
accordance with the laws, administrative	accordance with the laws, administrative
regulations and PRC accounting	regulations and requirements of relevant
standards formulated by the finance	department of the PRC.
regulatory department of the State	
Council.	
Article 305	Article 294
The Board shall place before the	The Board shall place before the
shareholders at every annual general	shareholders at every annual general
meeting such financial reports to be	meeting such financial reports to be
prepared by the Company as required by	prepared by the Company as required by
any laws, administrative regulations or	any laws, administrative regulations or
directives promulgated by competent	directives promulgated by competent
regional and central governmental	regional and central governmental
authorities.	authorities.

APPENDIX I **Original Articles** Article 306 The Company's financial reports shall be made available for shareholders' inspection at the Company twenty (20) days before the date of every annual general meeting. Each shareholder shall be entitled to a copy of the financial reports mentioned herein. The Company shall at least deliver or send to each shareholder of overseas listed foreign shares by prepaid mail, announcement or other manners provided by the Articles of Association (if necessary), the above-mentioned reports together with the report of Directors not later than twenty-one (21) Association. days before the date of every annual general meeting. The address of the recipient shall be the address registered in the share register. Article 308

The Company shall disclose its annual report within three months of the end of each fiscal year, its interim report within two months of the end of the six (6) months before each fiscal year, and its quarterly report within one month of the end of three (3) and nine (9) months before each fiscal year.

Article 310

Capital reserve fund includes the following items:

- (1) premium received when shares are issued at a premium to their par value; and
- (2) other income required to be included in the capital reserve fund by the governing finance department of the State Council.

Amended Articles

Article 295

The Company's financial reports shall be made available for shareholders' inspection at the Company twenty (20) days before the date of every annual general meeting. Each shareholder shall be entitled to a copy of the financial reports mentioned herein.

The Company shall at least issue notices and announcements for the above-mentioned reports together with the report of Directors not later than twenty (20) days before the date of every annual general meeting according to relevant requirements of the Articles of

Article 297

The Company shall disclose its annual report within three months of the end of each fiscal year, its interim report within two months of the end of the six (6) months before each fiscal year.

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Article 321

The Company shall appoint an independent firm of certified public accountants that is qualified under the relevant national regulations to audit the Company's annual financial statements and review the Company's other financial reports.

The first accountants' firm of the Company may be appointed by the inaugural meeting of the Company before the first **annual general meeting of shareholders** and the accountants' firm so appointed shall hold office until the conclusion of the first annual general meeting.

If the inaugural meeting fails to exercise its aforesaid powers, those powers shall be exercised by the Board.

Article 322

The accountants' firm appointed by the Company shall hold office from the conclusion of the **annual general meeting of shareholders** at which the appointment is made until the conclusion of the next **annual meeting of shareholders**. After the term expires, the accountants' firm can be reappointed.

Amended Articles

Article 309

The Company shall appoint an independent firm of certified public accountants that is qualified under the relevant national regulations to audit the Company's annual financial statements and review the Company's other financial reports.

The first accountants' firm of the Company may be appointed by the inaugural meeting of the Company before the first **annual general meeting** and the accountants' firm so appointed shall hold office until the conclusion of the first annual general meeting.

If the inaugural meeting fails to exercise its aforesaid powers, those powers shall be exercised by the Board

Article 310

The accountants' firm appointed by the Company shall hold office from the conclusion of the **annual general meeting** at which the appointment is made until the conclusion of the next **annual general meeting**. After the term expires, the accountants' firm can be reappointed.

Article 323

The accountants' firm appointed by the Company shall have the following rights:

- (1) the right to inspect at any time the books, records and vouchers of the Company, and to require the Directors, managers and other senior management of the Company to provide any relevant information and explanation thereof;
- (2) the right to require the Company to take all reasonable measures to obtain from its subsidiaries such information and explanation as are necessary for the performance of duties of such accountants' firm; and
- (3) the right to attend shareholders' general meetings and to receive all notices of, and other communications relating to, any shareholders' general meeting that any shareholder is entitled to receive, and to be heard at any shareholders' general meeting in relation to matters concerning its role as the accountants' firm of the Company.

The Company shall guarantee that the accounting evidence, accounting books, financial reports and other accounting information provided to the accountants' firm it engages are true and complete and it shall not refuse or withhold any such information nor shall it provide any false information.

Article 327

The Company's appointment of, removal of and non-reappointment of an accountants 'firm shall be resolved by shareholders' general meeting.—The resolution of the shareholders' general meeting shall be filed with the securities regulating authorities of the PRC.

Amended Articles

Article 311

The Company shall guarantee that the accounting evidence, accounting books, financial reports and other accounting information provided to the accountants' firm it engages are true and complete and it shall not refuse or withhold any such information nor shall it provide any false information.

Article 315

The Company's appointment of, removal of and non-reappointment of an accountants firm shall be resolved by shareholders' general meeting.

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 332	Deleted
In the event of the merger or	
division of the Company, a plan shall be	
proposed by the Board of the Company	
and shall be approved in accordance	
with the procedures stipulated in the	
Articles of Association and the relevant	
examining and approving formalities	
shall be processed as required by law.	
Shareholders who oppose the merger or	
division plan of the Company shall have	
the right to request that the Company or	
the shareholders who consent to such	
plan purchase their shares at a fair	
price. The Company's resolution on the	
merger or division should be prepared	
as a special document for inspection by	
the shareholders.	
The aforesaid document should also	
be dispatched to the holders of overseas	
listed foreign shares by mail,	
announcement or other manners	
provided by the Articles of Association	
(if necessary). The recipient's address	
should be based on the information	
contained in the register of shareholders.	

Article 335

When the Company is divided, its assets shall be split accordingly.

In the event of a division of the Company, all the parties involved shall execute a division agreement and prepare balance sheets and inventories of assets shall be prepared. The Company shall notify its creditors within ten (10) days of the date of the Company's resolution on division and shall make at least three (3) newspaper announcements within thirty (30) days of the date of the Company's resolution on division.

Debts incurred by the Company before its division shall be borne by the companies after the division according to the respective agreement reached.

Article 336

During the merger or division of the Company, the creditors have the right, within 30 days of receiving the notice or, if such notice is not received, within 45 days of the publication of the announce, to require the Company to repay its debts or provide a related guarantee.

Amended Articles

Article 322

When the Company is divided, its assets shall be split accordingly. In the event of a division of the Company, balance sheets and inventories of assets shall be prepared. The Company shall notify its creditors within ten (10) days of the date of the Company's resolution on division and make public announcement through newspapers and other means within 30 days.

Debts incurred by the Company before its division shall be jointly and severally borne by the company after the division; unless otherwise stipulated in the written agreement reached between the Company and its creditors on the settlement of debts before the division.

Article 323

During the merger of the Company, the creditors have the right, within 30 days of receiving the notice or, if such notice is not received, within 45 days of the publication of the announce, to require the Company to repay its debts or provide a related guarantee.

After the merger, claims and liabilities of parties to the merger shall be taken over by the continuing company or the newly established company.

Original Articles Ame Article 339 Article 326

The Company shall be dissolved and liquidated in any of the following circumstances:

- (1) the term of operation expires or other causes for dissolution specified in the Articles of Association occurs;
- (2) dissolution by way of a special resolution at a general meeting;
- (3) dissolution is necessary due to a merger or division of the Company;
- (4) the Company's business license is revoked or the Company is ordered to close down or deregister in accordance with law;
- (5) where the Company experiences serious difficulties in operation and management and its continuation may cause substantial loss to the interests of shareholders, and no solution can be found through any other channels, shareholders representing more than 10% of the voting rights of all shareholders of the Company may request the People's Court to dissolve the Company; and
- (6) the Company is declared bankruptcy due to the failure in repaying due debts.

The Company shall be dissolved and liquidated in any of the following circumstances:

Amended Articles

- (1) the term of operation expires or other causes for dissolution specified in the Articles of Association occurs;
- (2) dissolution by way of a resolution at a general meeting;
- (3) dissolution is necessary due to a merger or division of the Company;
- (4) the Company's business license is revoked or the Company is ordered to close down or deregister in accordance with law;
- (5) where the Company experiences serious difficulties in operation and management and its continuation may cause substantial loss to the interests of shareholders, and no solution can be found through any other channels, shareholders representing more than 10% of the voting rights of all shareholders of the Company may request the People's Court to dissolve the Company; and
- (6) the Company is declared bankruptcy due to the failure in repaying due debts.

Article 340

Where the Company is to be dissolved pursuant to paragraph (1) of the preceding article, the Company may continue to exist by amending the Articles of Association. The amendment to the Articles of Association pursuant to the previous paragraph shall be passed by the two thirds of the votes by shareholders at the extraordinary general meeting.

Where the Company is dissolved under paragraphs (1), (2), (4) and (5) of the preceding article, a liquidation committee shall be set up to commence liquidation within fifteen (15) days from the date of occurrence of events giving rise to dissolution. The members of the liquidation committee shall be determined by the Directors or a general meeting. In case no liquidation committee is established within the specified period to commence liquidation, the creditors may apply to the People's Court to designate relevant persons to form a liquidation committee and commence liquidation.

Where the Company is dissolved under paragraph (6) of the preceding article, governing authorities shall organize shareholders, competent authorities and personnel to form the liquidation committee and start the liquidation.

Amended Articles

Article 327

Where the Company is to be dissolved pursuant to paragraph (1) of the preceding article, the Company may continue to exist by amending the Articles of Association. The amendment to the Articles of Association pursuant to the previous paragraph shall be passed by the two thirds of the votes by shareholders at the extraordinary general meeting.

Where the Company is dissolved under paragraphs (1), (2), (4) and (5) of the preceding article, a liquidation committee shall be set up to commence liquidation within fifteen (15) days from the date of occurrence of events giving rise to dissolution. The members of the liquidation committee shall be determined by the Directors or a general meeting. In case no liquidation committee is established within the specified period to commence liquidation, the creditors may apply to the People's Court to designate relevant persons to form a liquidation committee and commence liquidation.

Original Articles Amended Articles Article 341 Deleted Where the Board proposes to liquidate the Company due to causes other than where the Company has declared bankruptcy, the Board shall include a statement in its notice convening a shareholders' general meeting to consider the proposal to the effect that, after making full inquiry into the affairs of the Company, the Board believes that the Company will be able to repay its debts in full within twelve (12) months from the commencement of the liquidation. Upon the passing of the resolution by the shareholders in general meeting for the liquidation of the Company, all functions and powers of the Board shall cease. The liquidation committee shall act in accordance with the instructions of theshareholders' general meeting to make a report at least once every year to the shareholders' general meeting on the committee's receipts and payments, the business of the Company and the progress of the liquidation and to present a final report to the shareholders' general meeting on completion of the liquidation.

Article 342

The liquidation committee shall notify creditors within ten (10) days from the date of its establishment and make **at** least three (3) newspaper announcements within sixty (60) days of that date. Creditors should, within thirty (30) days after receiving the notice, or for those who do not receive the notice, within forty-five (45) days from the date of the announcement, declare their claims to the liquidation committee.

When declaring their claims, creditors shall explain relevant particulars of their claims and provide supporting materials. The liquidation committee shall register the claims

During the period of declaration of claims, the liquidation committee shall not repay any debts to the creditors.

Article 328

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When declaring their claims, creditors shall explain relevant particulars of their claims and provide supporting materials. The liquidation committee shall register the claims.

During the period of declaration of claims, the liquidation committee shall not repay any debts to the creditors.

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 345	
In the event of Company's	

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE PROCEDURAL RULES OF THE BOARD MEETING

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 15	Deleted
Not more than two (2) persons of	
the Chairman of the Board, Vice	
Chairman and executive Directors of the	
Company may be the chairman of the	
board, vice chairman and executive	
Directors of the controlling shareholder	
and beneficial controller.	
Article 18	Article 17
TI D 1 (11:1 A 1:4	TI D 1 (11:1 A 1:4
The Board may establish Audit	The Board may establish Audit
Committee, Strategy and Sustainable	Committee, Strategy and Sustainable
Development Committee, Nomination	Development Committee, Nomination
Committee, Remuneration and Assessment	Committee, Remuneration and Assessment
Committee and other special committees.	Committee and other special committees.
Special committees shall consist of	Special committees shall consist of
directors. The majority of the members of	directors. More than one-half of the
the Audit Committee, Nomination	members of the Audit Committee,
Committee, Remuneration and Assessment	Nomination Committee, Remuneration and
shall be independent directors, who shall	Assessment shall be independent directors,
convene the meetings of such committees.	who shall convene the meetings of such
At least one independent director in the	committees. The members of the Audit
Audit Committee shall have expertise in	Committee shall be directors who do not
accounting.	serve as senior management personnel of
	the Company, and the convener shall
	have expertise in accounting.
Article 24	Article 23
The Board shall discharge and	The Board shall discharge and
exercise the following duties and powers:	exercise the following duties and powers:
exercise the following duties and powers.	exercise the following duties and powers.
All of the above resolutions adopted	The resolutions adopted by the
by the Board, except those in (6), (8)	Board on external guarantees and
and (13) that must be approved by more	provision of financial assistance by the
than two-thirds of votes of Directors,	Company must be reviewed and
shall be approved by a simple majority	approved by more than two-thirds of the
of votes by Directors.	Directors present at the Board meeting,
-	and the number of Directors who agree
	must reach more than half of all
	Directors.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE PROCEDURAL RULES OF THE BOARD MEETING

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 25	Article 24
The Board of Directors shall report	The Board of Directors shall report
on the following matters:	on the following matters:
(1) The first item of Article 186 of	(1) implementation status and results
the Articles of Association;	of the General Meeting's resolutions;
(2) implementation status and results	(2) implementation status and results
of the General Meeting's resolutions;	of the Board's resolutions;
(3) implementation status and results	(3) matters that are required by the
of the Board's resolutions;	Supervisory Committee to be reported;
(4) matters that are required by the	(4) matters that are required by
Supervisory Committee to be reported;	securities administrative authorities and the
(5) matters that are required by	stock exchange; and
securities administrative authorities and the	(5) others matters considered
stock exchange; and	necessary by the Board.
(6) others matters considered	
necessary by the Board.	

Original Articles	Amended Articles
Article 1	
In order to protect the legal rights of	

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO PROCEDURAL RULES OF THE GENERAL MEETING

Original Articles	Amended Articles	
Article 6	Article 6	
In any of the following cases, the	In any of the following cases, the	
Board of Directors shall call an	Board of Directors shall call an	
extraordinary general meeting within two	extraordinary general meeting within two	
months:	months:	
(1) When the number of directors	(1) When the number of directors	
falls short of the number specified in the	falls short of the number specified in the	
Company law, or less than 2/3 of the	Company law, or less than 2/3 of the	
number specified in the Articles of	number specified in the Articles of	
Association;	Association;	
(2) When the uncompensated loss of	(2) When the uncompensated loss of	
the Company reaches 1/3 of the total share	the Company reaches 1/3 of the total	
capital of the Company;	paid-in share capital of the Company;	
(3) When required in writing by	(3) When required by	
$shareholder(s) \ holding \ more \ than \ 10\%$	shareholder(s) individually or jointly	
(inclusive) of outstanding shares with	holding more than 10% of shares of the	
voting rights of the Company;	Company;	
(4) When the Board of Directors	(4) When the Board of Directors	
considers it necessary or it is proposed by	considers it necessary or it is proposed by	
the Supervisory Committee to convene it;	the Supervisory Committee to convene it;	
(5) When proposed by independent	(5) When proposed by independent	
directors in accordance to the requirements	directors in accordance to the requirements	
of the Articles of Association;	of the Articles of Association;	
(6) Other circumstances stipulated by	(6) Other circumstances stipulated by	
laws, administrative regulations,	laws, administrative regulations,	
departmental rules or the Articles of	departmental rules or the Articles of	
Association.	Association.	
Article 9	Article 9	
When convening the general meeting,	When convening the general meeting,	
the Company shall engage a lawyer to	the Company shall engage a lawyer to	
attend the meeting and provide legal	attend the meeting and provide legal	
advice regarding the following issues and	advice regarding the following issues and	
make announcement thereof:	make announcement thereof:	
make announcement thereof:	make announcement thereof:	

Original Articles

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(6) in case of the circumstances as stipulated under **Article 128**(4) of the Article of Association, explicit opinion on whether excluding votes casted by relevant shareholders in the total number of shares with voting rights and the voting results are incompliance with laws and regulations shall be provided;

Amended Articles

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(6) in case of the circumstances as stipulated under **Article 115**(4) of the Article of Association, explicit opinion on whether excluding votes casted by relevant shareholders in the total number of shares with voting rights and the voting results are incompliance with laws and regulations shall be provided;

Article 19

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The motion letter of extraordinary motion shall include the name of motion, specific details on the motion, the statement of proposer on motion in compliance with the Procedural Rules of the General Meeting, the Guidelines for Standard Operation and relevant rules of Shenzhen Stock Exchange, as well as the statement of guarantee by the proposer on the authenticity of shareholding proof and authorisation letter provided.

Article 19

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The motion letter of extraordinary motion shall include the name of motion, specific details on the motion, the statement of proposer on motion in compliance with the Procedural Rules of the General Meeting and relevant rules of Shenzhen Stock Exchange, as well as the statement of guarantee by the proposer on the authenticity of shareholding proof and authorisation letter provided.

Article 20

Where the Company convenes a shareholders' general meeting, notice shall be given twenty (20) net working days (i.e. both days exclusive) before the meeting to notify all shareholders of the date and venue of the meeting and the matters to be considered. In respect of extraordinary general meeting, notice shall be made to all shareholders fifteen (15) days prior to the meeting.

Regarding the calculation of the notice period, the date of the meeting and the date when the notice is given shall not be included.

Article 20

Where the Company convenes an annual general meeting, notice shall be given twenty (20) net working days (i.e. both days exclusive) before the meeting to notify all shareholders of the date and venue of the meeting and the matters to be considered. In respect of extraordinary general meeting, notice shall be made to all shareholders fifteen (15) days prior to the meeting.

Regarding the calculation of the notice period, the date of the meeting and the date when the notice is given shall not be included.

Original Articles

Article 21

The notice of general meeting shall include the following details or fulfill the following requirements:

- (1) made in written form:
- (2) the designated venue, date and time of the meeting;
- (3) matters and proposals to be considered at the meeting;
- (4) express statement that all-ordinary shareholders are entitled to attend and vote at the general meeting in person or appoint a proxy through a written proxy form.

 Proxies need not be a shareholder:
- (5) the date of registration for shareholders entitled to attend the general meeting;
- $(\overline{\mathbf{6}})$ the name and telephone number of the contact person of the meeting;
- (7) voting time and procedures for online voting or other voting methods;
- (8) provide shareholders the detailed information and explanations necessary for the shareholders to make sound decisions about the matters to be discussed. This principle includes, but not limited to, the provision of the specific terms and contract(s), if any, of the proposed transaction(s) and serious explanations about the causes and effects when the Company proposes mergers, repurchase of shares, restructuring of share capital or other restructuring;
- (9) in the event that any of the directors, supervisors, president (general manager) and other senior management has material interests at stake in matters to be discussed, the nature and extent of the interests at stake shall be disclosed. If the matters to be discussed affect any director, supervisor, president (general manager) and other senior management as a shareholder in a manner different from how they affect the same class of other shareholders, the difference shall be explained;
- (10) include the full text of any special resolution to be proposed for approval at the meeting; and
- (11) state the time and place for delivering the proxy form authorising the proxy to vote at the relevant meeting.

Amended Articles

Article 21

The notice of general meeting shall include the following details:

- (1) the time, venue and duration of the meeting;
- (2) matters and proposals to be considered at the meeting;
- (3) express statement that all shareholders are entitled to attend and vote at the general meeting in person or appoint a proxy through a written proxy form. Proxies need not be a shareholder;
- (4) the date of registration for shareholders entitled to attend the general meeting;
- (5) the name and telephone number of the contact person of the meeting; and
- (6) voting time and procedures for online voting or other voting methods.

Any notice and supplementary notice of general meetings shall sufficiently and completely disclose all the details of all proposals, and provide all necessary information or explanation for shareholders to make reasonable judgments on the matters to be discussed. If any matter to be discussed requires opinions of the independent directors, the opinions and reasons of the independent directors shall be disclosed together with the issuance of such notice.

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Original Articles	Amended Articles
Any notice and supplementary notice	
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proposals. If any matter to be discussed	
requires opinions of the independent	
directors, the opinions and reasons of the	
independent directors shall be disclosed	
together with the issuance of such notice.	
Article 38	Article 38
The following matters shall be	The following matters shall be
resolved by an ordinary resolution at a	resolved by an ordinary resolution at a
general meeting:	general meeting:
(1) work reports of the Board and the	
Supervisory Committee;	(1) work reports of the Board and the
(2) plans formulated by the Board for	Supervisory Committee;
distribution of profits and for making up	(2) plans formulated by the Board for
losses;	distribution of profits and for making up
(3) the appointment and removal of	losses;
members of the Board and the Supervisory	(3) the appointment and removal of
Committee and their remuneration and	members of the Board and the Supervisory
payment methods;	Committee and their remuneration and
(4) the Company's annual financial	payment methods;
budgets and final accounts, balance	(4) the Company's annual financial
sheets, income statements and other	budgets and final accounts;
financial statements;	(5) the Company's annual reports;
(5) the Company's annual reports;	and
and	(6) matters other than these required
(6) matters other than these required	by the laws and administrative regulations
by the laws and administrative regulations	or by the Articles of Association to be
or by the Articles of Association to be	adopted by special resolutions.

Original Articles

Article 39

The following matters shall be resolved by a special resolution at a general meeting:

- (1) increase or reduction of the share capital and issue of shares of any class, stock warrants or other types of securities approved by China Securities Regulatory Commission;
 - (2) issuance of corporate bonds;
- (3) the division, merger, dissolution and liquidation of the Company;
- (4) amendments to the Articles of Association and its Appendices (including the Procedural Rules of the General Meeting, the Procedural Rules of the Board of Directors Meeting and the Procedural Rules of Supervisors Meeting);
- (5) spin-off and separate listing of subsidiaries;
- (6) purchase or disposal of material assets or any guarantee made within a year, and the amount of which exceeds 30% of the latest audited total assets of the Company;
- (7) repurchase of shares for the purpose of registered capital reduction;
 - (8) major asset restructuring;
 - (9) option incentives;
- (10) the voluntary revoke of the listing status of shares, decision on termination of share trading on **stock exchange** or the application for the change of stock exchange for share trading or transfer as resolved at the general meeting of the Company; and
- (11) matters required under laws, administrative rules or the Articles of Association, as well as any other matters considered by the general meeting, by way of an ordinary resolution, to have a substantial impact on the Company and to require approval by a special resolution.

Apart from being passed by shareholders present in the meeting representing not less than two-thirds of voting rights, resolution (5) and (10) mentioned above shall be passed by Directors, Supervisors and senior management of the listed company and shareholders, other than shareholders individually or jointly holding over 5% shareholdings in the listed company, present in the meeting representing not less than two-thirds of voting rights.

Amended Articles

Article 39

The following matters shall be resolved by a special resolution at a general meeting:

- (1) increase or reduction of the share capital and issue of shares of any class, stock warrants or other types of securities approved by China Securities Regulatory Commission:
- (2) the division, **spin-off**, merger, dissolution and liquidation of the Company;
- (3) amendments to the Articles of Association and its Appendices (including the Procedural Rules of the General Meeting, the Procedural Rules of the Board of Directors Meeting and the Procedural Rules of Supervisors Meeting);
- (4) spin-off and separate listing of subsidiaries;
- (5) purchase or disposal of material assets or any guarantee made within a year, and the amount of which exceeds 30% of the latest audited total assets of the Company;
- (6) repurchase of shares for the purpose of registered capital reduction;
 - (7) major asset restructuring;
 - (8) option incentives;
- (9) the voluntary revoke of the listing status of shares, decision on termination of share trading on **Shenzhen Stock Exchange** or the application for the change of stock exchange for share trading or transfer as resolved at the general meeting of the Company; and
- (10) matters required under laws, administrative rules or the Articles of Association, as well as any other matters considered by the general meeting, by way of an ordinary resolution, to have a substantial impact on the Company and to require approval by a special resolution. Apart from being passed by shareholders present in the meeting representing not less than two-thirds of voting rights, resolution (4) and (9) mentioned above shall be passed by Directors, Supervisors and senior management of the listed company and shareholders, other than shareholders individually or jointly holding over 5% shareholdings in the listed company, present in the meeting representing not less than two-thirds of voting rights.

Before amendment	After amendment
Article 2	Article 2
Independent Directors in these	Independent Directors in these
Measures refer to a Director who does not	Measures refer to a Director who does not
hold position of the Company other than	hold position of the Company other than
being a Director, and who does not have a	being a Director, and who does not have a
relationship with the Company and its	direct or indirect interest in the Company
controlling shareholders or de facto	and its major shareholders or de facto
controller that will affect his/her	controller or other relationship that may
independence and objectiveness in	affect his/her independence and
judgment over the Company's affairs.	objectiveness in judgment.
	Article 3
	The independent Directors shall have
	the obligation of loyalty and diligence to
	the Company and all shareholders, and
	shall conscientiously perform their duties
	in accordance with the laws, administrative
	regulations, the regulations of China
	Securities Regulatory Commission (CSRC),
	the business rules of the stock exchange
	and the Articles of Association, play the
	roles of participating in the decision-
	making, supervising, checking and
	balancing, and professional consulting in
	the Board, safeguard the interests of the
	listed company as a whole, and protect the
	lawful rights and interests of minority
	shareholders.

Before amendment	After amendment
Article 3	Article 4
Independent Directors must have the	Independent Directors shall perform
status of independence. Independent	their duties independently, rather than
Directors shall perform their duties	being affected by the Company and its
faithfully, diligently and independently,	major shareholders, de facto controllers
and earnestly safeguard the legitimate	or other units or individuals that have
rights and interests of the Company and	stake in the Company.
its shareholders, rather than being	
affected by the Company's controlling	
shareholders, de facto controllers,	
management or other units or individuals	
that have a significant stake in the	
Company.	

Article 5

In addition to meeting the qualifications and requirements as stipulated under relevant state laws and rules, independent Directors shall also meet the following criterion:

- (1) have bachelor's degree or above;
- (2) be familiar with relevant laws, regulations and the Operating Rules of Shenzhen Stock Exchange, and have at least five years of working experience in laws, economics, management, accounting, finance or other necessary working experience for performing the duties of an independent Director;
- (3) independent Directors who serve as member of Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Board shall be equipped with strong knowledge of personnel selection and remuneration management ability, and shall have at least five years of experience of holding a leadership or management position in an enterprise, institution or state authority; and
 - (4) other criterion.

Article 6

Independent Directors shall meet the following criterion:

- (1) being qualified to be the Director of the listed Company in accordance with laws, administrative regulations and other relevant provisions;
- (2) having the independence required by Article 7 of these Measures;
- (3) Having the basic knowledge of operation of the listed company and being familiar with the relevant laws, regulations and rules;
- (4) having at least five years of working experience in law, accounting or economics necessary for performing the duties of an independent Director;
- (5) having good personal integrity and no major breach of trust or other adverse records; and
- (6) other criterion stipulated by laws, administrative regulations, CSRC regulations, business rules of the stock exchange and the Articles of Association.

Before amendment

Article 6

A person may not serve as an independent Director of the Company if he/she:

- (1) is the person who holds a position in the listed company or its affiliated enterprises, their **direct relatives** and major social relations (**direct relatives refer to their spouse father, mother and ehildren etc.;** major social relations refer to their brothers, sisters, father-in-law, mother-in-law, daughter-in-law, son-in-law, spouse of their brothers, sisters, and their spouse's brothers and sisters etc.);
- (2) directly or indirectly holds more than 1% of the issued shares of the Company directly or indirectly, or is a natural person shareholder of the top ten shareholders of the Company, or such shareholder's **direct relative**;
- (3) directly or indirectly holds a position in a unit which holds more than 5% of the issued shares of the Company directly or indirectly, or of the unit which ranks as one of the 5 largest shareholders of the listed company, or such employee's direct relative;
- (4) is the person that has the three circumstances listed above in the previous year;
- (5) is the personnel who provided financial, legal or consulting services to the Company or its subsidiaries;
- (6) is the other personnel as stipulated under laws, administrative measures, departmental rules and other regulations;
- (7) is the other personnel as stipulated under the Articles of Association; or
- (8) is the other personnel approved by China Securities Regulatory Commission ("CSRC").

After amendment

Article 7

Independent Directors shall maintain their independence, and a person may not serve as an independent Director of the Company if he/she:

- (1) is the person who holds a position in the listed company or its affiliated enterprises, their **spouses**, **parents and children**, and major social relations (major social relations refer to their brothers, sisters, father-in-law, mother-in-law, daughter-in-law, son-in-law, **parents of spouses of children**, spouse of their brothers, sisters, and their spouse's brothers and sisters etc.);
- (2) directly or indirectly holds more than 1% of the issued shares of the Company directly or indirectly, or is a natural person shareholder of the top ten shareholders of the Company, or such shareholder's **spouses**, **parents and children**:
- (3) directly or indirectly holds a position in a unit which holds more than 5% of the issued shares of the Company directly or indirectly, or of the unit which ranks as one of the 5 largest shareholders of the listed company, or such employee's spouses, parents and children;
- (4) is the person who serves in the subsidiaries of the Company's controlling shareholders and de facto controllers and their spouses, parents and children;
- (5) is the person who provides financial, legal, consulting and sponsorship and other services to the Company, its controlling shareholders, de facto controllers or their respective subsidiaries; including, but not limited to, all members of the project team of the intermediaries providing the services, reviewers at all levels, persons signing the report, partners, Directors, senior management and principals;

Before amendment	After amendment
	(6) is the person who has significant
	business dealings with the Company, its
	controlling shareholders, de facto
	controllers or their respective
	subsidiaries, or who serve in entities
	with which they have significant
	business dealings and their controlling
	shareholders or de facto controllers;
	(7) is the person who has been in
	the situations listed in the previous six
	paragraphs within the last twelve
	months; or
	(8) is the other persons who do not
	possess independence as stipulated by
	laws, administrative regulations,
	regulations of the CSRC, business rules
	of the stock exchange and the Articles of
	Association.
	The subsidiaries of the Company's
	controlling shareholders and de facto
	controllers mentioned in items (4), (5)
	and (6) do not include any enterprise
	under the control of the same state-
	owned asset management authority of
	the Company and do not constitute as
	related enterprise of the Company in
	accordance with relevant regulations.
	Independent Directors shall conduct
	an annual self-examination of
	independence and submit the self-
	examination to the Board. The Board
	shall evaluate and issue a special opinion
	on the independence of the incumbent
	independent Directors on an annual
	basis, which shall be disclosed at the
	same time as the annual report.

Before amendment	After amendment
Article 7	Article 8
Independent Directors must not hold positions in other companies engaged in the same main business, or simultaneously serve as independent director at more than five listed companies.	Independent Directors shall serve as an independent Director in a maximum of three domestic listed companies and shall ensure that he/she has sufficient time and energy to effectively fulfill his/her duties as an independent
Article 9	Director. Article 10
The nominator of an independent Director shall thoroughly understand the nominee's occupation, job title, academic qualifications, professional skills, work experience, all part-time jobs and the details of his/her close family members, and issue written opinions on the independence and qualification of the nominees.	The nominator of an independent Director shall obtain the consent of the nominee before making the nomination. The nominator shall fully understand the nominee's occupation, job title, academic qualifications, detailed work experience, all part-time jobs, any major breach of trust and other adverse records and the details of his/her close family members, and express an opinion that the nominee meets the independence and other conditions for serving as an independent Director. The nominee shall make a public statement that he/she meets the independence and other conditions for serving as an independent Director. Prior to the shareholders' meeting for the election of independent Directors, the Company shall, in accordance with the regulations, disclose the above and submit the relevant materials of all independent Director candidates to the stock exchange, and the relevant submitted materials shall be true, accurate and complete. The Remuneration and Nomination Committee shall conduct review on the qualifications of nominees and issue clear review opinions.

Before amendment Article 10 Article 11 Article 11	
Independent directors shall be Cumulative voting system	can be
elected at general meeting. The applied for election of independ	dent
nominating shareholder and other Directors at general meeting. V	Where the
related shareholder shall not vote upon general meeting elects two or n	nore
the independent director candidate independent Directors, a cumu	lative
nominated by them. voting system shall be impleme	ented.
Cumulative voting system can be Votes of minority shareholders	shall be
applied for election of independent counted and disclosed separate	ely.
Directors at general meeting.	
Article 11 Article 12	
The term of office of each The term of office of each	
independent Director shall be the same as independent Director shall be the	e same as
that of the other Directors of the Company, that of the other Directors of the	Company,
and upon expiration of the term of office, and upon expiration of the term	of office,
he/she may be re-elected, but his/her he/she may be re-elected, but his	s/her
consecutive term of office shall not exceed consecutive term of office shall a	not exceed
six years. Any independent Direction	ector who
has served the Company for six	
consecutive years shall not be a	nominated
as a candidate for independent	Director
of the Company within 36 mon	ths from
the date of such fact.	
Article 12 Article 13	
Independent Directors may resign Independent Directors may	resign
before the expiration of their term of before the expiration of their term	_
office. An independent Director who office. An independent Director	
resigns shall submit a written resignation resigns shall submit a written res	
report to the Board, and submit a written report to the Board, and submit a	_
explanation to the Board any explanation to the Board any	
circumstances relating to his/her circumstances relating to his/her	
resignation and necessary to bring to the resignation and necessary to bring	ng to the
attention of the shareholders. attention of the shareholders. Th	ie
Company shall disclose the rea	sons and
concerns for the resignation of	the

Article 13 If the resignation of an independent Director will result in the number of members of the Board of the Company lower than the minimum number of member of the Board, such Independent Director shall continue to perform his/her duties until a new Independent Director is elected. The Company shall convene a general meeting to elect new Independent Director(s) within three months after accepting the resignation of the resigned Independent Director. Articles of Association, or if there is a shortage of professional accountants among the independent Directors, the independent Director who intends to resign shall continue to perform his/her duties until the date on which a new independent Director is appointed. The Company shall complete the by-election of an independent Director within sixty days from the date of his/her resignation. Article 15 If an independent Director fails to comply with the provisions of Article 6 (1) or (2) of these Measures, he/she shall immediately cease to perform his/her duties and resign from his/her position. If the resignation is not tendered, the Board shall, as soon as it knows or ought to have known of the occurrence of such fact, remove him/her from office in accordance with the resulations.	Before amendment	After amendment
Director will result in the number of members of the Board of the Company lower than the minimum number of member of the Board, such Independent Director shall continue to perform his/her duties until a new Independent Director is elected. The Company shall convene a general meeting to elect new Independent Director(s) within three months after accepting the resignation of the resigned Independent Director. Administration of Independent Directors of Listed Companies (the "Administrative Measures") or the Articles of Association, or if there is a shortage of professional accountants among the independent Directors, the independent Director who intends to resign shall continue to perform his/her duties until the date on which a new independent Director is appointed. The Company shall complete the by-election of an independent Director within sixty days from the date of his/her resignation. Article 15 If an independent Director fails to comply with the provisions of Article 6 (1) or (2) of these Measures, he/she shall immediately cease to perform his/her duties and resign from his/her position. If the resignation is not tendered, the Board shall, as soon as it knows or ought to have known of the occurrence of such fact, remove him/her from office	Article 13	Article 14
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Before amendment	After amendment
Article 14	Article 16
Prior to the expiry of the term of	Prior to the expiry of the term of
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independent Director through statutory	independent Director through statutory
procedures. In case of early dismissal of	procedures. In case of early dismissal of
independent Director, the Company shall	independent Director, the Company shall
disclose such matter as special	promptly disclose the specific reasons
disclosure.	and basis. If the independent Directors
	have objections, the Company shall
	disclose them in a timely manner.
Article 15	Deleted
The general meeting shall decide	
upon the removal of an independent	
Director. The Company shall notify of	
the reasons of the removal and his/her	
corresponding rights in writing to the	
independent Director at least fifteen (15)	
days prior to the convening of the	
general meeting.	
Article 16	Deleted
The removal of an independent	
director shall be passed by two-thirds or	
more of voting rights held by the	
shareholders who are present at the	
general meeting. The independent	
director shall have the right to make	
his/her defense and statement prior to	
the vote.	

Before amendment	After amendment
Chapter 4 Duties, Obligations and	Chapter 4 Duties and Obligations
Protection	
	Article 17
	The independent Directors shall
	perform the following duties:
	(1) participating in the decision-
	making of the Board and express a clear
	opinion on the matters under
	consideration;
	(2) supervising potential material
	conflicts of interest between the
	Company and its controlling
	shareholders, de facto controllers,
	Directors and senior management as
	listed in Articles 23, 26, 27 and 28 of the
	Administrative Measures, so as to urge
	the Board to make decisions in line with
	the interests of the Company as a whole
	and to protect the legitimate rights and
	interests of minority shareholders;
	(3) providing professional and
	objective advice on the Company's
	operation and development, and
	promoting the enhancement of the
	Board's decision-making level; and
	(4) other duties prescribed by laws,
	administrative regulations, CSRC
	regulations and the Articles of
	Association.

Before amendment After amendment Article 17 Article 18 In addition to the powers and The independent Directors shall functions granted to Directors by the exercise the following special powers: Company Law and other applicable (1) independently engage laws, regulations and regulatory intermediaries to audit, consult or verify requirements, an independent Director specific matters of the Company; shall also diligently review the following (2) make proposals to the Board for matters: convening an extraordinary general (1) material connected transactions meeting: (refer to connected transactions to be (3) make proposals to convene Board entered into between the listed company meetings; and any connected person, the aggregate (4) collect Shareholders' rights from amount of which exceeds RMB3 million Shareholders in accordance with laws; and 5% of the latest audited net asset and value of the listed company) shall be (5) express independent opinions on matters that may jeopardize the rights subject to prior approval by independent Directors; before making a judgment, and interests of the Company or independent Directors can appoint minority shareholders; and intermediaries to prepare an (6) other powers and functions independent financial adviser's report as prescribed by laws, administrative regulations, CSRC regulations and the the basis of their judgment; Articles of Association. (2) make proposals to the Board for the appointment or dismissal of Independent Directors shall obtain approval from majority all independent accounting firms; (3) collect opinions from minority **Directors** before exercising the duties in items (1) to (3). The Company shall shareholders, propose profit distribution plan, and directly submit to the Board disclose in a timely manner any exercise for consideration; of the powers and functions listed in the first paragraph by independent (4) make proposals to the Board for convening an extraordinary general Directors. If the above powers and functions cannot be exercised normally, meeting; the Company shall disclose the details (5) make proposals to convene Board and reasons. meetings; (6) collect voting rights from Shareholders in public before the convening of a general meeting; and (7) appoint external auditor or

consultancy firms independently to conduct audit and consultation on specific matters of the Company.

Before amendment	After amendment
Independent Directors shall obtain approval from more than half of all independent Directors before exercising the duties in items (1) to (6); they shall obtain approval from all independent Directors before exercising the duties in item (7). For matters in items (1) and (2), such matters shall be approved by more than half of all independent Directors before submitting to the Board forconsideration.	
Article 18 to Article 28	Article 19
	Prior to the convening of a meeting of the Board, the independent Directors may communicate with the Board secretary to inquire about the matters to be considered, request for additional materials, and offer opinions and suggestions. The Board and relevant personnel shall carefully study the issues, requests and opinions raised by the independent Directors and provide timely feedback to the independent Directors on the implementation of proposals for amendments and other matters.
	Article 20
	The independent Directors shall attend the Board meetings in person. If the independent Director is unable to attend the meeting in person for any reason, he/she shall review the meeting materials in advance, form a clear opinion and entrust other independent Directors in writing to attend the meeting on his/her behalf. If an independent Director fails to attend two consecutive meetings of the Board in person and does not delegate another independent Director to attend the meeting on his/her behalf, the Board shall, within thirty (30) days from the date of such fact, propose to convene a shareholders' meeting to remove such independent Director from his/her position.

Before amendment	After amendment
	Article 21
	An independent Director who votes
	against or abstains from voting on a
	motion of the Board shall state the
	specific reasons and grounds, the legality
	and compliance of the matter involved in
	the motion, the possible risks and the
	impact on the rights and interests of the
	Company and the minority shareholders.
	The Company shall disclose the
	dissenting opinions of the independent
	Directors at the same time when
	disclosing the Board resolutions and set
	out in the Board resolutions and minutes
	of meetings.
	Article 22
	The independent Directors shall
	pay continuous attention to the
	implementation of the Board resolutions
	in relation to the matters set out in
	Articles 23, 26, 27 and 28 of the
	Administrative Measures, and shall
	report to the Board in a timely manner
	if they find that there is any violation of
	the laws and administrative regulations,
	the regulations of the CSRC, the
	business rules of the stock exchange and
	the Articles of Association or any
	violation of the resolutions of the
	shareholders' meeting and of the Board
	and may request the Company to make
	a written explanation. Where disclosure
	matters are involved, the Company shall
	disclose them in a timely manner.
	If the Company fails to provide an
	explanation or timely disclosure in
	accordance with the preceding
	paragraph, the independent Directors
	may report to the CSRC and the stock
	exchange.

Before amendment	After amendment
	Article 23
	The following matters shall be
	submitted to the Board for consideration
	after being approved by a majority of all
	independent Directors of the Company:
	(1) connected transactions that shall
	be disclosed;
	(2) proposals of the Company and
	related parties to change or waive
	(3) decisions made and measures
	taken by the Board of the acquiree in
	response to the acquisition; and
	(4) other matters as prescribed by
	laws, administrative regulations, CSRC
	regulations and the Articles of
	Association.
	Article 24
	The Company shall hold a meeting
	attended by all independent Directors
	(the "special meeting of independent
	Directors") on a regular or irregular
	basis. Matters listed in items (1) to (3) of the paragraph 1 of Article 18, and
	Article 23 of these Measures shall be
	considered at a special meeting of
	independent Directors.
	The special meeting of independent
	Directors may study and discuss other
	matters of the Company as needed.
	Special meeting of independent Directors shall be convened and presided
	over by an independent Director jointly
	elected by a majority of the independent
	Directors; in the event that the convener
	fails to or is unable to perform his/her
	duties, two or more independent
	Directors may convene and elect a
	representative to preside over the
	meeting on their own.
	The Company shall facilitate and
	support the convening of special meeting of independent Directors.
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Before amendment	After amendment
	Article 25
	The independent Directors shall
	attend the meetings of the special
	committees in person, and if they are
	unable to attend the meetings in person
	for any reason, they shall review the
	materials of the meetings in advance,
	form a clear opinion, and entrust other
	independent Directors in writing to
	attend the meetings on their behalf. If
	an independent Director is concerned
	about a material matter of the Company
	within the scope of the duties of the
	special committees in the performance of
	his/her duties, he/she may bring the
	matter to the special committees for
	discussion and consideration in a timely
	manner in accordance with the
	procedures.
	Article 26
	The independent Directors shall
	spend no less than fifteen (15) days per
	year working on-site at the Company.
	In addition to attending general
	meetings, meetings of the Board and its
	special committees, and special meetings
	of independent Directors in accordance
	with the regulations, independent
	Directors may perform their duties in a
	variety of ways, such as obtaining
	information on the Company's
	operations on a regular basis, listening
	to reports from the management,
	communicating with intermediaries such as the head of the internal auditor and
	the accounting firm that undertake the
	audit of the Company, conducting on-
	site inspections, and communicating with
	the minority shareholders.

Before amendment	After amendment
	Article 27
	The Board of the Company, its
	special committees and special meetings
	of independent Directors shall prepare
	minutes of the meetings in accordance
	with the regulations, and the opinions of
	independent Directors shall be set out in
	the minutes. The independent Directors
	shall sign and confirm the minutes of
	the meeting.
	Independent Directors shall make
	work records that detail the
	performance of their duties. Information
	obtained by independent Directors in the
	course of performing their duties,
	minutes of relevant meetings, and
	records of communications with staff
	members of the Company and
	intermediaries form an integral part of
	the work records.
	For important contents in the work
	records, the independent Directors may
	request the Board secretary and other
	relevant personnel to sign and confirm,
	and the Company and relevant
	personnel shall render cooperation.
	Work records of independent Directors and information provided by
	the Company to independent Directors
	shall be kept for at least ten years.
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	Article 28
	The Company shall improve the
	communication mechanism between the
	independent Directors and the minority
	shareholders, and independent Directors
	may verify the issues raised by the
	investors with the Company in a timely
	manner.

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Before amendment	After amendment	
	Article 29	
	The independent Directors shall	
	submit an annual report on their duties	
	to the annual general meeting of the	
	Company to explain their performance	
	of duties. The annual work report shall	
	include the following contents:	
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	Article 30
	The independent Directors shall continuously strengthen the study of securities laws and regulations and rules, and improve their ability to perform their duties. They shall take relevant trainings provided by CSRC, the stock exchange and China Association for Public Companies.
	Article 31
	The written opinion given by the independent Director shall be preserved in Board meeting archive.
	Article 32
	Independent directors shall report to the Shenzhen Stock Exchange in time if: (1) the independent Director holds that reasons for his/her removal from the post are not justifiable; (2) there are circumstances under which the independent Director is obstructed to exercise his/her powers and functions in accordance with law, which results in his/her resignation; (3) the materials for the meeting of the Board are incomplete or the arguments are insufficient, and the proposal of two or more independent directors in writing to postpone the convening of the meeting of the Board or to postpone the review of related matters has not been adopted; (4) the Board does not take effective measures after the Company or its directors, supervisors or senior executives are reported to the Board for suspected violations of law; and (5) other circumstances under
	which the independent director is seriously obstructed to perform his/her duties.

Before amendment	After amendment
Chapter 5 Supervision and Penalty	Chapter 5 Performance Guarantee
	Article 34
	The Company shall provide
	necessary working conditions and
	personnel support for the independent
	directors to perform their duties, and designate the office of the Board, the
	Secretary of the Board and other
	specialised departments and personnel to
	assist the independent Directors in
	performing their duties.
	The Secretary of the Board shall
	ensure the smooth information
	exchanges between independent
	Directors and other Directors, senior
	executives and other relevant personnel,
	and ensure that independent Directors
	have access to adequate resources and
	necessary professional opinions when
	performing their duties.
	Article 35
	The Company shall guarantee the
	right of being informed as the
	independent Directors are entitled to as
	much as that other directors are entitled
	to. To ensure the effective exercise of the powers and functions of the independent
	Directors, the Company shall regularly
	inform the independent Directors of the
	operation of the Company, provide
	materials, organise or cooperate with the
	independent Directors in field visits and
	other work.
	Before the Board deliberates major
	and complex matters, the Company may
	organise independent Directors to
	participate in the research and
	demonstration, listen to the opinions of
	independent Directors, and make
	feedback to the independent Directors
	on the adoption of opinions.

Before amendment	After amendment
	Article 36
	The Company shall promptly give
	notice of the meeting of the Board to the
	independent Directors, provide relevant
	meeting materials no later than the
	notice period of the meeting of the
	Board stipulated by laws, administrative
	regulations, the provisions of the China
	Securities Regulatory Commission or the
	provisions of Articles of Association, and
	offer effective communication channels
	for the independent Directors. When the
	special committees of the Board hold a
	meeting, the Company shall, in
	principle, provide relevant materials and
	information no later than three days
	before the meeting of the special
	committees. The Company shall keep the
	meeting materials above for at least ten
	years.
	If two or more independent
	Directors believe that the meeting
	materials are incomplete, or the
	argument is not sufficient or the
	provision is not timely, they may
	propose in writing to the Board to
	postpone the meeting or the deliberation
	of the matter, and the Board shall adopt
	the opinion.
	Meetings of the Board and special
	committees shall be held on the spot, in
	principle. Under the premise of ensuring
	that all the participating Directors can
	fully communicate and express their
	opinions, the meetings can be held by
	video, telephone or other means in
	accordance with the procedure when
	necessary.

Before amendment	After amendment
	Article 37
	If the independent Directors
	exercise their powers and functions, the
	Directors, senior executives and other
	relevant personnel of the Company shall
	provide cooperation and shall neither
	refuse, obstruct or conceal relevant
	information nor interfere with their
	independent exercise of their powers and
	functions.
	If the independent Directors
	encounter obstacles in exercising their
	powers and functions according to laws,
	they may explain the situation to the
	Board, request the Directors, senior
	executives and other relevant personnel
	to cooperate, and record the specific
	circumstances and solutions of the
	obstacles in their work records; if the
	obstacles still cannot be removed, they
	may report to China Securities
	Regulatory Commission and the stock
	exchange.
	If the performance of the duties by
	the independent Directors involves the
	information that shall be disclosed, the
	Company shall promptly handle the
	disclosure matters; if the Company does
	not disclose the information, the
	independent Directors may directly
	apply for disclosure, or report to China
	Securities Regulatory Commission and
	the stock exchange.
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	The Company shall bear the
	expenses required for independent
	Directors to hire professional institutions
	and exercise other powers and functions.

Before amendment	After amendment
	Article 39
	The Company may establish the
	necessary liability insurance system for
	independent Directors to reduce the
	risks that may arise from the normal
	performance of their duties.
	Article 40
	The Company shall provide
	independent Directors with allowances
	that are appropriate to their duties. The
	standard of allowance shall be
	formulated by the Board, approved at
	the general meeting, and disclosed in the
	Company's annual report.
	In addition to the allowance above,
	independent Directors shall not obtain
	other benefits from the Company and its
	major shareholders, actual controllers or
	interested units and personnel.



山東晨鳴紙業集團股份有限公司 SHANDONG CHENMING PAPER HOLDINGS LIMITED*

(a joint stock company incorporated in the People's Republic of China with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 1812)

Notice of 2023 Annual General Meeting

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the 2023 annual general meeting (the "AGM") of Shandong Chenming Paper Holdings Limited* (the "Company") will be held at 2:30 p.m. on

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SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS

- 12. The expected provision of guarantee amount for subsidiaries for the year 2024
- 13. The provision of external guarantee
- 14. The amendments to the Articles of Association
- 15. The amendments to the Procedural Rules of the Board Meeting
- 16. The amendments to the Procedural Rules of the General Meeting
- 17. The proposed issuance of overseas corporate bonds and provision of guarantee
- 18. General mandate in relation to the issue of new shares

"THAT:

- (a) subject to the following conditions, the general mandate is granted to the Board to allot, issue and deal in additional A Shares, B Shares and/or H Shares in the share capital of the Company:
 - (i) the Board shall allot, issue and deal in or agree conditionally or unconditionally to allot, issue or deal in A Shares, B Shares and/or H Shares of the Company of not more than 20% of the respective number of A Shares, B Shares and/or H Shares in issue pursuant to the general mandate;
 - (ii) the Board shall only exercise the general mandate upon obtaining all necessary approvals from government and/or regulatory authorities, if any, and in accordance with applicable laws (including, but not limited to, the Company Law of the PRC and the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities (the "Listing Rules") on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited ("Hong Kong Stock Exchange"));
 - (iii) the general mandate shall always be effective until the earliest of: (1) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company; or (2) the expiration of the 12-month period following the passing of this resolution; or (3) the date on which the authorisation set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by a special resolution of the shareholders in a general meeting.

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- (b) the Board is authorised to approve, execute and do or procure to be executed and done all such documents, deeds and matters as it may consider necessary or expedient in connection with the exercise of general mandate to allot and issue any new share as mentioned under paragraph (a) of this resolution.
- (c) for the purpose of this resolution:
 - "A Share(s)" means the domestic listed domestic share(s) in the share capital of the Company with a RMB-denominated nominal value of RMB1.00 each, which are listed on the Shenzhen Stock Exchange in PRC and traded in RMB.
 - "B Share(s)" means the domestic listed foreign share(s) in the share capital of the Company with a RMB-denominated nominal value of RMB1.00 each, which are listed on the Shenzhen Stock Exchange in PRC and traded in Hong Kong dollars.
 - "H Share(s)" means the overseas listed foreign share(s) in the share capital of the Company with a RMB-denominated nominal value of RMB1.00 each, which are listed on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange and traded in Hong Kong dollars."

By order of the Board

Shandong Chenming Paper

Holdings Limited

Chen Hongguo

Chairman

Shandong, the PRC 28 March 2024

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Notes:

- 1. The register of members of the Company will be temporarily closed from 9 May 2024 to 14 May 2024 (both days inclusive) during which no transfer of H shares of the Company will be registered in order to determine the list of holders of H shares of the Company for attending the AGM. The last lodgement for the transfer of the H shares of the Company should be made on Wednesday, 8 May 2024 at Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited by or before 4:30 p.m. The holders of H shares of the Company or their proxies being registered at the close of business on 8 May 2024 are entitled to attend the AGM by presenting their identity documents. The address of Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, the H share registrar of the Company, is Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong.
- 2. Each shareholder having the rights to attend and vote at the AGM is entitled to appoint one or more proxies (whether a shareholder or not) to attend and vote on his behalf. Should more than one proxy be appointed by one shareholder, such proxy shall only exercise his voting rights on a poll.
- 3. Shareholders can appoint a proxy by an instrument in writing (i.e. by using the proxy form enclosed). The proxy form shall be signed by the person appointing the proxy or an attorney authorised by such person in writing. If the proxy form is signed by an attorney, the power of attorney or other documents of authorisation shall be notarially certified. To be valid, the proxy form and the notarially certified power of attorney or other documents of authorisation must be delivered to in the case of H shares, the Company's H share registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at 17M Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong; not later than 24 hours before the time scheduled for the holding of the AGM or any adjournment thereof.
- 4. Shareholders or their proxies shall present proofs of their identities upon attending the AGM. Should a proxy be appointed, the proxy shall also present the proxy form.
- 5. The AGM is expected to last for half day. The shareholders and proxies attending the AGM shall be responsible for their own travelling and accommodation expenses.
- 6. The Company's registered address:

No. 595 Shengcheng Road, Shouguang City, Shandong Province, the PRC

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As at the date of this notice, the executive Directors are Mr. Chen Hongguo, Mr. Hu Changqing, Mr. Li Xingchun, Mr. Li Feng and Mr. Li Weixian; the non-executive Directors are Mr. Han Tingde and Mr. Li Chuanxuan; and the independent non-executive Directors are Ms. Yin Meiqun, Mr. Sun Jianfei, Mr. Yang Biao and Mr. Li Zhihui.