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# MINGYUAN MEDICARE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LIMITED

銘源醫療發展有限公司\*

(incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability) (Stock Code: 0233)

# GENERAL MANDATE TO ISSUE SHARES AND PURCHASE SHARES,

# **RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS,**

# AND

# NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The notice convening the Annual General Meeting of Mingyuan Medicare Development Company Limited, to be held at 3:30 p.m. at The China Club, Room 142-143, 14/F., The Old Bank of China Building, Bank Street, Central, Hong Kong on Tuesday, 6th June, 2006 is set out on pages 12 to 15 of this circular. A form of proxy for use at the Annual General Meeting is enclosed. Whether or not you propose to attend the meeting, you are requested to complete the accompanying form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return the same to the head office and principal place of business of the Company at Room 1801-03, Hutchison House, 10 Harcourt Road, Central, Hong Kong as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the Annual General Meeting. Completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the meeting or any adjourned meeting should you so desire.

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

"AGM"	the annual general meeting of the Company to be held at 3:30 p.m. at The China Club, Room 142-143, 14/F., The Old Bank of China Building, Bank Street, Central, Hong Kong on Tuesday, 6th June, 2006
"Board"	the board of directors of the Company
"Company"	Mingyuan Medicare Development Company Limited, a company incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability and the Shares of which are listed on the Stock Exchange
"Directors"	the directors of the Company
"Hong Kong"	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China
"Issue Mandate"	the general mandate to the Directors to exercise the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with Shares during the relevant period up to a maximum of 20% of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution at the AGM
"Latest Practicable Date"	18th April, 2006, being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this circular for ascertaining certain information contained in this circular
"Listing Rules"	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange
"Repurchase Mandate"	the general mandate to the Directors to exercise the powers of the Company to repurchase fully paid Shares during the relevant period up to a maximum of 10% of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution at the AGM
"SFO"	Securities and Futures Ordinance, Chapter 571, Laws of Hong Kong
"Share(s)"	ordinary shares of HK\$0.05 each in the capital of the Company
"Shareholders"	holders of the Shares

# DEFINITIONS

"Stock Exchange"	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited
"Takeovers Code"	The Hong Kong Code on Takeovers and Mergers
"HK\$"	Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong
"%"	per cent.

### LETTER FROM THE BOARD

# MINGYUAN MEDICARE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LIMITED

銘源醫療發展有限公司\*

(incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability) (Stock Code: 0233)

Executive Directors: Mr. Yao Yuan (Chairman) Mr. Chien Hoe Yong, Henry Mr. Hu Jun Mr. Yu Ti Jun

Independent non-executive Directors: Dr. Lam Lee G. Mr. Hu Jin Hua Mr. Lee Sze Ho, Henry Registered office: Cannon's Court 22 Victoria Street Hamilton HM12 Bermuda

Head office and principal place of business: Room 1801-03 Hutchison House 10 Harcourt Road Central Hong Kong

18th April, 2006

To the Shareholders

Dear Sir/Madam,

## GENERAL MANDATE TO ISSUE SHARES AND PURCHASE SHARES, RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS, AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

#### **INTRODUCTION**

The Directors wish to seek the approval of the Shareholders at the AGM for the grant of the Issue Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate, and the proposed re-election of Directors.

The purposes of this circular are to (i) provide you with information in relation to the Issue Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate; (ii) present the proposal for the re-election of Directors; and (iii) give you notice of the AGM.

### GRANTING OF THE ISSUE MANDATE AND THE REPURCHASE MANDATE

At the annual general meeting of the Shareholders held on 23rd May, 2005, approval has been given by the Shareholders for the grant of (a) a general mandate to the Directors to issue

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Shares up to 20% of the aggregate nominal value of the issued share capital of the Company at the date of such annual general meeting, and (b) a general mandate to the Directors to repurchase Shares on the Stock Exchange up to 10% of the issued share capital of the Company at the date of such annual general meeting.

In accordance with the terms of the approval, the above general mandates will shortly expire on 6th June, 2006 upon the conclusion of the AGM. To keep in line with current corporate practice, the grant of fresh general mandates for the same purpose is being sought from Shareholders at the AGM.

Three ordinary resolutions numbered (4), (5) and (6) in the notice convening the AGM will be proposed for the grant of the Issue Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate and the approval of the extension to the Issue Mandate to issue and allot additional Shares representing the total nominal amount of Shares which may be purchased by the Company under the Repurchase Mandate.

An explanatory statement required by the Listing Rules to be sent to the Shareholders in connection with the Repurchase Mandate is set out in Appendix I to this circular.

The Issue Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate will be valid for the period from the date of passing of the relevant resolutions up to the date of the next annual general meeting of the Company in 2007, or the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Bye-Laws of the Company or any applicable laws to be held, or the revocation or variation of such mandates by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in general meeting, whichever of these three events occurs first.

#### **RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

According to Bye-Law 100 of the Bye-Laws of the Company, any Director appointed by the Board after the conclusion of the last annual general meeting, either to fill a casual vacancy on the Board or as an addition to the existing Board, shall hold office only until the next annual general meeting of the Company and shall then be eligible for re-election at that meeting. In accordance with this Bye-Law, Mr. Hu Jin Hua shall retire from office at the AGM. Being eligible, Mr. Hu Jin Hua will offer himself for re-election as Director. At the AGM, ordinary resolution will be proposed to re-elect Mr. Hu Jin Hua as Director.

In respect of Directors appointed at any annual general meeting of the Company, Bye-Law 109 of the Bye-Laws of the Company provides that one-third of such Directors for the time being, or, if their number is not three or a multiple of three, then the number nearest to but not exceeding one-third, shall retire from office by rotation at every annual general meeting of the Company. No Director holding office as executive chairman or as a managing director shall be subject to retirement by rotation or taken into account in determining the number of Directors to retire. A retiring Director shall be eligible for re-election. In accordance with such Bye-Law, Mr. Chien Hoe Yong, Henry shall retire from office by rotation at the AGM. Being eligible, Mr. Chien Hoe Yong, Henry will offer himself for re-election as a Director. At the AGM, an ordinary resolution will be proposed to re-elect Mr. Chien Hoe Yong, Henry as a Director.

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The biographical information of the Directors proposed to be re-elected at the AGM is set out in Appendix II to this circular.

#### PROCEDURES BY WHICH A POLL MAY BE DEMANDED

Bye-Laws 78 to 82 of the Bye-Laws of the Company set out the procedures under which a poll may be demanded.

At any general meeting, a resolution put to the vote of the meeting shall be decided on a show of hands unless a poll is (before or on the declaration of the result of the show of hands or on the withdrawal of any other demand for a poll) demanded by:

- (i) the chairman of the meeting; or
- (ii) not less than three members present in person or by proxy and entitled to vote; or
- (iii) a member or members present in person or by proxy and representing not less than one-tenth of the total voting rights of all the members having the right to vote at the meeting; or
- (iv) a member or members present in person or by proxy and holding Shares conferring a right to vote at the meeting being Shares on which an aggregate sum has been paid up equal to not less than one-tenth of the total sum paid up on all the Shares conferring that right.

A demand for a poll may be withdrawn only with the consent of the chairman of the meeting before the close of the meeting or the taking of the poll, whichever is the earlier. Unless a poll is demanded and not withdrawn, a declaration by the chairman of the meeting that a resolution has been carried, or carried unanimously, or by a particular majority, or lost, and an entry to that effect in the minute book, shall be conclusive evidence of the fact without proof of the number or proportion of the votes recorded for or against such resolution. If a poll is demanded and not withdrawn, it shall be taken in such manner (including the use of ballot or voting papers or tickets) as the chairman of the meeting at which the poll was demanded.

In the case of an equality of votes, whether on a show of hands or on a poll, the chairman of the meeting at which the show of hands takes place or at which the poll is demanded 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 of the meeting shall determine the same, and such determination shall be final and conclusive.

A poll demanded on the election of a chairman or on a question of adjournment shall be taken forthwith. A poll demanded on any other question shall be taken either immediately or at such subsequent time (not being more than thirty days from the date of the meeting) and place as the chairman may direct. No notice need to be given of a poll not taken immediately. The demand for a poll shall not prevent the continuance of the meeting for the transaction of any business other than the question on which the poll has been demanded.

### AGM

The notice convening the AGM (as appearing on pages 12 to 15 of this circular) sets out ordinary resolutions to approve the grant of the Issue Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate and the re-election of Directors.

A form of proxy for use at the AGM is enclosed with this circular. Whether or not you propose to attend the meeting, you are requested to complete the accompanying form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return the same to the head office and principal place of business of the Company at Room 1801-03, Hutchison House, 10 Harcourt Road, Central, Hong Kong as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM. Completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the AGM or any adjourned meeting should you so desire.

### RECOMMENDATION

The Directors believe that all the above-mentioned resolutions to be proposed at the AGM are in the best interest of the Company and its Shareholders. Accordingly, the Directors recommend that all Shareholders should vote in favour of the resolutions as set out in the notice of the AGM.

Yours faithfully, By Order of the Board **Poon Kwong Wai, Kenny** *Company Secretary* 

#### **APPENDIX I**

This Appendix includes an explanatory statement required by the Stock Exchange to be presented to the Shareholders concerning the Repurchase Mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors at the AGM.

#### 1. LISTING RULES FOR PURCHASES OF SHARES

The Listing Rules permit companies whose shares are listed on the Stock Exchange to repurchase their shares on the Stock Exchange subject to certain restrictions.

The Listing Rules provide that all proposed repurchases of shares by a company with a primary listing on the Stock Exchange must be approved by shareholders in advance by an ordinary resolution, either by way of a general mandate or by a specific approval of a particular transaction and that the shares to be repurchased must be fully paid up.

#### 2. FUNDING OF PURCHASES

Any repurchase will be made out of funds which are legally available for the purpose in accordance with the Memorandum and Bye-Laws of the Company and the laws of Bermuda. As compared with the financial position of the Company as at 31st December, 2005 (being the date of its latest audited accounts), the Directors consider that there will not be a material adverse impact on the working capital and the gearing position of the Company in the event that the proposed repurchases were to be carried out in full during the proposed repurchase period.

The Directors do not propose to exercise the Repurchase Mandate to such extent as would, in the circumstances, have a material adverse effect on the working capital of the Company or the gearing ratio which, in the opinion of the Directors, are from time to time appropriate for the Company.

#### 3. SHARE CAPITAL

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the issued share capital of the Company comprised 2,688,107,099 Shares.

Subject to the passing of the relevant ordinary resolution to approve the Repurchase Mandate and on the basis that no further Shares are issued or repurchased between the Latest Practicable Date and the date of the AGM, the Company would be allowed to purchase a maximum of 268,810,709 Shares under the Repurchase Mandate during the period from the passing of the resolution granting the Repurchase Mandate up to (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting; or (b) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Bye-Laws of the Company or the applicable laws of Bermuda to be held; or (c) when the authority given under the Repurchase Mandate is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in general meeting of the Company, whichever occurs first.

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#### 4. **REASONS FOR PURCHASES**

The Directors believe that it is in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders to have a general authority from the Shareholders to enable the Directors to repurchase Shares on the market. Such repurchases may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net asset value of the Company and/or its earnings per Share and will only be made when the Directors believe that such repurchases will benefit the Company and the Shareholders.

#### 5. UNDERTAKING OF THE DIRECTORS

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange to exercise the Repurchase Mandate in accordance with the Listing Rules, the applicable laws of Bermuda and in accordance with the Memorandum and Bye-Laws of the Company.

#### 6. EFFECT OF THE TAKEOVERS CODE

If as a result of a repurchase of Shares, a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases, such increase will be treated as an acquisition for the purpose of the Takeovers Code. As a result, a Shareholder or a group of Shareholders acting in concert, depending on the level of increase of the Shareholder's interest, could obtain or consolidate control of the Company and become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code. As at the Latest Practicable Date and based on the register required to be kept by the Company under Part XV of the SFO, Ming Yuan Investments Group Limited (a wholly-owned subsidiary of Ming Yuan Holdings Limited, of which 50% is held by Mr. Yao Yuan, the Executive Chairman of the Company) ("Ming Yuan") held 1,272,969,075 Shares, representing approximately 47.36% of the entire issued share capital of the Company and was the only ultimate substantial shareholder holding 10% or more of the issued share capital of the Company. In the event that the Directors should exercise in full the power to purchase Shares under the Repurchase Mandate which is proposed to be granted pursuant to an ordinary resolution to be proposed at the AGM, the interests of Ming Yuan would increase to approximately 52.62% of the issued share capital of the Company and such increase would not give rise to an obligation to make a mandatory offer under Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code. Save as aforesaid and as at the Latest Practicable Date, the Directors were not aware of any consequence which the exercise in full of the Repurchase Mandate would have under the Takeovers Code.

#### 7. DIRECTORS, THEIR ASSOCIATES AND CONNECTED PERSONS

None of the Directors nor, to the best of the knowledge and belief of the Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their respective associates, has any present intention, in the event that the proposed Repurchase Mandate is approved by the Shareholders, to sell Shares to the Company. No connected person of the Company has notified the Company that he/she/it has a present intention to sell Shares to the Company nor has he/she/it undertaken not to sell any of the Shares held by him/her/it to the Company in the event that the Company is authorised to make repurchases of Shares.

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### 8. SHARE REPURCHASE MADE BY THE COMPANY

No repurchase of Shares has been made by the Company in the preceding six months (whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise) ending on the Latest Practicable Date.

### 9. SHARE PRICE

The highest and lowest prices at which the Shares were traded on the Stock Exchange in each of the previous twelve months immediately prior to the Latest Practicable Date were as follows:

	Shares	
	Highest	Lowest
	HK\$	HK\$
April 2005	0.740	0.630
May 2005	0.730	0.550
June 2005	0.830	0.680
July 2005	0.820	0.780
August 2005	0.820	0.740
September 2005	0.830	0.760
October 2005	0.760	0.690
November 2005	0.700	0.600
December 2005	0.600	0.490
January 2006	0.670	0.495
February 2006	0.750	0.620
March 2006	0.770	0.680

## APPENDIX II BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE RE-ELECTED AT THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

As required by the Listing Rules, the following are the particulars of the Directors proposed to be re-elected at the AGM:

### Dr. Hu Jin Hua

Mr. HU Jin Hua, aged 63, is currently the Independent Non-Executive Director of the Company and he has been appointed to this position since 1st June, 2005. Mr. Hu is also Counselor of Shanghai Municipal People's Government and the Director of World Health Organization (WHO) Shanghai Health Education Collaborating Centre. Mr. Hu has devoted his career to health education and public health development in China. Mr. Hu holds various positions related to public health education including the Vice Chairman of China Association of Health Education, the Vice Chairman of Chinese Smoking and Health Association and the Chief Editor of Shanghai Popular Health Press. Mr. Hu is also the Associate Chief Physician and the Former Director of Shanghai Health Education in China and he also holds independent directorships in a number of listed companies on The Shanghai Stock Exchange and The Shenzhen Stock Exchange.

Mr. Hu's service contract did not provide for a specified length of service period and his emoluments (including bonus) are HK\$120,000 per annum. He does not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Hu did not have any interest in Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

The emoluments for Mr. Hu were determined by the Board with reference to Mr. Hu's responsibilities and duties within the Company. There is no information to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements set out in rule 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules in respect of Mr. Hu and there are no other matters that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in respect of Mr. Hu's re-election.

#### Mr. Chien Hoe Yong, Henry

Mr. CHIEN Hoe Yong, Henry, aged 42, is currently the Executive Director of the Company and he has been appointed to this position since 30th August, 2002. Mr. Chien holds a bachelor degree with Honors from United Kingdom and has been admitted as a Barristerat-law in England and Wales since 1988. Mr. Chien is a qualified Chartered Accountant and a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales, and he is also a member of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Mr. Chien has over 18 years of professional experience in international investment banking, corporate advisory, financial accounting and auditing with internationally reputable companies and banks. Mr. Chien had held senior managerial positions in several major investment banking firms in Hong Kong.

# APPENDIX II BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE RE-ELECTED AT THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Mr. Chien's service contract did not provide for a specified length of service period and his emoluments (including bonus) are HK\$300,000 per annum. He does not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Chien holds 26,500,000 share options, the details of which are disclosed in the 2005 Annual Report of the Company to which this Circular is distributed with. Save as disclosed, Mr. Chien has no other interests in Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

The emoluments for Mr. Chien were determined by the Board with reference to Mr. Chien's responsibilities and duties within the Company. There is no information to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements set out in rule 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules in respect of Mr. Chien and there are no other matters that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in respect of Mr. Chien's re-election.

# MINGYUAN MEDICARE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LIMITED

銘 源 醫 療 發 展 有 限 公 司<sup>\*</sup>

(incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability) (Stock Code: 0233)

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of Mingyuan Medicare Development Company Limited (the "Company") will be held at 3:30 p.m. at The China Club, Room 142-143, 14/F, The Old Bank of China Building, Bank Street, Central, Hong Kong on Tuesday, 6th June, 2006 to transact the following business:

### As Ordinary Business

- (1) To receive and consider the audited Financial Statements and Reports of the Directors and the Auditors of the Company for the year ended 31st December, 2005.
- (2) To re-elect Directors and approve their remuneration.
- (3) To reappoint Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu as Auditors of the Company for the ensuring year and authorize the Directors to fix their remuneration.

#### As Special Business

(4) To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

#### "THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the exercise by the directors of the Company ("Directors") during the Relevant Period (as defined in paragraph (d) below) of all the powers of the Company to issue, allot and deal with additional shares in the capital of the Company ("Shares") and to make or grant offers, agreements, options and rights of exchange or conversion which would or might require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval granted in paragraph (a) above shall be in addition to any other authorization given to the Directors and shall authorize the Directors during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements, options and rights of exchange or conversion which would or might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital to be issued, allotted and dealt with or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be issued, allotted and dealt with (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the Directors

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pursuant to the approval granted in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to the following events, shall not exceed twenty per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company at the date of passing this Resolution:

- (i) a Right Issue (as defined in paragraph (d) below);
- (ii) the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any warrants issued by the Company or any securities including bonds and debentures which are convertible into Shares;
- (iii) any option scheme or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the grant or issue to the grantees as specified in such scheme or similar arrangement of Shares or rights to acquires Shares; or
- (iv) any scrip dividend or similar arrangement providing for the issue and allotment of Shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on Shares in accordance with the Bye-Laws of the Company (as amended from time to time);

and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and

(d) for the purposes of this Resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this Resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (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 Bye-Laws of the Company or the Companies Act 1981 of Bermuda (as amended from time to time) or any other applicable laws to be held; and
- (iii) the date of any revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders of the Company in general meeting.

"Rights Issue" means an offer of Shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to the holders of Shares or any class thereof whose names appear on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such Shares or class thereof (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the Directors 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 recognized regulatory body or any stock exchange in, any relevant jurisdiction applicable to the Company."

(5) To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

## "THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as defined in paragraph (d) below) of all the powers of the Company to repurchase issued Shares on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") or any other stock exchange on which the Shares may be listed and recognized by the Securities and Futures Commission and the Stock Exchange for this purpose, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) above shall be in addition to any other authorization given to the Directors and shall authorize the Directors on behalf of the Company during the Relevant Period to procure the Company to repurchase its Shares at a price determined by the Directors;
- (c) the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company repurchased or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the approval granted in paragraph (a) above during the Relevant Period shall not exceed ten per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of passing this Resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (d) for the purposes of this Resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this Resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (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 Bye-Laws of the Company or the Companies Act 1981 of Bermuda (as amended from time to time) or any other applicable laws to be held; and
- (iii) the date of any revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders of the Company in general meeting."

(6) To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"THAT conditional on the passing of the ordinary resolutions numbered 4 and 5 in the notice convening a meeting of the Company dated 6th June, 2006 of which this Resolution forms part, the aggregate nominal amount of the shares in the capital of the Company which are repurchased by the Company pursuant to and in accordance with the said ordinary resolution numbered 5 shall be added to the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company that may be allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted by the Directors pursuant to and in accordance with the ordinary resolution numbered 4 set out in that notice of meeting dated 6th June, 2006 of which this Resolution forms part."

> By the Order of the Board Poon Kwong Wai, Kenny Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 29th March, 2006

Notes:

- (1) A member entitled to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting convened by the above notice is entitled to appoint another person as his proxy to attend and, on a poll, vote instead of him. A member may appoint a proxy in respect of part only of his holding of Shares. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- (2) The Principal Register and Hong Kong Branch Register of Members of the Company will be closed from Friday, 2nd June, 2006 to Monday, 5th June, 2006, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of Shares will be effected. In order to qualify for the attendance of the Annual General Meeting, all properly completed transfer forms accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Branch Share Registrars in Hong Kong, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, of Shops 1712-1716. 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, 1st June, 2005.

As at the date of this notice, the Board of Directors of the Company comprises Mr. Yao Yuan (Chairman), Mr. Chien Hoe Yong, Henry, Mr. Hu Jun, and Mr. Yu Ti Jun as Executive Directors and Dr. Lam Lee G., Mr. Hu Jin Hua and Mr. Lee Sze Ho, Henry as Independent Non-executive Directors.