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(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)
(Stock code: 00132)

# MAJOR TRANSACTION ENTERING INTO A FINANCE LEASE AS THE LESSOR

A letter from the Board is set out on pages 4 to 9 of this circular.

The transactions being the subject matter of this circular have been approved by written shareholders' approval pursuant to the Listing Rules and this circular is being published to the Shareholders for information only.

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# **DEFINITIONS**

In this circular, unless the context requires otherwise, the following terms have the meanings as respectively ascribed below:—

"Assets" shall have the meaning as disclosed in the section headed

"INFORMATION ON THE ASSETS" in this circular

"Board" the board of Directors of the Company

"Company" Hing Yip Holdings Limited, a company incorporated in

Bermuda with limited liability, the shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange (Stock

Code: 00132)

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

"Existing Finance Lease 1" the existing finance lease agreement and incidental

documentation dated 22 October 2024 entered into between Greengold Leasing and the then lessee (being Guarantor 2), the details of which have been disclosed in the announcement of the Company dated 22 October 2024

"Existing Finance Lease 2" the existing finance lease agreement and incidental

documentation dated 13 February 2025 entered into between Greengold Leasing and the Lessee, the details of which have been disclosed in the announcement of the

Company dated 13 February 2025

"Existing Finance Leases" collectively, Existing Finance Lease 1 and Existing Finance

Lease 2

"Finance Lease" the finance lease agreement dated 27 June 2025 entered

into between Greengold Leasing and the Lessee in relation to the transfer of ownership and lease back of the Assets

"Greengold Leasing" Canton Greengold Financial Leasing Ltd.\* (廣東綠金融資

租賃有限公司), a company incorporated in the PRC with

limited liability and a subsidiary of the Company

"Group" the Company and its subsidiaries

# **DEFINITIONS**

"Guarantor 1"	Chongqing Kangda Environmental Protection Industry Group Co., Ltd.* (重慶康達環保產業 (集團) 有限公司), a company incorporated in the PRC with limited liability, which is indirectly wholly owned by Kangda International Environmental Company Limited (康達國際環保有限公司), a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability, the shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange (Stock Code: 6136)) ("Kangda International"), and being an Independent Third Party
"Guarantor 2"	Meiling Environmental Technology (Zibo) Co., Ltd.* (美陵環境科技(淄博)有限公司), a company incorporated in the PRC with limited liability, which is indirectly wholly owned by Kangda International, and being an Independent Third Party
"Guarantor 3"	Qingzhou Meiling Sewage Purification Co., Ltd.*(青州市美陵污水淨化有限公司), a company incorporated in the PRC with limited liability, which is indirectly wholly owned by Kangda International, and being an Independent Third Party
"Guarantors"	collectively, Guarantor 1, Guarantor 2 and Guarantor 3
"Hong Kong"	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC
"HK\$"	Hong Kong Dollar, the lawful currency of Hong Kong
"Incidental Documentation"	the agreements incidental to the Finance Lease, including the transfer agreement, the consultancy agreement, the guarantees, the asset pledge agreement, the receivables pledge agreement, the equity pledge agreement and the pledge agreement
"Independent Third Party(ies)"	(an) independent third party(ies) not connected with the Group and any Director, chief executive or substantial shareholder of the Group or any of its subsidiaries or their respective associate of any of them as defined in the Listing Rules
"Latest Practicable Date"	17 July 2025, being the latest practicable date prior to the publication of this circular for the purpose of ascertaining certain information for inclusion in this circular

# **DEFINITIONS**

"Lessee" Weifang Kangda Environmental Protection Water Co., Ltd.\*

(濰坊康達環保水務有限公司), a company incorporated in the PRC with limited liability, which is indirectly wholly owned by Kangda International, and being an Independent

Third Party

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

Exchange

"PRC" the People's Republic of China which, for the purpose

of this circular, excludes Hong Kong, the Macau Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China

and Taiwan

"RMB" Renminbi, the lawful currency of the PRC

"SFO" the Securities and Future Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the

Laws of Hong Kong)

"Shareholder(s)" shareholder(s) of the Company

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"%" per cent

\* For identification purpose only



# HING YIP HOLDINGS LIMITED

# 興業控股有限公司

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)
(Stock code: 00132)

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21 July 2025

To the Shareholders

Dear Sir or Madam,

# MAJOR TRANSACTION ENTERING INTO A FINANCE LEASE AS THE LESSOR

# INTRODUCTION

Reference is made to the announcement of the Company dated 27 June 2025 in relation to the entering into the Finance Lease with the Lessee, to obtain the ownership of the Assets from the Lessee at a consideration of RMB20,000,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$21,880,000), which would be leased back to the Lessee for its use and possession for a term of 6 years.

The purpose of this circular is to provide you with, among other things, further information on the Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation and other information as required under the Listing Rules.

#### THE FINANCE LEASE AND INCIDENTAL DOCUMENTATION

The Board is pleased to announce that Greengold Leasing entered into the Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation, the principal terms of which are as follows:—

#### **Date of the Finance Lease:**

27 June 2025

The Finance Lease will take effect upon compliance of the applicable requirements of the Listing Rules by the Company.

#### Parties:

- (1) Greengold Leasing, a subsidiary of the Company, as the lessor;
- (2) the Lessee; and
- (3) the Guarantors (in relation to the relevant guarantee).

To the best of the Directors' knowledge, information and belief having made all reasonable enquiry, the Lessee, the Guarantors and their ultimate beneficial owners are Independent Third Parties.

## Transfer of Assets and consideration

Greengold Leasing will be transferred the unencumbered ownership of the Assets from the Lessee on an "as-is" basis at the consideration of RMB20,000,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$21,880,000) in cash, payable within 12 months from the date of the Finance Lease. The transfer agreement was entered into between Greengold Leasing and the Lessee on the date of the Finance Lease, effecting the terms of the Finance Lease in relation to the above-mentioned transfer of the Assets from the Lessee to Greengold Leasing.

Such consideration or financing amount was determined following arm's length negotiations by the parties to the Finance Lease with reference to the original cost of the Assets of approximately RMB20,152,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$22,046,000), and their state including serviceable condition and depreciable life, which were reviewed by Greengold Leasing's experienced leasing team. The consideration amount for the transfer of ownership of the Assets will be funded through the internal resources of the Group.

## Lease period

Greengold Leasing will lease back the Assets to the Lessee for its use and possession for a term of 6 years commencing from the day the consideration for the Assets transfer has been paid by Greengold Leasing.

#### Payments under the Finance Lease

The total amount of payments for the Finance Lease is approximately RMB24,433,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$26,730,000), comprising (a) the lease principal payment of RMB20,000,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$21,880,000) and (b) the aggregate lease interest and other fees and expenses under the Incidental Documentation of approximately RMB4,433,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$4,850,000). Both the lease principal and interest will be paid quarterly over the lease period.

The terms of the Finance Lease, including the lease principal and interest, were determined after arm's length negotiations between the parties to the Finance Lease with reference to the lending and interest rate environment including the loan prime rate published by the National Interbank Funding Center from time to time (for reference purpose, the prevailing loan prime rate was 3.0% as at the date of the Finance Lease), and adjustments taking into account the principal amount of the Finance Lease and availability of funds, the interest risk of financing and servicing costs over the lease period, the credit risks associated and the overall return target and risk tolerance of the Group for the Finance Lease on a case by case basis.

#### Termination and transfer of the Assets to the Lessee

The Lessee may terminate the Finance Lease provided that all outstanding amounts due thereunder and a compensation equivalent to 20% of the total outstanding lease interest amount as at the time of early termination have been settled. At the end of the lease period or in the event of an early termination of the Finance Lease, subject to the settlement of all outstanding amounts due, the Lessee had agreed to purchase the Assets at a nominal purchase price of RMB100 (equivalent to approximately HK\$109.40).

# Guarantee deposit

The Lessee will pay an interest-free deposit of RMB200,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$219,000) to Greengold Leasing on the same day the consideration for the Assets transfer has been paid by Greengold Leasing to secure its payment obligations under the Finance Lease.

#### Guarantees

The Guarantors had executed guarantees on the date of the Finance Lease guaranteeing Greengold Leasing, effectively on a joint and several basis, the due and punctual settlement of any and all amount payable by the Lessee under the Finance Lease.

## **Pledges**

Pursuant to the asset pledge agreement entered into between Greengold Leasing and the Lessee on the date of the Finance Lease, although the ownership of the Assets shall be transferred to Greengold Leasing as lessor as part of the Finance Lease, the Assets are treated as security of payment obligations of the Lessee under the Finance Lease and the Lessee may continue to utilize the Assets during the lease term.

The Lessee had executed a receivables pledge agreement in favour of Greengold Leasing, pledging its rights in receivables under certain sewage treatment agreements and their supplemental agreements (with pledged receivables in the total amount of RMB30,000,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$32,820,000)) as security of its payment obligations under the Finance Lease.

The Lessee had also executed a pledge agreement in favour of Greengold Leasing, pledging 100% interests of its bank account (representing the pledge receivables of all outstanding amounts due) and the franchise and other derivative rights under two sewage treatment agreements and their supplemental agreements, as security of its payment obligations under the Finance Lease.

Additionally, Guarantor 1 had executed an equity pledge agreement in favour of Greengold Leasing, pledging 100% of its shareholding interests in the Lessee (with pledged receivables in the total amount of RMB30,000,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$32,820,000)), as security of the Lessee's payment obligations under the Finance Lease.

# REASONS FOR AND BENEFITS OF ENTERING INTO THE FINANCE LEASE AND INCIDENTAL DOCUMENTATION

The entering into of the Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation is part of Greengold Leasing's ordinary and usual course of business and is expected to provide a stable revenue and cashflow to the Group.

The Directors consider that the Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation and the transactions contemplated thereunder are on normal commercial terms which are made on an arm's length basis and are fair and reasonable and in the best interests of the Group and the Shareholders as a whole.

# FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF THE FINANCE LEASE ARRANGEMENT

The Finance Lease is expected to attribute approximately RMB4,433,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$4,850,000) to the Group's turnover, from the aggregate interest income and other fees and expenses over the whole period of such Finance Lease.

As at the date when the consideration for the Assets transfer was paid, the Group had also recorded on its balance sheet the Finance Lease receivables of RMB20,000,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$21,880,000) and deposit received of RMB200,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$219,000) in respect of such Finance Lease and the cash and bank balances of the Group will be decreased by RMB19,800,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$21,661,000).

# INFORMATION ON THE ASSETS

The Assets comprise certain designated sewage treatment equipment and facilities of the Lessee situated in Weifang City, Shandong Province, the PRC.

The Lessee will bear any maintenance, taxation and other costs and levies associated with the Assets.

#### LISTING RULES IMPLICATION

Reference is made to (1) the discloseable transaction announcement of the Company dated 22 October 2024 in relation to the entering into of the Existing Finance Lease 1 with the then lessee, being Guarantor 2, whose ultimate beneficial owner is the same as that of the Lessee, and (2) the discloseable transaction announcement of the Company dated 13 February 2025 in relation to the entering into of the Existing Finance Lease 2 with the Lessee. As one of the applicable percentage ratios for the transactions contemplated under the Finance Lease, when calculated on an aggregate basis with the transactions under the Existing Finance Leases, exceeds 25% but all of them are less than 100%, the entering into of the Finance Lease constitutes a major transaction for the Company under the Listing Rules and is subject to the announcement, circular and shareholders' approval requirements under the Listing Rules.

No Shareholder is materially interested in the Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation and no Shareholder is required to abstain from voting at a general meeting of the Company approving the transactions contemplated under the Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation, and the Company has, pursuant to Rule 14.44 of the Listing Rules, obtained written approval of the transactions contemplated under the Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation from Prize Rich Inc., a Shareholder holding 1,222,713,527 issued ordinary shares of the Company (representing 71.41% of its entire issued share capital). As such, the Company is exempted from convening a general meeting to approve the transactions contemplated under the Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation.

# PRINCIPAL BUSINESSES OF THE PARTIES

# The Group

The Group is principally engaged in wellness elderly care business as the principal direction, with the strategic support of finance leasing, technology and civil explosives businesses. Through its joint ventures and associated companies, the Group also invests in fast growing sectors, such as electric utilities in the PRC.

# **Greengold Leasing**

Greengold Leasing is a subsidiary of the Company, which is principally engaged in the provision of financing, including through finance leasing, with a focus on environmental protection projects in the PRC.

# The Lessee

The Lessee is a limited liability company established in the PRC and is principally engaged in urban sewage treatment.

#### The Guarantors

Guarantor 1 is a limited liability company established in the PRC and is principally engaged in municipal and environmental infrastructure and equity investment, construction and operation management in urban water supply and drainage area.

Guarantor 2 is a limited liability company established in the PRC and is principally engaged in sewage treatment.

Guarantor 3 is a limited liability company established in the PRC and is principally engaged in sewage treatment.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

The Directors consider that the terms of the Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation and the transactions contemplated thereunder are on normal commercial terms which are made on an arm's length basis and are fair and reasonable, and in the best interests of the Group and the Shareholders as a whole.

Accordingly, if a general meeting were to be convened, the Board would recommend the Shareholders to vote in favour of the ordinary resolutions to approve the Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation and the transactions contemplated thereunder at such general meeting.

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Your attention is drawn to the financial and general information as set out in the appendices to this circular.

On behalf of
Hing Yip Holdings Limited
HE Xiangming
Chairman

#### 1. FINANCIAL INFORMATION OF THE GROUP

Details of the audited consolidated financial information of the Group for each of the three years ended 31 December 2022, 2023 and 2024 are disclosed in the following annual reports of the Company for the years ended 31 December 2022, 2023 and 2024 respectively, which have been published and are available on the website of the Stock Exchange (www.hkexnews.hk) and the website of the Company (http://hingyiphk.quamhkir.com):

- the annual report 2022 of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2022 which
  was published on 27 April 2023 (available on: https://www1.hkexnews.hk/listedco/
  listconews/sehk/2023/0427/2023042700579.pdf), please refer to pages 131 to 309 in
  particular;
- the annual report 2023 of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2023 which was published on 24 April 2024 (available on: https://www1.hkexnews.hk/listedco/listconews/sehk/2024/0424/2024042402274.pdf), please refer to pages 100 to 254 in particular; and
- the annual report 2024 of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2024 which was published on 28 April 2025 (available on: https://www1.hkexnews.hk/listedco/listconews/sehk/2025/0428/2025042800699.pdf), please refer to pages 100 to 256 in particular.

# 2. INDEBTEDNESS STATEMENT

As at the close of business on 31 May 2025, the Group had outstanding interest bearing bank loans of approximately HK\$4,699,592,000 (comprising secured and guaranteed bank loans of approximately HK\$4,342,678,000 which were secured by the pledge of investment properties of approximately HK\$312,766,000, plant, property and equipment of approximately HK\$65,777,000, finance lease receivables and future interest receivable of approximately HK\$4,309,932,000, investment cost of 26.794% equity interests in an associate of approximately HK\$123,726,000 and investment cost of 51% equity interest in a subsidiary of approximately HK\$192,680,000; and unsecured and unguaranteed bank loans of approximately HK\$356,914,000. Among such loans, a small number of them are having a maturity profile in the near term (maturing in 2024) and the rest are in the mid-term (maturing in 2025, 2026 and 2027) to long term (maturing in 2028, 2029, 2034, 2035, 2037, 2038, 2039 and 2047).

The Group had unsecured and unguaranteed interest bearing loans from its immediate holding company of approximately HK\$26,000,000, which will mature in 2026.

The Group had outstanding secured and guaranteed other loan of approximately HK\$41,203,000 which were secured by the pledge of finance lease receivables and future interest receivable of approximately HK\$39,208,000.

# FINANCIAL INFORMATION OF THE GROUP

In addition, the Group had unsecured and unguaranteed lease liabilities of approximately HK\$3,870,000, and outstanding convertible notes with aggregate principal amount of HK\$166,232,000 issued by the Company which will mature on 13 October 2027.

The Group issued unsecured and unguaranteed interest bearing bonds of approximately HK\$446,928,000, which will mature in 2027.

Save as aforesaid or otherwise disclosed herein, as at the close of business on 31 May 2025, the Group did not have any debt securities issued and outstanding or agreed to be issued, bank overdrafts, loans or other similar indebtedness, liabilities under acceptances or acceptance credits, debentures, mortgages, charges, hire purchase commitments, guarantees or other contingent liabilities.

## 3. MATERIAL ADVERSE CHANGE

At the Latest Practicable Date, the Directors confirm that there had been no material adverse change in the financial or trading position of the Group since 31 December 2024, being the date to which the latest published audited consolidated financial statements of the Company were made up.

# 4. WORKING CAPITAL

The Directors, after due and careful enquiry, are of the opinion that, taking into account the existing cash and bank balances, other internal resources and available existing unutilised credit facilities, the Group has sufficient working capital for its present requirements and to satisfy its requirements for at least the next 12 months from the date of publication of this circular in the absence of unforeseen circumstances.

The Company has obtained the relevant confirmation as required under Rule 14.66(12) of the Listing Rules.

#### 5. FINANCIAL AND TRADING PROSPECT OF THE GROUP

There remains considerable uncertainty in the global economy. The onset of the trade war would bring instability to inflation, interest rates, exchange rates, and imports and exports, adding further uncertainty to economic growth. The Group adheres to the strategic orientation, continues to deepen the "1+X" industrial structure, further focuses on the core business of wellness and elderly care, and takes science and technology, financial leasing and civil explosives business as strategic support to solidify the foundation of the Group's core business and promote high-quality development to a new level.

For our wellness and elderly care business, Guangdong Taoyuan Comprehensive Health Operation Company Limited ("Taoyuan Comprehensive Health") will continue to consolidate its elderly care business and continue to expand the construction of elderly care facilities. With the completion and commissioning of the elderly apartment project, it will actively connect and negotiate with multiple prospective projects within and outside Guangdong Province to expand the number of beds, aiming to reach 5,000 beds by the end of 2025. It will implement and promote the standardization system of institutional elderly care business, and carry out optimization according to the status of implementation; continue to advance the upgrading and expansion of branch facilities, and carry out preliminary planning and design, economic estimation, and other preparatory work for the third phase reconstruction project of the rehabilitation hospital. On the basis of optimizing and improving the Nanhai District Informationized Elderly Care Service Platform, it will actively develop community elderly care and home-based elderly care services. In March 2025, Taoyuan Comprehensive Health successfully secured inclusion in the "Guangdong Residential Care Service Scheme" and will further enhance elderly care services for seniors from Hong Kong and Macau. At the same time, it is actively pursuing investments in institutional elderly care business in Hong Kong, seeking opportunities to expand and promote the northward elderly care services for seniors from Hong Kong and Macau, facilitating their relocation to the north for elderly care.

For our science and technology business, the Group will focus on nurturing the science and technology sector, exploring the direction for sustainable development, and continue to advance investment and acquisitions. To closely align with the Group's strategy and science and technology industry development plans, broaden the scope of project engagement, establish an investment project database, and accelerate the implementation of industrial investment and acquisition work with the aim of completing mergers and acquisitions of quality projects. Additionally, we will ensure the steady advancement of implementation and delivery of existing business, expedite the expansion of new business segments, so as to build a sustainable operational business system.

For our financial leasing business, we will continue to focus on green finance leasing, continuously improve risk control management, adhere to the environmental protection characteristics of the principal financial leasing business, and continuously optimize the Environmental Leasing Pass products, to issue bonds in the open market when appropriate to reduce funding costs. We will actively develop cogeneration, heating and gas supply businesses, and explore the medical equipment finance leasing business. To improve the risk management and control system, enhance compliance internal audit and review of institutional processes, and to establish various systems for management of non-performing assets, strengthen on-site supervision and management, regularly conduct credit rating classification for existing customers, provide early warnings for potential non-performing events, reduce the non-performing rate and achieve reduction in asset losses.

For our civil explosives business, we will deepen cost reduction and efficiency enhancement initiatives, strive to expand blasting business, independently release mixed assembly capacity and maintain stable release, and promote Huaxin Blasting to upgrade its qualification to the next level, stimulate personnel capability and improve the personnel performance assessment mechanism, enhance the level of safety management and advance the second level standardization acceptance of work safety. In addition, we will strengthen cooperation to increase production capacity, actively participate in industry consolidation, and enhance collaboration with industry leaders.

## 1. RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

This circular, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Company. The Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that to the best of their knowledge and belief, the information contained in this circular is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this circular misleading.

## 2. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

(a) Interests and short positions of directors and chief executives of the Company in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company and its associated corporations

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the interests and short positions of the Directors and chief executives of the Company in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company and any associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO) which were required to be (i) notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests and short positions which the Directors and chief executives of the Company were taken or deemed to have pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO), or (ii) entered in the register required to be kept under Section 352 of the SFO or (iii) notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers (the "Model Code") adopted by the Company were as follows:

#### Long positions in the Shares

				Approximate
				percentage of
				total issued
				Shares as at
			Number of	the Latest
Name of Director	Capacity	Nature of interest	Shares held	Practicable Date <sup>1</sup>
He Xiangming	Beneficial owner	Personal	1,441,000	0.08%

Note: 1. The percentage was calculated based on 1,712,329,142 Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date.

Save as disclosed above, none of the Directors and chief executives of the Company had, as at the Latest Practicable Date, any interests or short positions in any shares and underlying shares or debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO) which would have to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests and short positions which the Directors and chief executives of the Company were taken or deemed to have pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO), or which were entered in the register required to be kept by the Company under Section 352 of the SFO, or which were required to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code.

**Approximate** 

# (b) Interests and short positions of the Shareholders in the Shares, underlying Shares of the Company

As at the Latest Practicable Date, so far as is known to any Director or chief executive of the Company, the interests and short positions of the Shareholders (other than Directors or chief executives of the Company) who had interests or short positions in the shares and underlying shares of the Company which would fall to be disclosed to the Company under the provisions of Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO, or which were entered in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to Section 336 of the SFO, were as follows:—

Name of Shareholder	Capacity of Shareholder	Number of Shares/Long position	underlying Shares Short position	percentage of total issued Shares as at the Latest Practicable Date
Glories Holdings (HK) Limited	Beneficial Owner	1,441,439,8422	-	84.18%
Prize Rich Inc.	Corporate Interest	1,441,439,8422	-	84.18%
廣東南海控股集團 有限公司 (Guangdon Nanhai Holding Group Co., Ltd.*)	Corporate interest g	1,441,439,8422	-	84.18%

- Notes: 1. The percentage was calculated based on 1,712,329,142 Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date.
  - 2. These 1,441,439,842 shares/underlying shares are held by Prize Rich Inc., which is wholly-owned by Guangdong Nanhai Holding Group Co., Ltd.\* (廣東南海控股集團有限公司). On 25 July 2022, Prize Rich Inc. agreed to transfer 1,222,713,527 shares and HK\$166,232,000 convertible bonds (with underlying shares of 218,726,315) to its wholly-owned subsidiary, Glories Holdings (HK) Limited, pursuant to the equity and convertible bonds transfer agreement.

Saved as disclosed above, as at the Latest Practicable Date, the Company had not been notified by any person (other than directors and chief executives of the Company) who had interests or short positions in the Shares and underlying Shares under the provisions of Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO, or which were entered in the register required to be kept under Section 336 of the SFO.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, no Director or proposed Director is a director or employee of a company which has an interest or short position in the shares and underlying shares of the Company which would fall to be disclosed to the Company under the provisions of Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO.

## 3. DIRECTORS' COMPETING INTERESTS

As at the Latest Practicable Date, so far as the Directors are aware, none of the Directors or his or her respective close associates was considered to have an interest in a business which competes or was likely to compete, either directly or indirectly, with the business of the Group other than those business to which the Directors or his or her close associates were appointed to represent the interests of the Company and/or the Group.

#### 4. DIRECTORS' INTEREST IN CONTRACTS AND ASSETS OF THE GROUP

As at the Latest Practicable Date,

- (a) none of the Directors was materially interested in any contract or arrangement subsisting and which was significant in relation to the business of the Group; and
- (b) none of the Directors had any interest, direct or indirect, in any assets which had been acquired or disposed of by or leased to any member of the Group or were proposed to be acquired or disposed of by or leased to any member of the Group since 31 December 2024, being the date to which the latest published audited consolidated financial statements of the Company were made up.

#### 5. MATERIAL CONTRACTS

The following contracts were entered into by the Group within the two years immediately preceding the date of this circular and which is or may be material or of significance:

- (a) the equity transfer agreement dated 6 December 2023 entered into between CIH Finance Investments Holdings Limited ("CIH Finance"), a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, and Guangdong Nanhai Holding Group Co., Ltd.\* (廣東南海控股集團有限公司) in relation to the disposal of 72% equity interest of Guangdong Sino Rock Tyco Construction Co., Ltd.\* (廣東中岩泰科建設有限公司) at a consideration of RMB972,000,000;
- (b) the seventh capital injection agreement dated 4 June 2024 entered into among CIH Finance, Guangdong Zhongchuang Xingke Investments Co., Ltd.\*(廣東中創興科投資有限公司), Foshan City Yueqiao Construction Investment Co., Ltd.\*(佛山市粵樵建設投資有限公司), Foshan City Nanhai Dali Water Supply Company\*(佛山市南海大瀝自來水公司), Foshan Huaxing Glass Co., Ltd.\*(佛山華興玻璃有限公司), Foshan City Nanhai District Lianzhifu Investment Co., Ltd.\*(佛山市南海區聯智富投資有限公司), Foshan City Nanhai Zhizao Investment Co., Ltd.\*(佛山市南海區聯智富投資有限公司) and Greengold Leasing, pursuant to which CIH Finance agreed to contribute RMB140,907,030.57 in cash to the capital of Greengold Leasing to provide working capital for its operation; and

the equity transfer agreement dated 14 March 2025 entered into among Guangdong Zhongchuang Xingke Asset Management Co., Ltd.\* (廣東中創興科資產管理有限公司)("Zhongchuang Xingke"), a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, Guangdong Nanshan Pharmaceutical Innovation Research Institute\* (廣東省南山醫藥創新研究院), Mr. Zhou Rong\* (周榮), Respiratory Research Institute Equity Investment (Foshan) Center (Limited Partnership)\* (呼研所股權投資(佛山)中心(有限合夥)) ("Vendor 1"), Foshan Ruifa Equity Investment Center (Limited Partnership)\* (佛山瑞發股權投資中心(有限合夥)) ("Vendor 2"), Guangzhou Ruifa No. 1 Health Investment Center (Limited Partnership)\* (廣州瑞發一號健康投資中心(有限合夥)) (together with Vendor 1 and Vendor 2, collectively the "Vendors") and Respiratory Research Institute of Medical Technology (Guangzhou) Co., Ltd.\* (呼研所醫藥科技(廣州)有限公司) ("Respiratory Research Institute"), pursuant to which Zhongchuang Xingke conditionally agreed to purchase from the Vendors, the sale shares, representing 51% of the equity of Respiratory Research Institute, at the total consideration of RMB54,435,300, subject to adjustment (if any).

### 6. LITIGATION

As at the Latest Practicable Date, no member of the Group was engaged in any litigation or arbitration of material importance and no litigation or claim of material importance was known to the Directors to be pending or threatened against any member of the Group.

#### 7. DIRECTORS' SERVICE CONTRACTS

As at the Latest Practicable Date, none of the Directors had entered, or proposed to enter, into a service contract with any member of the Group which is not determinable by the Group within one (1) year without payment of compensation (other than statutory compensation).

# 8. GENERAL

- (a) The registered office of the Company is at Clarendon House, 2 Church Street, Hamilton HM 11, Bermuda.
- (b) The branch share registrar of the Company is Tricor Investor Services Limited at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong.
- (c) The Company's head office and principal place of business in Hong Kong is at Unit 501, Wing On Plaza, 62 Mody Road, Tsimshatsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong.
- (d) The company secretary of the Company is Mr. Lo Tai On, who is a member of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

# 9. DOCUMENTS ON DISPLAY

Copies of the following documents will be published and displayed on the websites of the Stock Exchange (http://www.hkexnews.hk) and the Company (http://hingyiphk.quamhkir.com) for a period of 14 days from the date of this circular (both days inclusive):

- (a) the Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation; and
- (b) this circular.
- \* For identification purpose only