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The Hong Kong Building and Loan Agency Limited
香港建屋貸款有限公司

(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)

(Stock code: 145)

UNUSUAL PRICE AND TRADING VOLUME MOVEMENTS

This statement is made at the request of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “Stock Exchange”).

The board (the “**Board**”) of directors (the “**Directors**”) of The Hong Kong Building and Loan Agency Limited (the “**Company**”) has noted the increases in the price and trading volume of the shares of the Company today and wishes to state that the Board is not aware of any reasons for such increases.

Save for the Company’s announcements dated (i) 22 March 2012 relating to a very substantial acquisition and the placing; (ii) 19 April 2012 relating to the proposed capital reorganisation and placing of options to subscribe for convertible bonds; and (iii) 24 April 2012 relating to the change in Directors’ information, respectively, the Board confirms that there are no negotiations or agreements relating to intended acquisitions or realisations which are discloseable under rule 13.23 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (the “**Listing Rules**”), neither is the Board aware of any matter discloseable under the general obligation imposed by rule 13.09 of the Listing Rules, which is or may be of a price-sensitive nature.

Made by the order of the Board, the Directors of which individually and jointly accept responsibility for the accuracy of this announcement.

By order of the Board

The Hong Kong Building and Loan Agency Limited

So Yuen Chun

Executive Director

Hong Kong, 24 April 2012

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Mr. So Yuen Chun and Mr. Yeung Kwok Leung being executive Directors; Mr. Lam Kwok Hing, Wilfred being non-executive Director; Mr. Ng Cheuk Fan, Keith, Mr. Yeung Wai Hung, Peter and Mr. Lam Raymond Shiu Cheung being independent non-executive Directors.