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China Telecom Corporation Limited 中国电信股份有限公司

(A joint stock limited company incorporated in the People's Republic of China with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 728)

NOTICE OF EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the extraordinary general meeting of China Telecom Corporation Limited (the "Company") will be held at 10:00 a.m. on 19 August 2019 at 31 Jinrong Street, Xicheng District, Beijing, PRC for the purposes of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolutions:

ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

- 1. **THAT** the election of Mr. Liu Guiqing as a Director of the Company be and is hereby considered and approved, and shall take effect from the date of passing this resolution until the annual general meeting of the Company for the year 2019 to be held in year 2020; **THAT** any Director of the Company be and is hereby authorised to sign on behalf of the Company the Director's service contract with Mr. Liu Guiqing; and **THAT** the Board be and is hereby authorised to determine his remuneration.
- 2. **THAT** the election of Mr. Wang Guoquan as a Director of the Company be and is hereby considered and approved, and shall take effect from the date of passing this resolution until the annual general meeting of the Company for the year 2019 to be held in year 2020; **THAT** any Director of the Company be and is hereby authorised to sign on behalf of the Company the Director's service contract with Mr. Wang Guoquan; and **THAT** the Board be and is hereby authorised to determine his remuneration.

And as special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass the following as a special resolution:

SPECIAL RESOLUTION

3. **THAT** the amendments to the Articles of Association of the Company be considered and approved; **THAT** any Director of the Company be and is hereby authorised to undertake actions in his opinion as necessary or appropriate, so as to complete the approval and/or registration or filing of the amendments to the Articles of Association.

By Order of the Board

China Telecom Corporation Limited

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Company Secretary

Beijing, China, 4 July 2019

Notes:

- (1) Details of the resolution stated above are set out in the circular dated 4 July 2019 of the Company. In relation to the special resolution stated above, the Chinese version of the relevant proposed resolution shall prevail over its English version as the Articles of Association of the Company are written in Chinese and its English version is an unofficial translation for reference only.
- (2) The H Share Register of Members of the Company will be closed, for the purpose of determining shareholders' entitlement to attend the extraordinary general meeting, from 19 July 2019 to 19 August 2019 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of H Shares will be registered. In order to attend the extraordinary general meeting, all share transfers, accompanied by the relevant share certificates, must be lodged for registration with Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong, not later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, 18 July 2019. Holders of H Shares who are registered with Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited on 19 August 2019 are entitled to attend the extraordinary general meeting.
- (3) Each shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the extraordinary general meeting may appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote on his behalf at the extraordinary general meeting. A proxy need not be a shareholder. Each shareholder who wishes to appoint one or more proxies should read through the circular dated 4 July 2019.
- (4) To be valid, the form of proxy together with the power of attorney or other authorisation document (if any) signed by the authorised person or notarially certified power of attorney must be delivered to the Office of the Board of Directors of the Company (for holders of domestic shares) and to the Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited (for holders of H Shares) not less than 24 hours before the designated time for the holding of the extraordinary general meeting. The Office of the Board of Directors of the Company is located at 31 Jinrong Street, Xicheng District, Beijing 100033, PRC. (Telephone: (8610) 5850 1800). Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited is located at 17M Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong. Completion and return of a form of proxy will not preclude a shareholder from attending in person and voting at the extraordinary general meeting if he/she so wishes.
- (5) Shareholders intending to attend the extraordinary general meeting shall return the attendance slip via hand delivery, mail or fax to the Office of the Board of Directors of the Company (for holders of domestic shares) and to the Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited (for holders of H Shares) on or before 29 July 2019.
- (6) Shareholders attending the extraordinary general meeting in person or by proxy shall present their proof of identity. If the attending shareholder is a corporation, its legal representative or person authorised by the board of directors or other decision making authority shall present a copy of the relevant resolution of the board of directors or other decision making authority in order to attend the extraordinary general meeting.
- (7) All resolutions proposed at the extraordinary general meeting will be voted by poll.
- (8) The extraordinary general meeting is expected to last for half a day and shareholders (in person or by proxy) attending the extraordinary general meeting shall be responsible for their own transport and accommodation expenses.
- (9) The English translation of this Notice is for reference only, and in case of any inconsistency, the Chinese version shall prevail.

As at the date of this announcement, the Board of Directors of the Company consists of Mr. Ke Ruiwen (as the chairman, chief executive officer, president and chief operating officer); Mr. Gao Tongqing, Mr. Chen Zhongyue and Madam Zhu Min (as the chief financial officer) (all as the executive vice presidents); Mr. Chen Shengguang (as the non-executive director); Mr. Tse Hau Yin, Aloysius, Mr. Xu Erming, Madam Wang Hsuehming and Mr. Yeung Chi Wai, Jason (all as the independent non-executive directors).