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**CHINA UNICOM (HONG KONG) LIMITED**

中國聯合網絡通信(香港)股份有限公司

*(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)*

(Stock Code: 0762)

## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The Board is pleased to disclose the operational statistics of the Group for the month of August 2012.
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The board of directors (the “Board”) of China Unicom (Hong Kong) Limited (the “Company”) is pleased to disclose the operational statistics of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively the “Group”) for the month of August 2012.

Operational statistics for the month of August 2012 are as follows:

	<b>August 2012</b>
<b>CELLULAR BUSINESS:</b>	
Aggregate Number of 2G Service Subscribers	162.382 million
Net Additions of 2G Service Subscribers	0.336 million
Aggregate Number of 3G Service Subscribers	63.686 million
Net Additions of 3G Service Subscribers	3.069 million
<b>WIRELINE BUSINESS:</b>	
Aggregate Number of Local Access Subscribers	92.411 million
Net Additions of Local Access Subscribers	(0.167) million
Aggregate Number of Broadband Subscribers	61.982 million
Net Additions of Broadband Subscribers	0.647 million

*Notes:*

- 1 All the Aggregate Numbers recorded for the month of August 2012 are aggregate data reported at 24:00 on 31 August 2012.
- 2 The accounting period of all Net Additions for the month of August 2012 is the period commencing from 0:00 on 1 August 2012 to 24:00 on 31 August 2012.
- 3 Net Additions of 3G Service Subscribers include 0.1910 million 3G Data Card Subscribers.

**Caution Statement**

The Board wishes to remind investors that the above operational statistics for the month of August 2012 are based on the Group's internal records. **Investors are cautioned not to unduly rely on such statistics. In the meantime, investors are advised to exercise caution in dealing in the shares of the Company.**

**As at the date of this announcement, the board of directors of the Company comprises:**

Executive Directors:	Chang Xiaobing, Lu Yimin, Tong Jilu and Li Fushen
Non-executive Director:	Cesareo Alierta Izuel
Independent Non-executive Directors:	Cheung Wing Lam Linus, Wong Wai Ming, John Lawson Thornton, Chung Shui Ming Timpson and Cai Hongbin

By Order of the Board  
**CHINA UNICOM (HONG KONG) LIMITED**  
**CHU KA YEE**  
*Company Secretary*

Hong Kong, 19 September 2012