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## **BEAVER GROUP (HOLDING) COMPANY LIMITED**

**永勤集團(控股)有限公司**

*(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)*

**(Stock code: 8275)**

### **PROPOSED RIGHTS ISSUE ON THE BASIS OF ONE RIGHTS SHARE FOR EVERY TWO EXISTING SHARES HELD ON RECORD DATE**

**Underwriter to the Rights Issue**



**Gransing Securities Co., Limited**

#### **PROPOSED RIGHTS ISSUE**

The Company proposes to implement the Rights Issue on the basis of one (1) Rights Share for every two (2) existing Shares held on the Record Date at the Subscription Price of HK\$0.027 per Rights Share, to raise HK\$8.1 million by issuing 300,000,000 Rights Shares to the Qualifying Shareholders.

Qualifying Shareholders are entitled to apply for Rights Shares in excess of their respective entitlements under the Rights Issue.

The net proceeds from the Rights Issue (after deducting the estimated expenses) are estimated to be approximately HK\$7 million. The estimated net subscription price per Rights Share after deducting the related expenses of the Rights Issue is expected to be approximately HK\$0.023. The Company intends to apply the net proceeds from the proposed Rights Issue (i) as to HK\$4.3 million for repayment of outstanding principal and interest amount of loans; and (ii) the remaining balance of HK\$2.7 million for repayment of debts owing by the Group to its suppliers.

The Rights Issue will be fully underwritten by the Underwriter. Details of the underwriting arrangement are set out in the section headed “The Underwriting Agreement” in this announcement.

In order to be registered as members of the Company on the Record Date, all transfers of Shares (together with the relevant share certificate(s) and/or instrument(s) of transfer) must be lodged with the Registrar at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong, by 4:30 p.m. on Monday, 24 August 2020.

The last day of dealing in the Shares on cum-rights basis is Thursday, 20 August 2020. The Shares will be dealt with on an ex-rights basis from Friday, 21 August 2020.

As at the date of this announcement, (i) C3J Development (the controlling Shareholder of the Company and being a company which is beneficially wholly owned by Mr. Tang) is beneficially interested in an aggregate of 187,000,000 Shares, representing approximately 31.17% of the issued share capital of the Company; and (ii) Hunter Corporate (the controlling Shareholder of the Company and being a company which is beneficially wholly owned by Mr. Chui) is beneficially interested in an aggregate of 183,000,000 Shares, representing 30.50% of the issued share capital of the Company.

As at the date of this announcement, the Board has not received any information from any Shareholders (including C3J Development and Hunter Corporate) of their intention to take up the Rights Shares to be provisionally allotted to them.

#### **GEM LISTING RULES IMPLICATIONS**

As the Company has not conducted any rights issue or open offer within the 12 month period prior to the date of this announcement and the Rights Issue will not increase the issued share capital or the market capitalisation of the Company by more than 50% and the Rights Issue is not underwritten by a Director, chief executive or substantial shareholder of the Company (or any of their respective close associates), the Rights Issue is not subject to Shareholders' approval under the GEM Listing Rules and will be carried out in compliance with Rule 10.31(1)(a) of the GEM Listing Rules.

#### **GENERAL**

Subject to the fulfillment of certain conditions of the Rights Issue, the Company will despatch the Prospectus Documents containing, among other matters, details of the proposed Rights Issue, to the Qualifying Shareholders. The Company will despatch the Prospectus to the Non-Qualifying Shareholders (if any) for their information only, but the Company will not send the PAL and EAF to the Non-Qualifying Shareholders (if any).

## **WARNING OF THE RISKS OF DEALINGS IN THE SHARES AND THE NIL-PAID RIGHTS**

**Shareholders and potential investors of the Company should note that the proposed Rights Issue is conditional upon, among others, the Underwriting Agreement having become unconditional and the Underwriter not having terminated the Underwriting Agreement in accordance with the terms thereof (a summary of which is set out in the paragraph headed “Termination of the Underwriting Agreement” under the section headed “The Underwriting Agreement” in this announcement). Accordingly, the proposed Rights Issue may or may not proceed.**

**Shareholders and potential investors are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the Shares.**

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On 10 August 2020 (after trading hours), the Company entered into the Underwriting Agreement with the Underwriter in respect of the Rights Issue. Further details of the Rights Issue are set out below:

### **Issue statistics**

Basis of the Rights Issue	: one (1) Rights Share for every two (2) existing Shares held on the Record Date
Subscription Price	: HK\$0.027 per Rights Share
Number of Shares in issue as at the date of this announcement	: 600,000,000 Shares
Number of Rights Shares	: 300,000,000 Rights Shares (assuming no change in the share capital of the Company on or before the Record Date)
Aggregate nominal value of the Rights Shares	: HK\$3,000,000 (assuming no change in the share capital of the Company on or before the Record Date)

- Number of Shares as enlarged by the allotment and issue of the Rights Shares : 900,000,000 Shares (assuming no change in the share capital of the Company on or before the Record Date and that no new Shares (other than the Rights Shares) will be allotted and issued)
- Number of Rights Shares underwritten by the Underwriter : all the Rights Shares which are fully underwritten by the Underwriter pursuant to the terms and conditions set out in the Underwriting Agreement, being 300,000,000 Rights Shares

As at the date of this announcement, the Group had no outstanding derivatives, options, warrants, convertible or exchangeable securities carrying rights to subscribe for, convert or exchange into Shares.

Assuming no Shares are issued or repurchased on or before the Record Date, 300,000,000 Rights Shares to be issued pursuant to the terms of the proposed Rights Issue represent (i) 50% of the total number of issued Shares as at the date of this announcement; and (ii) approximately 33.33% of the issued share capital of the Company as enlarged by the allotment and issue of the Rights Shares.

### **Subscription Price**

The Subscription Price is HK\$0.027 per Rights Share, payable in full upon acceptance of the relevant provisional allotment of Rights Shares and, where applicable, application for excess Rights Shares under the Rights Issue or when a transferee of nil-paid Rights Shares applies for the Rights Shares.

The Subscription Price represents:

- (i) a discount of approximately 28.95% to the closing price of HK\$0.038 per Share as quoted on the Stock Exchange on the Last Trading Day;
- (ii) a discount of approximately 28.95% to the average of the closing prices of HK\$0.038 per Share as quoted on the Stock Exchange for the 5 consecutive trading days up to and including the Last Trading Day;
- (iii) a discount of approximately 20.59% to the theoretical ex-rights price of HK\$0.034 per Share as adjusted for the effect of the Rights Issue, based on the closing price of HK\$0.038 per Share as quoted on the Stock Exchange on the Last Trading Day; and
- (iv) a theoretical dilution effect (as defined under Rule 10.44A of the GEM Listing Rules) represented by a discount of approximately 10.53%, represented by the theoretical diluted price of approximately HK\$0.034 per Share to the benchmarked price of approximately HK\$0.038 per Share (as defined under Rule 10.44A of the GEM Listing Rules, taking into account the closing price on the Last Trading Day of HK\$0.038

per Share and the average of the closing prices of the Shares as quoted on the Stock Exchange for the five previous consecutive trading days prior to the date of this announcement of approximately HK\$0.038 per Share).

The Subscription Price was determined after arm's length negotiation between the Company and the Underwriter with reference to, among others, (i) the market price of the Shares under the prevailing market conditions, (ii) the latest business performance and financial position of the Group; and (iii) the reasons for and benefits of proposed Rights Issue as discussed in the section headed "Reasons for and benefits of the Rights Issue and intended use of proceeds" in this announcement.

The Directors (including the independent non-executive Directors) consider that, despite any potential dilution impact of the proposed Rights Issue on the shareholding interests of the Shareholders, the terms of the proposed Rights Issue, including the Subscription Price, to be fair and reasonable and in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole, after taking into account the following factors: (i) the Qualifying Shareholders who do not wish to take up their provisional entitlements under the proposed Rights Issue are able to sell the nil-paid rights in the market; (ii) the proposed Rights Issue allows the Qualifying Shareholders an opportunity to subscribe for their pro-rata Rights Shares for the purpose of maintaining their respective existing shareholding interests in the Company at a relatively low price as compared to the historical market price of the Shares and discount to the recent closing prices of the Shares; and (iii) the proceeds from the Rights Issue can fulfil the funding needs of the Group.

### **Qualifying Shareholders**

The Company will send the Prospectus Documents to the Qualifying Shareholders only. For the Non-Qualifying Shareholders (if any), the Company will send copies of the Prospectus to them for their information only, but no PAL and EAF will be sent to the Non-Qualifying Shareholders (if any). To qualify for the Rights Issue, a Shareholder must be registered as a member of the Company and not be a Non-Qualifying Shareholder on the Record Date.

Shareholders whose Shares are held by nominee companies (or which are deposited in CCASS) should note that the Board will regard a nominee company (including HKSCC Nominees Limited) as a single Shareholder according to the register of members of the Company. Shareholders with their Shares held by nominee companies (or which are deposited in CCASS) are advised to consider whether they would like to arrange for registration of the relevant Shares in the name of the beneficial owner(s) prior to the Record Date.

In order to be registered as members of the Company on the Record Date, a Shareholder must lodge the relevant transfer(s) of Share(s) (with the relevant share certificates) with the Registrar at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong by 4:30 p.m. on Monday, 24 August 2020.

The last day of dealing in the Shares on cum-rights basis is Thursday, 20 August 2020. The Shares will be dealt with on an ex-rights basis from Friday, 21 August 2020.

**Qualifying Shareholders who do not take up the Rights Shares to which they are entitled and Non-Qualifying Shareholders (if any) should note that their shareholdings in the Company will be diluted.**

### **Rights of Overseas Shareholders**

The Prospectus Documents are not intended to be registered under the applicable securities legislation of any jurisdiction other than Hong Kong. Overseas Shareholder(s) may not be eligible to take part in the Rights Issue as explained below.

In compliance with the necessary requirements of the GEM Listing Rules, the Company will make enquiries regarding the feasibility of extending the Rights Issue to the Overseas Shareholder(s) (if any). If, based on legal opinions, the Directors consider that it is necessary or expedient not to offer the Rights Shares to the Overseas Shareholder(s) on account either of the legal restrictions under the laws of the relevant place(s) or the requirements of the relevant regulatory body or stock exchange in that (those) place(s), the Rights Issue will not be extended to such Overseas Shareholder(s). As at the date of this announcement, there is no Overseas Shareholder.

The basis for excluding the Non-Qualifying Shareholders(s), if any, from the Rights Issue will be set out in the Prospectus. The Company will send the Prospectus (without the PAL and the EAF) and a letter explaining the circumstances in which the Non-Qualifying Shareholders are not permitted to participate in the Rights Issue to the Non-Qualifying Shareholders for their information only.

Arrangements will be made for Rights Shares which would otherwise have been provisionally allotted to the Non-Qualifying Shareholder(s) to be sold in the market in their nil-paid form as soon as practicable after dealings in the nil-paid Rights Shares commence, if a premium (net of expenses) can be obtained. The proceeds of such sale, less expenses and stamp duty, of more than HK\$100 will be paid pro rata to the Non-Qualifying Shareholder(s). The Company will retain individual amounts of HK\$100 or less for the benefit of the Company. Any unsold entitlement of Non-Qualifying Shareholder(s) to the Rights Shares and any Rights Shares provisionally allotted but not accepted by the Qualifying Shareholders will be made available for excess applications by Qualifying Shareholders under the EAF(s).

**Overseas Shareholders (if any) should note that they may or may not be entitled to the Rights Issue. Accordingly, Overseas Shareholders (if any) should exercise caution when dealing in the securities of the Company.**

### **Closure of register of members**

The register of members of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, 25 August 2020 to Monday, 31 August 2020 (both days inclusive) for determining the Shareholders' entitlements to the Rights Issue.

No transfer of Shares will be registered during the above book closure period.

## **Basis of provisional allotment**

The basis of the provisional allotment shall be one (1) Rights Share for every two (2) existing Shares in issue and held by the Qualifying Shareholders at the close of business on the Record Date at the Subscription Price payable in full on acceptance and otherwise on the terms and subject to the conditions set out in the Underwriting Agreement and the Prospectus Documents.

Application for all or any part of a Qualifying Shareholder's provisional allotment should be made by lodging a duly completed PAL and a cheque or a banker's cashier order for the sum payable for the Rights Shares being applied for with the Registrar on or before the Latest Time for Acceptance.

## **Fractional entitlements to the Rights Shares**

No fractional entitlements to the Rights Shares shall be issued to the Shareholders and no entitlements of the Non-Qualifying Shareholders to the Rights Shares shall be issued to the Non-Qualifying Shareholders. All fractions of the Rights Shares shall be rounded down to the nearest whole number of Rights Shares and aggregated and, if a premium (net of expenses) can be achieved, sold in the market by the Company. Any unsold entitlements shall be made available for excess application by the Qualifying Shareholders.

## **Status of the Rights Shares**

The Rights Shares, when allotted and issued, shall rank pari passu in all respects with the Shares then in issue. Holders of fully-paid Rights Shares will be entitled to receive all future dividends and distributions which are declared, made or paid after the date of allotment of the Rights Shares in their fully-paid form.

## **Share certificates and refund cheques for the Rights Issue**

Subject to the fulfillment of the conditions of the Rights Issue, certificates for all fully-paid Rights Shares are expected to be posted to those entitled thereto by ordinary post at their own risk on or before Wednesday, 23 September 2020. Refund cheques in respect of wholly or partially unsuccessful applications for excess Rights Shares (if any) are expected to be posted on or before Wednesday, 23 September 2020 by ordinary post to the applicants at their own risk, to their registered addresses.

## **Application for excess Rights Shares**

Under the proposed Rights Issue, Qualifying Shareholders may apply, by way of excess application, for (i) any unsold entitlements of the Non-Qualifying Shareholder; and (ii) any Rights Shares provisionally allotted but not accepted by the Qualifying Shareholders or otherwise subscribed for by transferees of nil-paid Rights Shares.

Application for excess Rights Shares can be made by the Qualifying Shareholders only and by duly completing and signing an EAF (in accordance with the instructions printed therein) and lodging the same with a separate remittance for the excess Rights Shares being applied for with the Registrar no later than 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, 15 September 2020.

The Directors will allocate any excess Rights Shares at their discretion on a fair and equitable basis on the following principles:

- (i) any excess Rights Shares will be allocated to Qualifying Shareholders who apply for them on a pro rata basis by reference to the number of the excess Rights Shares applied for under each application;
- (ii) no reference will be made to the Rights Shares subscribed through applications by PALs or the existing number of Shares held by Qualifying Shareholders;
- (iii) no preference will be given to applications for topping up odd-lot holdings to whole lot holdings; and
- (iv) pursuant to Rule 10.31(3)(b) of the GEM Listing Rules, the Company will also take steps to identify the applications for excess Rights Shares made by any controlling shareholder or its associates (together, the “**Relevant Shareholders**”), whether in their own names or through nominees. The Company shall disregard the Relevant Shareholders’ applications for excess Rights Shares to the extent that the total number of excess Rights Shares they have applied for exceeds a maximum number equivalent to the total number of Rights Shares offered under the Rights Issue minus the number of Rights Shares taken up by the Relevant Shareholders under their assured entitlement to the Rights Shares.

Shareholders with their Shares held by a nominee company (or which are deposited in CCASS) should note that the Board will regard such nominee company (including HKSCC Nominees Limited) as a single Shareholder according to the register of members of the Company. Accordingly, Shareholders should note that the aforesaid arrangement in relation to the allocation of the excess Rights Shares will not be extended to the relevant beneficial owners individually save and except for the beneficial owner(s) which the Company may permit in its absolute discretion. Shareholders with their Shares held by a nominee company (or which are held in CCASS) are advised to consider whether they would like to arrange for the registration of the relevant Shares under their own names on or prior to the Record Date for the purpose of the Rights Issue. Shareholders who would like to have their names registered on the register of members of the Company on the Record Date must lodge all necessary documents with the Registrar for registration by no later than 4:30 p.m. on Monday, 24 August 2020. Shareholders and investors should consult their professional advisers if they are in doubt as to their status.



## **Application for listing of the Rights Shares**

The Company will apply to the GEM Listing Committee of the Stock Exchange for the listing of, and the permission to deal in, the Rights Shares in both their nil-paid and fully-paid forms.

Subject to the granting of the listing of, and permission to deal in, the Rights Shares in both their nil-paid and fully-paid forms on the Stock Exchange as well as compliance with the stock admission requirements of HKSCC, the Rights Shares in both their nil-paid and fully-paid forms will be accepted as eligible securities by HKSCC for deposit, clearance and settlement in CCASS with effect from the commencement dates of the dealings in the Rights Shares in both their nil-paid and fully-paid forms or such other dates as may be determined by HKSCC.

Settlement of transactions between participants of the Stock Exchange on any trading day is required to take place in CCASS on the second trading day thereafter. All activities under CCASS are subject to the General Rules of CCASS and CCASS Operational Procedures in effect from time to time.

Dealing in the Rights Shares in both their nil-paid and fully-paid forms which are registered in the register of members of the Company in Hong Kong will be in the board lots of 10,000 Rights Shares and will be subject to the payment of stamp duty, Stock Exchange trading fee, transaction levy, investor compensation levy or any other applicable fees and charges in Hong Kong.

Shareholders are advised to consult their professional advisers if they are in doubt as to the taxation implications of the receipt, purchase, holding, exercising, disposing of or dealing in, the nil-paid Rights Shares or the fully-paid Rights Shares and, regarding Non-Qualifying Shareholders, their receipt of the net proceeds, if any, from sales of the nil-paid Rights Shares on their behalf.

## **Conditions of the Rights Issue**

The Rights Issue is conditional upon the Underwriting Agreement having become unconditional and not being terminated in accordance with the terms thereof.

## **THE UNDERWRITING AGREEMENT**

### **The Underwriting Agreement**

On 10 August 2020 (after trading hours), the Company entered into the Underwriting Agreement with the Underwriter, pursuant to which the Underwriter has conditionally agreed to fully underwrite all Underwritten Shares, subject to the terms and conditions of the Underwriting Agreement.

Date	:	10 August 2020 (after trading hours)
Underwriter	:	Gransing Securities Co., Limited
Number of Right Shares	:	300,000,000 Rights Shares
Underwriting commitment of the Underwriter	:	All the Rights Shares which are fully underwritten by the Underwriter pursuant to the terms and conditions set out in the Underwriting Agreement, being 300,000,000 Rights Shares
Underwriting Commission	:	5% of the aggregate Subscription Price in respect of the maximum number of Underwritten Shares

The Underwriter is a company incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability and a corporation licensed to carry on Type 1 (dealing in securities), Type 4 (advising on securities), Type 6 (advising on corporate finance) and Type 9 (asset management) regulated activities under the SFO whose ordinary course of business includes underwriting of securities. To the best of the Directors' knowledge, information and belief, having made all reasonable enquiries, as at the date of this announcement, the Underwriter and its ultimate beneficial owner(s) are Independent Third Parties.

The terms of the Underwriting Agreement, including the underwriting commission rate, were determined after arm's length negotiation between the Company and the Underwriter with reference to the existing financial position of the Group, the size of the Rights Issue, and the current and expected market conditions. The Directors consider the entering into of the Underwriting Agreement with the Underwriter and the terms of the Underwriting Agreement (including the underwriting commission) to be fair and reasonable and in the interest of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

### **Conditions of the Underwriting Agreement**

The Underwriting Agreement is conditional upon the following conditions being fulfilled or waived (as appropriate):

- (a) the delivery to the Stock Exchange for authorisation and the registration with the Registrar of Companies in Hong Kong respectively one copy of each of the Prospectus Documents duly signed by two Directors (or by their agents duly authorised in writing) as having been approved by resolution of the Directors (and all other documents required to be attached thereto) and otherwise in compliance with the GEM Listing Rules and the Companies (Winding Up and Miscellaneous Provisions) Ordinance not later than the Prospectus Posting Date;

- (b) the posting of the Prospectus Documents to the Qualifying Shareholders by the Prospectus Posting Date and the posting of the Prospectus and a letter in the agreed form to the Non-Qualifying Shareholders, if any, for information purposes only explaining the circumstances in which they are not permitted to participate in the Rights Issue on or before the Prospectus Posting Date;
- (c) the GEM Listing Committee granting or agreeing to grant (subject to allotment) and not having withdrawn or revoked the listing of, and the permission to deal in, the Rights Shares (in their nil-paid and fully-paid forms) by no later than the Business Day prior to the first day of their dealings;
- (d) the Underwriting Agreement not being terminated or rescinded by the Underwriter pursuant to the terms thereof on or before the Latest Time for Termination;
- (e) the compliance with and performance of all the undertakings and obligations of the Company under the terms of the Underwriting Agreement;
- (f) there being no event which would have rendered any of the warranties given by the Company under the Underwriting Agreement untrue or incorrect in any material respect occurring prior to the Latest Time for Termination;
- (g) the Shares remaining listed on GEM of the Stock Exchange at all times prior to the settlement date and the listing of the Shares not having been withdrawn or the trading of the Shares not having been suspended for a consecutive period of more than 10 trading days at any time prior to the Latest Time for Acceptance; and
- (h) compliance with the requirements under the applicable laws and regulations of Hong Kong and the Cayman Islands.

Save for the condition (e) which can be waived by the Underwriter, none of the above conditions can be waived. If any of the conditions referred to above is not fulfilled, or waived (where applicable) by the Latest Time for Termination, the Rights Issue will not proceed.

### **Termination of the Underwriting Agreement**

If at any time on or before the Latest Time for Termination (provided that if the date of the Latest Time for Termination shall be a Business Day on which a tropical cyclone warning signal no. 8 or above or a black rainstorm warning signal is or remains hoisted in Hong Kong between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on that day, the date of the Latest Time for Termination shall be the next Business Day on which no tropical cyclone warning signal no. 8 or above and no black rainstorm warning signal is or remains hoisted in Hong Kong between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on that day):

- (i) in the absolute opinion of the Underwriter, the success of the Rights Issue would be materially and adversely affected by:

- (a) the introduction of any new law or regulation or any change in existing law or regulation (or the judicial interpretation thereof) or other occurrence of any nature whatsoever which may in the absolute opinion of the Underwriter materially and adversely affect the business or the financial or trading position or prospects of the Group as a whole or is materially adverse in the context of the Rights Issue; or
- (b) the occurrence of any local, national or international event or change (whether or not forming part of a series of events or changes occurring or continuing before, and/or after the date hereof) of a political, military, financial, economic or other nature (whether or not *ejusdem generis* with any of the foregoing), or in the nature of any local, national or international outbreak or escalation of hostilities or armed conflict, or affecting local securities markets which may, in the absolute opinion of the Underwriter materially and adversely affect the business or the financial or trading position or prospects of the Group as a whole or materially and adversely prejudice the success of the Rights Issue or otherwise makes it inexpedient or inadvisable to proceed with the Rights Issue; or
- (ii) any material adverse change in market conditions (including without limitation, any change in fiscal or monetary policy, or foreign exchange or currency markets, suspension or material restriction or trading in securities) occurs which in the absolute opinion of the Underwriter is likely to materially or adversely affect the success of the Rights Issue or otherwise makes it inexpedient or inadvisable to proceed with the Rights Issue; or
- (iii) there is any change in the circumstances of the Company or any member of the Group which in the absolute opinion of the Underwriter shall affect the prospects of the Company, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the presentation of a petition or the passing of a resolution for the liquidation or winding up or similar event occurring in respect of any of member of the Group or the destruction of any material asset of the Group; or
- (iv) any event of force majeure occurs, including without limiting the generality thereof, any act of God, war, riot, public disorder, civil commotion, fire, flood, explosion, epidemic, terrorism, strike or lock-out; or
- (v) any other material adverse change in relation to the business or the financial or trading position or prospects of the Group as a whole occurs, whether or not *ejusdem generis* with any of the foregoing; or
- (vi) any matter which, had it arisen or been discovered immediately before the date of the Prospectus and not having been disclosed in the Prospectus, would have constituted, in the absolute opinion of any of the Underwriter, a material omission in the context of the Rights Issue; or

(vii) any suspension in the trading of securities generally or the Company's securities on the Stock Exchange for a period of more than ten (10) consecutive Business Days, excluding any halt or suspension in connection with the clearance of the Announcement or the Prospectus Documents or other announcements or circulars in connection with the Rights Issue; or

(viii) any moratorium, suspension or material restriction on trading of the Shares on the Stock Exchange occurs due to exceptional financial circumstances or otherwise,

the Underwriter shall be entitled by notice in writing to the Company, served prior to the Latest Time for Termination, to terminate the Underwriting Agreement.

Upon giving of notice pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement, the obligations of the Underwriter and the Company under the Underwriting Agreement shall terminate forthwith provided that the Company shall remain liable to pay to the Underwriter such fees and expenses (other than the underwriting commission) payable by the Company pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement. If the Underwriter exercises such right, the proposed Rights Issue will not proceed.

As at the date of this announcement, (i) C3J Development (the controlling Shareholder of the Company and being a company which is beneficially wholly owned by Mr. Tang) is beneficially interested in an aggregate of 187,000,000 Shares, representing approximately 31.17% of the issued share capital of the Company; and (ii) Hunter Corporate (the controlling Shareholder of the Company and being a company which is beneficially wholly owned by Mr. Chui) is beneficially interested in an aggregate of 183,000,000 Shares, representing 30.50% of the issued share capital of the Company.

As at the date of this announcement, the Board has not received any information from any Shareholders (including C3J Development and Hunter Corporate) of their intention to take up the Rights Shares to be provisionally allotted to them.

## **EXPECTED TIMETABLE**

Set out below is the expected timetable for the proposed Rights Issue which is indicative only and has been prepared on the assumption that all the conditions of the Rights Issue will be fulfilled:

### **Expected Timetable**

**2020**

Announcement of the Rights Issue . . . . . Monday, 10 August

Last day of dealings in Shares on a cum-rights basis . . . . . Thursday, 20 August

First day of dealings in the Shares on an ex-rights basis . . . . . Friday, 21 August

Latest time for lodging transfer of Shares in order to qualify for the Rights Issue . . . . .	4:30 p.m. on Monday, 24 August
Register of members of the Company closes (both days inclusive) . . . . .	Tuesday, 25 August to Monday, 31 August
Record Date for determining entitlements to the Rights Issue . . . . .	Monday, 31 August
Register of members of the Company re-opens . . . . .	Tuesday, 1 September
Despatch of Prospectus Documents (in the case of Non-Qualifying Shareholders, the Prospectus only) . . . . .	Tuesday, 1 September
First day of dealing in nil-paid Rights Shares . . . . .	Thursday, 3 September
Latest time for splitting of the PAL . . . . .	4:30 p.m. on Monday, 7 September
Last day of dealing in nil-paid Rights Shares . . . . .	Thursday, 10 September
<b>Latest Time for Acceptance of and payment for the Rights Shares and application and payment for excess Rights Shares . . . . .</b>	<b>4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, 15 September</b>
Latest Time for Termination of the Underwriting Agreement and for the Rights Issue to become unconditional (if applicable) . . . . .	4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, 16 September
Announcement of allotment results . . . . .	Tuesday, 22 September
Despatch of certificates for fully-paid Rights Shares and refund cheques, if any, in respect of wholly or partially unsuccessful application for excess Rights Shares . . . . .	Wednesday, 23 September
Expected first day of dealings in fully-paid Rights Shares . . . . .	9:00 a.m. on Thursday, 24 September

Dates or deadlines specified in the expected timetable above or in other parts of this announcement are indicative only and may be varied by agreement between the Company and the Underwriter. Any changes to the expected timetable will be published or notified to the Shareholders and the Stock Exchange as and when appropriate.

## **EFFECT OF BAD WEATHER ON THE LATEST TIME FOR ACCEPTANCE OF AND PAYMENT FOR THE RIGHTS SHARES**

The latest time for acceptance of and payment for the Rights Shares will not take place if there is a tropical cyclone warning signal no. 8 or above, or a “black” rainstorm warning:

- (i) in force in Hong Kong at any local time before 12:00 noon and no longer in force after 12:00 noon on Tuesday, 15 September 2020. Instead the latest time for acceptance of and payment for the Rights Shares will be extended to 5:00 p.m. on the same Business Day; or
- (ii) in force in Hong Kong at any local time between 12:00 noon and 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, 15 September 2020. Instead the latest time for acceptance of and payment for the Rights Shares will be rescheduled to 4:00 p.m. on the following Business Day which does not have either of those warnings in force in Hong Kong at any time between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

If the latest time for acceptance of and payment for the Rights Shares does not take place on or before 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, 15 September 2020, the dates mentioned in this section may be affected. An announcement will be made by the Company in such event.

## **REASONS FOR AND BENEFITS OF THE RIGHTS ISSUE AND INTENDED USE OF PROCEEDS**

The Group is a foundation contractor primarily specialising in bored piling works as well as other foundation works. The Group is also engaged in leasing of machinery.

As disclosed in the annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2020, for the year ended 31 March 2020, the Group recorded a net loss of approximately HK\$12.6 million as compared to a net loss of approximately HK\$2.4 million for the same period in 2019. The Directors are of the view that the net loss was primarily due to (i) delay in progress of certain projects as a result of the outbreak of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) epidemic and lower value of contracts awarded to the Group; (ii) loss arising from change in fair value of the financial assets at fair value through profit or loss; and (iii) an increase in finance cost due to increase in borrowings and lease liabilities during the year ended 31 March 2020. The Directors are of the view that the general outlook of the industry and the business environment in which the Group operates will remain challenging.

As further disclosed in the annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2020, the Group recorded a net cash outflow from operating activities of approximately HK\$3,940,000 and a net decrease in cash and cash equivalents in the amount of approximately HK\$9,793,000 for the year ended 31 March 2020. In light of the cash position and loss-making performance of the Group, the Company intends to raise funds through the Rights Issue to improve the financial condition of the Group by lower the gearing and interest burden of the Group.

Among the current liabilities of the Group, the Company was indebted to a lender, which is a restricted license bank and an Independent Third Party, loans with aggregate outstanding principal and interest amount of HK\$4.3 million as at 31 July 2020 with interest rates ranging from 1.75% to 3 months HIBOR plus 4.53% per annum. As at the date of this announcement, the Group was also indebted to its suppliers, which are Independent Third Parties, in the total amount of approximately HK\$6,750,000.

The net proceeds from the Rights Issue (after deducting the estimated expenses) are estimated to be approximately HK\$7 million. The estimated net subscription price per Rights Share after deducting the related expenses of the Rights Issue is expected to be approximately HK\$0.023. The Company will apply the net proceeds from the Rights Issue (i) as to HK\$4.3 million for repayment of outstanding principal and interest amount of loans; and (ii) the remaining balance of HK\$2.7 million for repayment of debts owing by the Group to its suppliers.

The Company had considered other fund-raising alternatives available to the Group, including debt financing such as bank borrowings, and other equity financing such as placing or subscription of new Shares.

The Company is of the view that debt financing will result in additional interest burden and will further increase the gearing ratio of the Group which is not beneficial to the Group given that the Group had incurred a net loss for the year ended 31 March 2020. The Board considers that financing the funding needs of the Group in the form of equity is a better alternative. Amongst the equity financing methods, placing or subscription of new Shares would dilute the shareholding of the existing Shareholders without giving the chance to the existing Shareholders to participate.

In the contrary, the Rights Issue will enable the Group to strengthen its capital base and to enhance its financial position without increasing its debt or finance costs. Since the Rights Issue will allow the Qualifying Shareholders to maintain their proportional shareholdings in the Company, the Board considers that raising capital through the Rights Issue is in the best interest of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. However, those Qualifying Shareholders who do not take up the Rights Shares to which they are entitled and Non-Qualifying Shareholders (if any) should note that their shareholdings in the Company will be diluted.



## CHANGES IN THE SHAREHOLDING STRUCTURE OF THE COMPANY ARISING FROM THE RIGHTS ISSUE

For illustration purposes only, set out below is the shareholding structure of the Company as at the date of the announcement, and the effect on the shareholding structure of the Company upon completion of the Rights Issue in the manner contemplated under the Underwriting Agreement.

	(i) As at the date of this announcement		(ii) Immediately upon completion of the Rights Issue assuming full acceptance by all Qualifying Shareholders under the Rights Issue		(iii) Immediately upon completion of the Rights Issue assuming full acceptance by all Qualifying Shareholders (other than C3J Development and Hunter Corporate) under the Rights Issue		(iv) Immediately upon completion of the Rights Issue assuming no acceptance by all Qualifying Shareholders under the Rights Issue	
	Number of Shares	Approximate %	Number of Shares	Approximate %	Number of Shares	Approximate %	Number of Shares	Approximate %
C3J Development (Note 1)	187,000,000	31.17	280,500,000	31.17	187,000,000	20.78	187,000,000	20.78
Hunter Corporate (Note 2)	183,000,000	30.50	274,500,000	30.50	183,000,000	20.33	183,000,000	20.33
Underwriter (Note 3)	–	–	–	–	185,000,000	20.56	300,000,000	33.33
Other public Shareholders	230,000,000	38.33	345,000,000	38.33	345,000,000	38.33	230,000,000	25.56
<b>Total</b>	<b>600,000,000</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>900,000,000</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>900,000,000</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>900,000,000</b>	<b>100.00</b>

### Notes:

1. C3J Development is beneficially owned as to 100% by Mr. Tang who is deemed to be interested in 187,000,000 Shares pursuant to the Part XV of the SFO.
2. Hunter Corporate is beneficially owned as to 100% by Mr. Chui who is deemed to be interested in 183,000,000 Shares pursuant to the Part XV of the SFO.
3. These scenarios are for illustrative purposes only. Under the Underwriting Agreement, the Underwriter has undertaken that it shall use its reasonable endeavours to ensure that (i) each of the subscribers or purchasers of the Untaken Shares procured by it shall be third party independent of, not acting in concert (within the meaning of the Takeovers Code) with and not connected with any Directors, chief executive or substantial Shareholders of the Company or its subsidiaries or any of their respective associates (as defined in the GEM Listing Rules); (ii) the public float requirements under the GEM Listing Rules shall continue to be fulfilled by the Company upon completion of the Rights Issue; and (iii) any subscription or purchase of the Untaken Shares by the Underwriter and each of the subscribers or purchasers procured by the Underwriter shall not trigger a mandatory offer obligation under Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code on the part of the Underwriter and the subscribers or purchasers procured by the Underwriter upon completion of the Rights Issue.

## **FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS**

The Company had not conducted any fund raising activities involving issue of securities in the twelve (12) months before the date of this announcement.

## **GEM LISTING RULES IMPLICATIONS**

As the Company has not conducted any rights issue or open offer within the 12 month period prior to the date of this announcement and the Rights Issue will not increase the issued share capital or the market capitalisation of the Company by more than 50% and the Rights Issue is not underwritten by a Director, chief executive or substantial shareholder of the Company (or any of their respective close associates). The Rights Issue is not subject to Shareholders' approval under the GEM Listing Rules and will be carried out in compliance with Rule 10.31(1)(a) of the GEM Listing Rules.

## **GENERAL**

Subject to the fulfillment of certain conditions of the Rights Issue, the Company will despatch the Prospectus Documents containing, among other matters, details of the proposed Rights Issue, to the Qualifying Shareholders. The Company will despatch the Prospectus to the Non-Qualifying Shareholders (if any) for their information only, but the Company will not send the PAL and EAF to the Non-Qualifying Shareholders (if any).

## **WARNING OF THE RISKS OF DEALINGS IN THE SHARES AND THE NIL-PAID RIGHTS**

**Shareholders and potential investors of the Company should note that the proposed Rights Issue is conditional upon, among others, the Underwriting Agreement having become unconditional and the Underwriter not having terminated the Underwriting Agreement in accordance with the terms thereof (a summary of which is set out in the paragraph headed "Termination of the Underwriting Agreement" under the section headed "The Underwriting Agreement" above). Accordingly, the proposed Rights Issue may or may not proceed.**

**The Shares are expected to be dealt in on an ex-rights basis from Friday, 21 August 2020. Dealings in the Rights Shares in nil-paid form are expected to take place from Thursday, 3 September 2020 to Thursday, 10 September 2020 (both days inclusive). Any Shareholder or other person contemplating transferring, selling or purchasing the Shares and/or Rights Shares in their nil-paid form is advised to exercise caution when dealing in the Shares and/or the nil-paid Rights Shares.**

**Any party who is in any doubt about his/her/its position or any action to be taken is recommended to consult his/her/its own professional adviser(s). Any Shareholder or other person dealing in the Shares or in the nil-paid Rights Shares up to the date on which all the conditions to which the proposed Rights Issue is subject are fulfilled (and the date on which the Underwriter’s right of termination of the Underwriting Agreement ceases) will accordingly bear the risk that the proposed Rights Issue may not become unconditional or may not proceed.**

**Shareholders and potential investors are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the Shares.**

## **DEFINITIONS**

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

“acting in concert”	has the meaning ascribed to it under the Takeovers Code
“associates”	has the meaning ascribed to it under the GEM Listing Rules
“Board”	the board of Directors
“Business Day”	any day (other than a Saturday or Sunday or public holiday or a day on which a tropical cyclone warning signal no. 8 or above or “black” rainstorm warning signal is hoisted or remains hoisted in Hong Kong at any time between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon and is not lowered or discontinued at or before 12:00 noon) on which licensed banks in Hong Kong are generally open for business throughout their normal business hours
“C3J Development”	C3J Development Limited, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands with limited liability, which is wholly-owned by Mr. Tang and the legal and beneficial owner of 187,000,000 existing Shares as at the date of this announcement
“CCASS”	the Central Clearing and Settlement System established and operated by HKSCC
“Company”	Beaver Group (Holding) Company Limited, a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability, the issued Shares of which are listed on GEM

“connected person”	has the meaning ascribed to it under the GEM Listing Rules
“Director(s)”	the director(s) of the Company
“EAF(s)”	the form(s) of application for use by the Qualifying Shareholders who wish to apply for excess Rights Shares, being in such form as may be agreed between the Company and the Underwriter
“GEM”	GEM operated by the Stock Exchange
“GEM Listing Committee”	has the meaning ascribed to it under the GEM Listing Rules
“GEM Listing Rules”	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on GEM
“Group”	the Company and its subsidiaries
“HIBOR”	Hong Kong Interbank Offered Rate
“HK\$”	Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong
“HKSCC”	the Hong Kong Securities Clearing Company Limited
“Hong Kong”	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People’s Republic of China
“Hunter Corporate”	Hunter Corporate Limited, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands with limited liability, which is wholly-owned by Mr. Chui and the legal and beneficial owner of 183,000,000 existing Shares as at the date of this announcement
“Independent Third Party(ies)”	third party(ies) who, to the best of the Directors’ knowledge, information and belief having made all reasonable enquiry, are independent of and not acting in concert or connected with the Company and its connected persons or any of their respective associates
“Last Trading Day”	10 August 2020, being the last full trading day of the Shares on the Stock Exchange prior to the release of this announcement

“Latest Time for Acceptance”	4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, 15 September 2020 or such later time or date as may be agreed between the Underwriter and the Company, being the latest time for acceptance of, and payment for, the Rights Shares as described in the Prospectus Documents
“Latest Time for Termination”	4:00 p.m. on the first Business Day after the Latest Time for Acceptance or such later time or date as may be agreed between the Underwriter and the Company, being the latest time to terminate the Underwriting Agreement
“Mr. Chui”	Mr. Chui Koon Yau, an executive Director
“Mr. Tang”	Mr. Tang Kwai Leung Stanley, the chairman of the Board and an executive Director
“Non-Qualifying Shareholder(s)”	those Overseas Shareholder(s) whom the Directors, based on legal opinions provided by the Company’s legal advisers, consider it necessary or expedient not to offer the Rights Shares to such Shareholders on account either of restrictions under the laws of the relevant place or the requirements of a relevant regulatory body or stock exchange in that place
“Overseas Shareholder(s)”	Shareholder(s) whose name(s) appear on the register of members of the Company on the Record Date and whose address(es) as shown on such register is/are in a place(s) outside Hong Kong
“PAL(s)”	the renounceable provisional allotment letter(s) in respect of the Rights Issue proposed to be issued to the Qualifying Shareholders
“Prospectus”	the prospectus to be despatched to the Shareholders by the Company containing details of the proposed Rights Issue
“Prospectus Documents”	the Prospectus, the PAL and the EAF
“Prospectus Posting Date”	Tuesday, 1 September 2020, or such other day as may be agreed between the Company and the Underwriter for the despatch of the Prospectus Documents

“Qualifying Shareholder(s)”	Shareholder(s) whose name(s) appear on the register of members of the Company on the Record Date, other than the Non-Qualifying Shareholders
“Record Date”	Monday, 31 August 2020 or such other date as may be agreed between the Company and the Underwriter in writing for the determination of the entitlements under the Rights Issue
“Registrar”	the share registrar of the Company in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen’s Road East, Hong Kong
“Rights Issue”	the proposed issue by way of rights on the basis of one (1) Rights Share for every two (2) existing Shares held by the Qualifying Shareholders on the Record Date at the Subscription Price on the terms and subject to the conditions set out in the Underwriting Agreement and the Prospectus Documents
“Rights Share(s)”	Shares to be allotted and issued under the proposed Rights Issue on the basis of one (1) Rights Share for every two (2) existing Shares in issue on the Record Date, being 300,000,000 Shares based on the Company’s issued share capital as at the date of this announcement
“SFO”	Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the laws of Hong Kong) (as amended and supplemented from time to time)
“Share(s)”	ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.01 each in the issued share capital of the Company
“Shareholder(s)”	holder(s) of issued Share(s)
“Stock Exchange”	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited
“Subscription Price”	HK\$0.027 per Rights Share
“substantial shareholder(s)”	has the meaning ascribed to it under the GEM Listing Rules
“Takeovers Code”	The Hong Kong Code on Takeovers and Mergers (as amended and supplemented from time to time)

“Underwriter”	Gransing Securities Co., Limited, a corporation licensed to carry on Type 1 (dealing in securities), Type 4 (advising on securities), Type 6 (advising on corporate finance) and Type 9 (asset management) regulated activities under the SFO whose ordinary course of business includes underwriting of securities
“Underwriting Agreement”	the underwriting agreement dated 10 August 2020 entered into between the Company and the Underwriter in relation to the underwriting arrangement in respect of the Rights Issue
“Underwritten Share(s)”	all the Rights Shares which are fully underwritten by the Underwriter pursuant to the terms and conditions set out in the Underwriting Agreement, being 300,000,000 Rights Shares
“Untaken Shares”	all those Underwritten Shares (if any) not taken up by the Qualifying Shareholders on or before the Latest Time for Acceptance
“%”	per cent.

By order of the Board  
**Beaver Group (Holding) Company Limited**  
**Tang Kwai Leung Stanley**  
*Chairman and executive Director*

Hong Kong, 10 August 2020

*As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Mr. Tang Kwai Leung Stanley and Mr. Chui Koon Yau as executive Directors; and Mr. Cheung Chung Chuen George, Mr. Law Ching Ning Paschal and Mr. Leung Wai Hung as independent non-executive Directors.*

*This announcement, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the GEM 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 announcement 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 announcement misleading.*

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