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# **Melco International Development Limited**

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## NOTICE OF THE 94TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the 94th annual general meeting of Melco International Development Limited (the "**Company**") will be held at 38th Floor, The Centrium, 60 Wyndham Street, Central, Hong Kong on Monday, 8 June 2009 at 11:30 a.m. for the following purposes:

- 1. To consider and receive the audited financial statements and the reports of the directors and auditors for the financial year ended 31 December 2008.
- 2. To re-elect the directors and to fix the remuneration of the directors.
- 3. To re-appoint auditors and to authorize the board of directors to fix their remuneration.
- 4. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as ordinary resolution:

#### **ORDINARY RESOLUTION**

#### "THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (b) of this Resolution, the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period of all the powers of the Company to repurchase shares of the Company be and it is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the aggregate nominal amount of shares of the Company which may be repurchased on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited or any other stock exchange recognised for this purpose by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

under the Hong Kong Code on Share Repurchases pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this Resolution shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue at the date of passing this Resolution, and the said approval shall be limited accordingly;

## (c) for the purposes of this Resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this Resolution until whichever of the following first occurs:

- i. the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- ii. the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Companies Ordinance to be held; and
- iii. the revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by ordinary resolution of the shareholders in general meeting."
- 5. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolutions as ordinary resolutions:

#### ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

#### (I) "**THAT**:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) of this Resolution and pursuant to Section 57B of the Companies Ordinance, the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the capital of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including warrants, bonds, debentures, notes and other securities which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into shares of the Company) which might require the exercise of such power be and it is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) of this Resolution shall authorise the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including warrants, bonds, debentures, notes and other securities which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into shares of the Company) which might require the exercise of such power after the end of the Relevant Period;

- (c) the aggregate nominal amount of share capital allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the directors of the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this Resolution, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue, (ii) the exercise of any rights of subscription or conversion under any existing warrants, bonds, debentures, notes and other securities issued by the Company which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into shares of the Company, (iii) any option scheme or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the grant or issue to officers and/or employees of the Company and/or any of its subsidiaries of shares or rights to acquire shares of the Company or (iv) any scrip dividend or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares in lieu of the whole or part of dividend on shares of the Company in accordance with the Articles of Association of the Company, shall not exceed the aggregate of:
  - (aa) 20 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue at the date of passing this Resolution plus;
  - (bb) (if the directors of the Company are so authorized by a separate resolution of the shareholders of the Company) the nominal amount of share capital of the Company repurchased by the Company subsequent to the passing of this Resolution (up to a maximum equivalent to 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue at the date of passing this Resolution), and the said approval shall be limited accordingly;
- (d) for the purposes of this Resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this Resolution until whichever of the following first occurs:

- i. the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- ii. the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Companies Ordinance to be held; and
- iii. the revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by ordinary resolution of the shareholders in general meeting; and

"Rights Issue" means an offer of shares of the Company or issue of options, warrants or other securities giving the right to subscribe for shares of the Company, open for a period fixed by the directors of the Company to holders of shares whose names appear on the register of members of the Company (and, where appropriate, to holders of other securities entitled to the offer) on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares of the Company (or, where appropriate, such other securities) (subject in all cases to such exclusions or other arrangements as the directors of the Company may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange in, any territory applicable to the Company)."

- (II) "THAT the directors of the Company be and they are hereby authorised to exercise the powers of the Company referred to in paragraph (a) of the resolution set out as Resolution (I) in item 5 of the notice of this meeting in respect of the share capital of the Company referred to in subparagraph (bb) of paragraph (c) of such resolution."
- 6. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as ordinary resolution:

### **ORDINARY RESOLUTION**

"THAT the proposed amendments to the terms of the share option scheme adopted by the Company at its extraordinary general meeting on 8 March 2002 (referred to as "Revised Share Option Scheme" after the proposed amendments have been approved and incorporated) as set out in Appendix III to the circular to the shareholders of the Company dated 29 April 2009, a copy of the Revised Share Option Scheme having been produced to this meeting marked "A" and signed by the Chairman of this meeting for the purpose of identification, be and are hereby approved and the board of directors of the Company be and is hereby authorised to do all such acts and to enter into all such transactions and arrangements as may be necessary or expedient in order to give effect to the Revised Share Option Scheme."

7. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as special resolution:

#### SPECIAL RESOLUTION

"THAT the Articles of Association of the Company be and is hereby amended in the following manner:

(1) By adding the following definitions in Article 2:

"electronic communication" shall mean a communication sent by electronic transmission in any form through any medium;

"Entitled Person" shall mean a person who under section 129G(1) of the Companies Ordinance as read with the proviso thereto is entitled to be sent copies of the documents mentioned in that section;

"Listing Rules" shall mean the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and any amendments thereto for the time being in force;

"relevant financial documents" shall mean the documents required to be sent under section 129G(1) of the Companies Ordinance in respect of the Company;

"summary financial report" shall mean a summary financial report of the Company which complies with section 141CF(1) of the Companies Ordinance;

- (2) By re-arranging the definitions in Article 2 in alphabetical order.
- (3) By adding before the end of Article 3 the following sentences:
  - "Where the Company purchases for redemption a redeemable share, purchases not made through the market or by tender shall be limited to a maximum price as may from time to time be determined by the Company in a general meeting, either generally or with regard to specific purchases. If purchases are by tender, tenders shall be available to all members alike."
- (4) By deleting the words ", and that any holder of shares of the class present in person or by proxy may demand a poll" after the words "his proxy" and replacing it with "(whatever the number of shares held by him) shall be a quorum" in the last line of Article 5(B).

- (5) By adding before the end of Article 8 the following words:
  - ", provided always that where the Company issues shares which do not carry voting rights, the words "non-voting" shall appear in the designation of such shares, and where the equity capital includes shares with different voting rights, the designation of each class of shares, other than those with the most favourable voting rights, must include the words "restricted voting" or "limited voting"."
- (6) By deleting the first sentence in Article 67 and replacing it with the following:
  - 67. Subject to such other minimum period as may be specified in the Listing Rules from time to time: (a) an annual general meeting shall be called by not less than 21 days' notice in writing or 20 clear business days' notice in writing, whichever is the longer; (b) a meeting called for the passing of a special resolution shall be called by not less than 21 days' notice in writing; and (c) a meeting other than an annual general meeting or a meeting other than a meeting called for the passing of a special resolution shall be called by not less than 14 days' notice in writing or 10 clear business days' notice in writing, whichever is the longer.
- (7) By deleting Article 74 in its entirety and substituting therefor the following Article:
  - 74. At any general meeting a resolution put to the vote of the meeting shall be decided on a poll.
- (8) By deleting Article 75 in its entirety and substituting therefor the following Article:
  - 75. A poll shall be taken in such manner (including the use of ballot or voting papers or tickets) as the Chairman shall direct and he may appoint scrutineers (who need not be member). The result of the poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the meeting.
- (9) By deleting the words "duly demanded" after the word "poll" in the first line of Article 76.

- (10) By deleting Article 77 in its entirety and substituting therefor the following Article:
  - 77. In the case of an equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting shall be entitled to a second or casting vote. In case of any dispute as to the admission or rejection of any vote the Chairman shall determine the same, and such determination shall be final and conclusive.
- (11) By deleting Article 78 in its entirety.
- (12) By deleting Article 80 in its entirety and substituting therefor the following Article:
  - 80. Subject to any special rights, privileges or restrictions as to voting for the time being attached to any class or classes of shares, at any general meeting on a poll every member present in person or by proxy shall have one vote for every share of which he is the holder which is fully paid up or credited as fully paid up (but so that no amount paid up or credited as paid up on a share in advance of calls or instalments shall be treated for the purposes of this Article as paid up on the share). On a poll a member entitled to more than one vote need not use all his votes or cast all the votes he uses in the same way.
- (13) By deleting the words "whether on a show of hands or on a poll," after the words "made by any court having jurisdiction in lunacy may vote," in the second and third lines of Article 83.
- (14) By deleting the words "or on a poll demanded at a meeting or an adjourned meeting" after the words "an adjourned meeting" in the second sentence and deleting the words "in person" after the words "attending and voting" and the words "or poll concerned" after the words "at the meeting" in the last sentence of Article 87.
- (15) By adding before the end of Article 88 the words "(provided that this shall not preclude the use of the two-way form)".
- (16) By deleting the words "to demand or join in demanding a poll and" in the second and third lines of Article 89.

- (17) By deleting Article 102(H) in its entirety and substituting therefor the following Article:
  - 102(H). Save as otherwise provided by the Articles, a Director shall not vote (nor be counted in the quorum) on any resolution of the Board in respect of any contract, arrangement or other proposal in which he or any of his associates has a material interest, but this prohibition shall not apply to any of the following matters namely:
    - (i) any contract, arrangement or proposal for the giving to such Director or his associate(s) any security or indemnity in respect of money lent by him or any of his associate(s) or obligations incurred or undertaken by him or any of his associate(s) at the request of or for the benefit of the Company or any of its subsidiaries:
    - (ii) any contract, arrangement or proposal for the giving by the Company of any security or indemnity to a third party in respect of a debt or obligation of the Company or any of its subsidiaries which the Director or his associate(s) has himself/ themselves assumed responsibility in whole or in part and whether alone or jointly under a guarantee or indemnity or by the giving of security;
    - (iii) any contract, arrangement or proposal concerning an offer of the shares or debentures or other securities of or by the Company, or any company which the Company may promote or be interested in, for subscription or purchase where the Director or his associate(s) is/are or is/are to be interested as a participant in the underwriting or sub-underwriting of the offer;
    - (iv) any contract or arrangement in which the Director or his associate(s) is/are interested in the same manner as other holders of shares or debentures or other securities of the Company by virtue of his/their interest in shares or debentures or other securities of the Company;
    - (v) any contract, arrangement or proposal concerning any other company in which the director or his associate(s) is/are interested only, whether directly or indirectly, as an officer or executive or shareholder or in which the director or his associate(s) is/are beneficially interested in shares of that company, provided that the director and any of his associates are not in aggregate beneficially interested in 5 per cent. or

more of the issued shares of any class of such company (or of any third company through which his interest or that of his associate is derived) or of the voting rights;

- (vi) any proposal or arrangement concerning the benefit of employees of the Company or its subsidiaries including the adoption, modification or operation of a pension fund or retirement, death or disability benefits scheme which relates both to Directors, their associates and employees of the Company or of any of its subsidiaries and does not provide in respect of any Director, or his associate(s), as such any privilege or advantage not generally accorded to the class of persons to which such scheme or fund relates; and
- (vii) any proposal or arrangement concerning the benefit of employees of the Company or its subsidiaries including the adoption, modification or operation of any employees' share scheme or any share incentive or share option scheme under which the Director or his associate(s) may benefit.

For the purposes of the prohibitions set out above in this Article, interests purely as a result of an interest in the Company's shares, debentures or other securities are disregarded.

(18) By adding before the end of Article 102(I) the following sentence:

"Interests purely as a result of an interest in the Company's shares, debentures or other securities are disregarded."

(19) By adding before the end of Article 152 the following sentence:

"Any amount paid up in advance of a call on any share may carry interest but shall not entitle the holder of the share to participate in respect thereof in a dividend subsequently declared."

- (20) By deleting Article 167 in its entirety and substituting therefor the following Article:
  - 167. (A) The Board shall from time to time in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Ordinance cause to be prepared and laid before the Company at its annual general meeting the relevant financial documents.

- (B) Subject to paragraph (C) below, the Company shall send to every Entitled Person a copy of the relevant financial documents or (subject to compliance with the relevant provisions of the Companies Ordinance and the Listing Rules) the summary financial report not less than twenty-one days before the date of general meeting before which the relevant financial documents shall be laid.
- (C) Where any Entitled Person ("Consenting Person") has, in accordance with the Companies Ordinance and the Listing Rules and any applicable laws, rules and regulations, consented or is deemed to have consented to treat the publication of the relevant financial documents and/or the summary financial report (as the case may be) on the Company's computer network to which such person may have access as discharging the Company's obligation under the Companies Ordinance to send a copy of the relevant financial documents and/or the summary financial report (as the case may be) to such person, then the publication by the Company on its computer network of the relevant financial documents and/or the summary financial report (as the case may be) not less than twenty-one days before the date of the relevant general meeting shall, in relation to such Consenting Person, be deemed to discharge the Company's obligations under paragraph (B).
- (21) By deleting Article 171 in its entirety and substituting therefor the following Article:
  - 171. Any notice or document to be given or issued by or on behalf of the Company under these Articles (including any "corporate communication" within the meaning ascribed thereto in the Listing Rules) shall be in writing which may or may not be in a transitory form and may be recorded or stored in any digital, electronic, electrical, magnetic or other retrievable form or medium and information in visible form (including an electronic communication and publication on a computer network) whether having physical substance or not and may be served or delivered by the Company by any of the following means subject to and in accordance with the Companies Ordinance, the Listing Rules and any other applicable laws, rules and regulations:
    - (i) personally;
    - (ii) by sending it through the post in a properly prepaid letter, envelope or wrapper addressed to a member at his registered address as appearing in the register;

- (iii) by delivering or leaving it at such address as aforesaid;
- (iv) by advertisement in an English language newspaper and a Chinese language newspaper in Hong Kong;
- (v) by transmitting it as an electronic communication to the Entitled Person at the electronic address provided by him; or
- (vi) by publishing it on the Company's computer network, the Company having given access to such network to the Entitled Person and having given notice of publication of such notice or document to such person.

In the case of joint holders of a share, all notices shall be given to that one of the joint holders whose name stands first in the register and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the joint holders.

- (22) By deleting Article 173 in its entirety and substituting therefor the following Article:
  - 173. Any notice or document (including any "corporate communication" within the meaning ascribed thereto in the Listing Rules) given or issued by or on behalf of the Company:
    - (i) if sent by post, shall be deemed to have been served on the day following that on which the envelope or wrapper containing the same is put into a post office situated within Hong Kong and in proving such service it shall be sufficient to prove that the envelope or wrapper containing the notice or document was properly prepaid (and in the case of an address outside Hong Kong where airmail service can be extended thereto airmail postage prepaid), addressed and put into such post office and a certificate in writing signed by the Secretary or other person appointed by the Board that the envelope or wrapper containing the notice or document was so properly prepaid, addressed and put into such post office shall be conclusive evidence thereof;
    - (ii) if sent as an electronic communication, shall be deemed to have been served at the time when the notice or document is transmitted electronically provided that no notification that the electronic communication has not reached its recipient has been received by the sender, and except that any failure in transmission beyond the sender's control shall not invalidate the effectiveness of service of the notice or document being served; and

- (iii) if published on the Company's computer network, shall be deemed to have been served on the day on which the notice or document is published on the Company's computer network to which the Entitled Person has access and notice of such publication is given to such person.
- (23) By deleting Article 174 in its entirety and substituting therefor the following Article:

A notice or document may be given by or on behalf of the Company to the person entitled to a share in consequence of the death, mental disorder or bankruptcy of a member in such manner as provided in Article 171 in which the same might have been given if the death, mental disorder or bankruptcy had not occurred.

- (24) By deleting the words "by post or left at the registered address of any member" in the first and second lines of Article 176 and substituting therefor the words "to any member in such manner as provided in Article 171".
- (25) By deleting Article 177 in its entirety and substituting therefor the following Article:
  - 177. (A) The signature to any notice or document by the Company may be written, printed or made electronically.
    - (B) Subject to any applicable laws, rules and regulations, any notice or document, including but not limited to the documents referred to in Article 167 and any "corporate communication" within the meaning ascribed thereto in the Listing Rules, may be given in the English language only, in the Chinese language only or in both the English language and the Chinese language."

By Order of the Board of

Melco International Development Limited

Tsang Yuen Wai, Samuel

Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 29 April 2009

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#### Notes:

- 1. A member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the meeting convened by the notice is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and on a poll vote in his stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- 2. In order to be valid, a form of proxy must be deposited at the Company's registered office together with a power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy of that power of attorney or authority, not less than 48 hours before the time for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting.
- 3. With regard to item 2 above, the Board of Directors of the Company proposes that the retiring Directors, namely, Mr. Tsui Che Yin, Frank and Mr. Ng Ching Wo be re-elected as Directors of the Company. Details of these retiring Directors are set out in the Appendix II to the Company's circular to shareholders dated 29 April 2009.
- With regard to item 4 above, the Directors wish to draw the attention of the shareholders to the circular which summarises the more important provisions of the Listing Rules relating to the repurchase of shares on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited by a company and will be despatched to the shareholders together with the annual report. The present general mandate to repurchase shares given by the shareholders expires at the forthcoming annual general meeting and, accordingly, a renewal of that general mandate is now being sought.
- 5. With regard to item 5 above, the Directors wish to state that, currently, they have no plans to issue any additional new shares of the Company (other than pursuant to any of items (ii), (iii) or (iv) contained in paragraph (c) of the Resolution 5(I)). The present general mandate to issue shares given by the shareholders expires at the forthcoming annual general meeting and, accordingly, a renewal of that general mandate is now being sought.
- 6. With regard to item 6 above, the Directors wish to state that the purpose for amendments to the Share Option Scheme is to expand the scope of participants of the Share Options Scheme so as to attract, retain and motivate talented person to strive for future developments and expansions of the Group.
- 7. With regard to item 7 above, the Directors wish to state that the proposed special resolution is to conform to recent amendments to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules") with regard to notice of and poll voting at general meetings, to improve the wording of certain articles in the existing Articles of Association and to facilitate the flexibility under the existing Companies Ordinance and the Listing Rules which allow the Company to send corporate documents through electronic means, in either English language or Chinese language, and to offer members the choice to receive summary financial report in place of annual report. The new arrangement in respect of the corporate documents, if adopted by the Company, will result in a reduction of the volume and costs of printed documents.
- 8. In accordance with the Listing Rules, voting on the above resolutions will be taken by poll.

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises three Executive Directors, namely Mr. Ho, Lawrence Yau Lung (Chairman and Chief Executive Officer), Mr. Tsui Che Yin, Frank and Mr. Chung Yuk Man, Clarence (Chief Operating Officer); one Non-executive Director, namely Mr. Ng Ching Wo; and three Independent Non-executive Directors, namely Sir Roger Lobo, Dr. Lo Ka Shui and Mr. Sham Sui Leung, Daniel.