

# 合生創展集團有限公司\*

## HOPSON DEVELOPMENT HOLDINGS LIMITED

(Stock Code: 754)

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability) website: http://www.irasia.com/listco/hk/hopson

### NOTICE OF SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Special General Meeting of Hopson Development Holdings Limited ("Company" together with its subsidiaries, the "Group") will be held at 31/F, Edinburgh Tower, The Landmark, 15 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong on Monday, 29 May 2006 at 10:00 a.m. for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing, with or without modifications, the following resolutions which will be proposed as ordinary resolutions:

#### **ORDINARY RESOLUTION NO. 1**

"THAT the framework agreement dated 13 April 2006 entered into between the Company and Guangdong Hanjiang Construction Installation Project Limited ("Hanjiang" together with its subsidiaries and associates, the "Hanjiang Group") ("Framework Agreement") for the purpose of governing the continuing connected transactions between the Group and Hanjiang Group ("Continuing Connected Transactions") be and is hereby approved, confirmed and ratified; and that the maximum aggregate annual value of each of the Continuing Connected Transactions for the three financial years ending 31 December 2008 proposed by the directors of the Company ("Directors") be approved; and any one Director be and is hereby authorised on behalf of the Company to sign, execute, perfect, deliver and do all such documents, deeds, acts, matters and things as he may in his discretion consider necessary or desirable for the purposes of or in connection with the implementation of the Framework Agreement and the Continuing Connected Transactions"

#### **ORDINARY RESOLUTION NO. 2**

"THAT the general mandate granted to the Directors at the annual general meeting of the Company held on 6 June 2005 to allot, issue and deal with up to 20 per cent. of the issued share of the Company be and is hereby revoked and replaced by the following mandate:

#### **THAT**

- (a) subject to paragraph (c), the exercise by the Directors 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 or securities convertible into such shares or warrants or similar rights to subscribe for any shares in the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such power be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) shall authorize the Directors during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options which would or 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 pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a), otherwise than pursuant to the shares of the Company issued as a result of a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined) or pursuant to the exercise of options under the Share Option Scheme or similar arrangement, or any scrip dividend or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares of the Company in lieu of the whole or part of the dividend on the shares of the Company in accordance with the Company's Bye-laws, shall not exceed 20 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing of 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 date of 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 any applicable laws of Bermuda to be held; or
- (iii) revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by 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 holders of shares of the Company on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their holdings of such shares (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 territory outside Hong Kong)."

By Order of the Board **Chu Mang Yee** *Chairman* 

Hong Kong, 13 May 2006

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#### Notes:

- (1) Any member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting convened by the above notice is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote in his stead. Any such member who is a holder of two or more shares may appoint more than one proxy to attend and vote in his stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company but must be present in person to represent the member.
- (2) In order to be valid, the form of proxy together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed, or a notarially certified copy of that power of attorney or other authority, must be deposited at the principal office of the Company at Suites 2705-09, 27/F, Jardine House, 1 Connaught Place, Central, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the said meeting or any adjournment thereof.
- (3) The translation into Chinese language of this notice is for reference only. In case of any inconsistency, the English version shall prevail.

As at the date hereof, the executive Directors are CHU Mang Yee (Chairman), WU Jiesi (Chief Executive Officer), XIANG Bin, TAM Lai Ling, AU Wai Kin, CHEN Chang Ying, XIAO Yan Xia, the non-executive Directors are Steven SHAFRAN, CHEN Xiaohong and HU Yongmin, and the independent non-executive Directors are YUEN Pak Yiu, Philip, LEE Tsung Hei, David and WONG Shing Kay, Oliver.

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Please also refer to the published version of this announcement in The Standard and Hong Kong Economic Journal.