

### Monthly Return of Equity Issuer on Movements in Securities

For the month ended (dd/mm/yyyy) :	31/03/2012
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To : Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited

Name of Issuer	China Telecom Corporation Limited
Date Submitted	02/04/2012

I. Movements in Authorised Share Capital

1. Ordinary Shares			
(1) Stock code : <u>728</u> Descrip	ption :	H sha	ires
	No. of ordinary shares	Par value (RMB)	Authorised share capital (RMB)
Balance at close of preceding month	13,877,410,000	1.00	13,877,410,000
Increase/(decrease)	0		0
Balance at close of the month	13,877,410,000	1.00	13,877,410,000
(2) Stock code : <u>N/A</u> Descrip	ption :	Domestic	shares
	No. of ordinary shares	Par value (RMB)	Authorised share capital (RMB)
Balance at close of preceding month	67,054,958,321	1.00	67,054,958,321
Increase/(decrease)	0		0
Balance at close of the month	67,054,958,321	1.00	67,054,958,321

# 2. Preference Shares

Stock code : <u>N/A</u> Des	cription :		
	No. of preference shares	Par value (State currency)	Authorised share capital (State currency)
Balance at close of preceding month			
Increase/(decrease)			
Balance at close of the month			

### 3. Other Classes of Shares

Stock code : <u>N/A</u> Desc	cription :		
	No. of other classes of shares	Par value (State currency)	Authorised share capital (State currency)
Balance at close of preceding month			
Increase/(decrease)			
Balance at close of the month			

Total authorised share capital at the end of the month (*RMB*) : 80,932,368,321

## II. Movements in Issued Share Capital

	No. of ordinary shares				
	(1)	(2)	•	No. of other classes	
	H shares	Domestic shares	shares	of shares	
Balance at close of					
preceding month	13,877,410,000	67,054,958,321	N/A	N/A	
Increase/ (decrease)					
during the month	0	0			
Balance at close of the					
month	13,877,410,000	67,054,958,321			

## III. Details of Movements in Issued Share Capital

Share Options	(under Share	Option	Schemes o	f the Issuer)
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Particulars of share option scheme including EGM					No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant	No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto
approval date		Movement duri	ng the month		thereto	as at close of the month
(dd/mm/yyyy) and						
class of shares	Constal	En en la d	C	T 1		
issuable	Granted	Exercised	Cancelled	Lapsed		
<u>1. N/A</u>						
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shares						
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shares						
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shares						
(Note 1)						
		To	otal A. (Ordin	ary shares)		
			(Prefere	nce shares)		
			(0	Other class)		
Total funds raised dur	ring the month	from exercise of				
options (State current						
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Description of warrants (Date of expiry - dd/mm/yyyy)	Currency of Nominal value at nominal close of value preceding month	Exercised during the month	Nominal value at close of the month	No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto	No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month
1. N/A					
( / / ) Stock code (if listed) Class of shares issuable ( <i>Note 1</i> ) Subscription price					
EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy)	( / / )				
2.					
( / / ) Stock code (if listed) Class of shares	· · ·				
issuable ( <i>Note 1</i> ) Subscription price					
EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy) 3.	( / / )				
( / / ) Stock code (if listed) Class of shares	· ·				
issuable ( <i>Note 1</i> )					
EGM approval date (if applicable)					
	( / / )				
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( / / )					
Stock code (if listed) Class of shares					
issuable (Note 1)					
Subscription price EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy)	( / / )				
	Total	B. (Ordin	nary shares)		
	1000	(Prefere	ence shares)		
		(	Other class)		

Convertibles (i.e. Convertible i	nto Sharas of the l	suar which are to		For Main Board and GEM listed issuers			
Class and description		Amount at close of preceding month	Converted during the month	Amount at close of the month	No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto	No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month	
1. N/A							
Stock code (if listed) Class of shares issuable ( <i>Note 1</i> ) Subscription price EGM approval date		·					
(if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy))							
(dd/mm/yyyy)) 2.	( / / )						
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Stock and (if listed)							
Stock code (if listed)							
issuable (Note 1)							
Subscription price							
(if applicable)							
(dd/mm/yyyy)	( / / )						
3.							
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Stock code (if listed)							
Class of shares issuable ( <i>Note 1</i> )							
Subscription price							
EGM approval date (if applicable)							
	( / / )						
4.							
Stock code (if listed)							
Class of shares issuable ( <i>Note 1</i> )							
Subscription price							
EGM approval date							
(if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy)	( / / )						
(			Total C. (Ordin	nary shares)		-	
			(Prefere	ence shares)		-	
			()	Other class)		-	

For Main Board and GEM listed issuers Any other Agreements or Arrangements to Issue Shares of the Issuer which are to be Listed, including Options (other than under Share Option Schemes)

Full particulars including EGM approval date (dd/mm/yyyy),	No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto	No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month
if applicable, and class of shares issuable:		as at close of the month
1. N/A		
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shares (Note 1)		
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shares (Note 1)	-	
3		
	-	
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shares (Note 1)		
Total D. (Ordinary shares)	4	
(Preference shares)		
(Other class)		

Oti	her Movements in	Issued Share Capital				No. of new	No. of new
	Type of Issue					shares of	shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month
			Class of shares 'see 11				
			Class of shares issuable (Note 1)				
1.	Rights issue	At price : State	Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy)	( / /	)		
			EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy)	( / /	)		
						<u>N/A</u>	
			Class of shares issuable				
			(Note 1)	, ,			
2.	Open offer	At price : State	Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy)	( / /			
			EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy)	( / /	)	<b></b>	
						<u>N/A</u>	
			Class of shares issuable (Note 1)				
3.	Placing	At price : State	Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy)	( / /	)		
			EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy)	( / /	)		
			× •••••			<u>N/A</u>	
			Class of shares issuable				
4.	Bonus issue		( <i>Note 1</i> ) Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy)	( / /	)		
			EGM approval date:	( / /	)		
			(dd/mm/yyyy)			N/A	

	Type of Issue		F	For M	ain I	Boar	d and GEM lis No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto	No. of new shares of
			Class of shares issuable (Note 1)					
5.	Scrip dividend	At price : State currency	Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy)	( /	/	)		
			EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy)	( /	/	)	<u>N/A</u>	
			Class of shares repurchased ( <i>Note 1</i> )					
6.	Repurchase of shares		Cancellation date : (dd/mm/yyyy)	( /				
			EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy)	( /	/	)	N/A	
			Class of shares redeemed ( <i>Note 1</i> )					
7.	Redemption of shares		Redemption date : (dd/mm/yyyy)	( /				
			EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy)	( /	/	)	N/A	
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			Class of shares issuable (Note 1)					
8.	Consideration issue	At price : State	Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy)	( /	/	)		
			EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy)	( /	/	)	N/A	
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		For Main Board and GEM listed issuers				
	Type of Issue				No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto	No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month
			Class of shares issuable ( <i>Note 1</i> )			
9.	Capital reorganisation		Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy)	( / / )		
			EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy)	( / / )	N/A	
			Class of shares issuable (Note 1)			
10.	Other (Please specify)	At price : State currency	<ul> <li>Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy)</li> </ul>	( / / )		
			EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy)	( / / )	N/A	
			Total E. (C (Pre	Drdinary share eference share (Other clas	es)	

Total increase / (decrease) in ordinary shares during the month (i.e. Total of A to E):	(1)	NIL			
	(2)	NIL			
Total increase / (decrease) in preference shares during the month (i.e. Total of A to E):		N/A			
Total increase / (decrease) in other classes of shares during the month (i.e. Total of A to E):	N/A				
(These figures should be the same as the relevant figures under II above ("Movements in Issued Share Capital").)					

Remarks (if any):

Submitted by: <u>Yung Shun Loy, Jacky</u>

 Company Secretary

 (Director, Secretary or other duly authorised officer)

Notes :

- 1. State the class of shares (e.g. ordinary, preference or other).
- 2. If there is insufficient space, please append the prescribed continuation sheet.