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### BIRMINGHAM SPORTS HOLDINGS LIMITED

### 伯明翰體育控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 2309)

## GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE SHARES AND TO REPURCHASE SHARES, PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS, PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE EXISTING MEMORANDUM AND ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION AND

### NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Capitalised terms used in this cover page shall have the same meanings as those defined in the section headed "Definitions" of this circular, unless the context otherwise requires.

A notice convening the AGM to be held at Theatre R1, 10/F, United Centre, 95 Queensway, Admiralty, Hong Kong on Friday, 30 December 2022 at 4:00 p.m. or any adjournment thereof is set out on pages AGM-1 to AGM-5 of this circular. A form of proxy for use at the AGM is enclosed with this circular. Whether or not you are able to attend the AGM, please complete and sign the enclosed form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return the same to the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong, as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM or any adjournment thereof (as the case may be). Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from subsequently attending and voting in person at the AGM or any adjournment thereof (as the case may be) should you so wish and, in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

This circular will remain on the website of the Stock Exchange (www.hkexnews.hk) and the website of the Company (www.bshl.com.hk).

In line with the prevailing practices and guidelines on the prevention of coronavirus ("COVID-19"), the Company may, depending on the development with regard to COVID-19, implement additional precautionary measures at the AGM which may include without limitation:

- compulsory body temperature screening;
- mandatory use of self-prepared surgical face masks at all times during the attendance of the AGM;
- no refreshments or corporate gifts will be provided to attendees; and
- other practical precautions which may include maintaining appropriate distancing and spacing at the venue, limiting
  the number of attendees at the AGM as may be necessary to avoid over-crowding.

In light of the present risks posed by the COVID-19 pandemic, and if such risks continue at the time of the AGM, the Company strongly encourages the Shareholders to exercise their right to appoint the chairperson of the AGM as their proxy to vote according to their indicated voting instructions as an alternative to attending the AGM in person. The Company may implement further changes and precautionary measures as appropriate.

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### **DEFINITIONS**

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

"AGM" the annual general meeting of the Company to be held at Theatre R1, 10/F,

United Centre, 95 Queensway, Admiralty, Hong Kong on Friday, 30

December 2022 at 4:00 p.m. or any adjournment thereof

"AGM Notice" the notice for convening the AGM which is set out on pages AGM-1 to

AGM-5 of this circular

"Articles" or "Articles of

Association"

the articles of association of the Company (as amended from time to time)

"Audit Committee" the audit committee of the Company

"Board" the board of Directors

"close associate(s)" has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules

"Company" Birmingham Sports Holdings Limited (Stock code: 2309), an exempted

company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability and the issued shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange

"core connected person(s)" has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules

"Director(s)" the director(s) of the Company

"Group" the Company and its subsidiaries from time to time

"HK\$" Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong

"Hong Kong" the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of

China

"Issue Mandate" the general mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors at the AGM to

exercise the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with new Shares not exceeding 20% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the

date of passing the resolution for approving such mandate

"Latest Practicable Date" 25 November 2022, being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of

this circular for the purpose of ascertaining certain information contained in

this circular

"Listing Rules" the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange

### **DEFINITIONS**

"Memorandum" or
"Memorandum of
Association"

the memorandum of association of the Company (as amended from time to

time)

"Memorandum and

Articles of Association"

the Memorandum and the Articles of Association

"Nomination Committee"

the nomination committee of the Company

"Remuneration Committee"

the remuneration committee of the Company

"Repurchase Mandate"

the general mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors at the AGM to exercise the powers of the Company to repurchase Shares up to a maximum of 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing the

resolution for approving such mandate

"SFO"

the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong

Kong)

"Share(s)"

ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.01 each in the share capital of the Company

"Shareholder(s)"

holder(s) of the Shares

"Stock Exchange"

The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"Takeovers Code"

the Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share Buy-backs

"Trillion Trophy"

Trillion Trophy Asia Limited, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands with limited liability and is the substantial Shareholder (as defined

under the Listing Rules)

"%"

per cent

In the event of any inconsistency, the English text of this circular, the AGM Notice and the accompanying form of proxy shall prevail over the Chinese text.



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Executive Directors:

Mr. Zhao Wenqing (Chairman)

Mr. Huang Dongfeng (Chief Executive Officer)

Mr. Yiu Chun Kong Dr. Guo Honglin

Non-executive Director:

Mr. Sue Ka Lok

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Ms. Leung Pik Har, Christine

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29 November 2022

To the Shareholders

Dear Sir or Madam,

# GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE SHARES AND TO REPURCHASE SHARES, PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS, PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE EXISTING MEMORANDUM AND ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

### INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this circular is to provide you with information in respect of the resolutions to be proposed at the AGM for approving:

- (a) the grant of the Issue Mandate to the Directors;
- (b) the grant of the Repurchase Mandate to the Directors;

- (c) the extension of the Issue Mandate by adding to it the aggregate number of Shares repurchased under the Repurchase Mandate;
- (d) the re-election of Directors; and
- (e) the proposed amendments to the existing Memorandum and Articles of Association.

#### GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE SHARES AND TO REPURCHASE SHARES

As the general mandates to issue Shares and to repurchase Shares granted by the Shareholders at the annual general meeting of the Company held on 30 December 2021 will lapse at the conclusion of the AGM, ordinary resolutions will be proposed at the AGM to grant to the Directors the Issue Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate. Conditional upon the above resolutions being passed, a separate resolution will be proposed to extend the Issue Mandate by adding to it the aggregate number of Shares repurchased under the Repurchase Mandate. Details of these resolutions are set out in the AGM Notice.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Company had 19,288,998,508 shares in issue. Assuming that there is no change in the number of the issued Shares during the period between the Latest Practicable Date and the date of the AGM, the maximum number of Shares which may be allotted, issued and otherwise dealt with pursuant to the Issue Mandate will be 3,857,799,701 shares and the maximum number of Shares which may be repurchased pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate will be 1,928,899,850 shares.

An explanatory statement containing information relating to the Repurchase Mandate as required by the Listing Rules is set out in Appendix I to this circular.

#### RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The Board currently comprises eight Directors, namely Mr. Zhao Wenqing (*Chairman*), Mr. Huang Dongfeng (*Chief Executive Officer*), Mr. Yiu Chun Kong and Dr. Guo Honglin as Executive Directors; Mr. Sue Ka Lok as Non-executive Director; and Mr. Pun Chi Ping, Ms. Leung Pik Har, Christine and Mr. Yeung Chi Tat as Independent Non-executive Directors.

In accordance with Articles 87(1) and 87(2) of the Articles of Association, Mr. Huang Dongfeng, Ms. Leung Pik Har, Christine and Mr. Yeung Chi Tat will retire at the AGM by rotation and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election at the AGM.

The Nomination Committee, having considered the Board composition and the profile, qualification and experience, diversity perspectives as set out in the board diversity policy of the Company, the independent and valuable opinion during the directors' meetings and committees' meetings provided by Ms. Leung Pik Har, Christine and Mr. Yeung Chi Tat and other factors of Mr. Huang Dongfeng, Ms. Leung Pik Har, Christine and Mr. Yeung Chi Tat, nominated them to the Board for it to recommend to the Shareholders for re-election at the AGM. The nominations were made in accordance with the nomination policy of the Company and the Nomination Committee is satisfied that each of Mr. Huang Dongfeng, Ms. Leung Pik Har, Christine and Mr. Yeung Chi Tat possesses the required character, integrity and experience to continuously fulfil their respective roles as Executive Director or

Independent Non-executive Director effectively. Besides, each of Ms. Leung Pik Har, Christine and Mr. Yeung Chi Tat has satisfied all the criteria for independence set out in Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules and provided annual confirmation of independence to the Company. The Board considers that each of them is independent and believes that respective re-election of Mr. Huang Dongfeng, Ms. Leung Pik Har, Christine and Mr. Yeung Chi Tat as the Executive Director or Independent Non-executive Director would be in the best interest of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Accordingly, with the recommendation of the Nomination Committee, the Board has proposed that all the above retiring Directors, namely Mr. Huang Dongfeng, Ms. Leung Pik Har, Christine and Mr. Yeung Chi Tat to stand for re-election as Directors at the AGM.

Biographical details of the Directors who are proposed to be re-elected at the AGM as required to be disclosed under Rule 13.51(2) of the Listing Rules are set out in Appendix II to this circular.

### PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE EXISTING MEMORANDUM AND ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

The Board proposes to make certain amendments to the existing Memorandum and Articles of Association to (i) comply with and align with the new requirements under Appendix 3 to the Listing Rules which have come into effect on 1 January 2022; (ii) incorporate provisions to allow and facilitate hybrid and electronic meetings; (iii) update and clarify provisions where it is considered desirable; and (iv) certain housekeeping changes (such proposed amendments to the existing Memorandum and Articles of Association are collectively referred to as the "Proposed Amendments"). The Board also proposes to adopt the new amended and restated memorandum and articles of association which consolidates the Proposed Amendments in substitution for, and to the exclusion of, the existing Memorandum and Articles of Association in their entirety.

Details of the amendments to the existing Memorandum and Articles of Association are set out in Appendix III to this circular. A special resolution will be proposed at the AGM to approve the Proposed Amendments and adoption of the new amended and restated memorandum and articles of association.

The Company's legal advisers have confirmed that the Proposed Amendments conform with the requirements of the Listing Rules, where applicable, and the Cayman Islands laws. The Company also confirms that there is nothing unusual about the Proposed Amendments for a company listed in Hong Kong.

#### THE AGM

Set out on pages AGM-1 to AGM-5 of this circular is the AGM Notice convening the AGM to consider and, if appropriate, to approve the resolutions relating to, among others, the grant of the Issue Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate, the extension of the Issue Mandate, the re-election of Directors and proposed amendments to the existing Memorandum and Articles of Association as set out on pages AGM-1 to AGM-5 of this circular. To the extent that the Directors are aware and having made all reasonable enquiries, none of the Shareholders is required to abstain from voting on any resolution to be proposed at the AGM.

A form of proxy for use at the AGM is enclosed with this circular. Whether or not you are able to attend the AGM, you are requested to complete and sign the enclosed form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return the same to the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong, as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM or any adjournment thereof (as the case may be). Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the AGM or any adjournment thereof (as the case may be) should you so wish and, in such event, the instrument appointing the proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the AGM, all unregistered holders of the Shares shall ensure that all transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, 21 December 2022. Shareholders whose names are recorded in the register of members of the Company on Wednesday, 21 December 2022 are entitled to attend and vote at the AGM.

#### **VOTING AT THE AGM**

Pursuant to Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules, all resolutions will be put to vote by way of poll at the AGM. An announcement on the poll results will be made by the Company after the AGM pursuant to Rule 13.39(5) of the Listing Rules.

#### RECOMMENDATION

The Directors consider that the above proposed resolutions referred to in this circular and the AGM Notice are all in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Accordingly, the Directors recommend all Shareholders to vote in favour of all the resolutions as set out in the AGM Notice.

#### RESPONSIBILITY OF THE DIRECTORS

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

Yours faithfully,
On behalf of the Board
Birmingham Sports Holdings Limited
Zhao Wenqing
Chairman

The following is an explanatory statement required by the Listing Rules to be sent to the Shareholders to enable them to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the ordinary resolution to be proposed at the AGM in relation to the grant of the Repurchase Mandate.

#### 1. SHARE CAPITAL

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Company had 19,288,998,508 shares in issue. Subject to the passing of the ordinary resolution granting the Repurchase Mandate and on the basis that no further Shares are issued or repurchased from the Latest Practicable Date up to the date of the AGM, the Company would be allowed under the Repurchase Mandate to repurchase a maximum of 1,928,899,850 shares, representing 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of the AGM.

#### 2. REASONS FOR REPURCHASE

The Directors believe that it is in the best interests of the Company and its Shareholders as a whole for the Directors to seek general authority from the Shareholders to enable the Company to repurchase Shares in the market. Such repurchases may, depending on the market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net asset value of the Company per share and/or its earnings per share and will only be made when the Directors believe that such repurchases will benefit the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

#### 3. FUNDING OF REPURCHASE

Any repurchases will only be made out of funds of the Company legally available for the purposes in accordance with the Articles of Association, the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands and the Listing Rules.

### 4. EFFECT OF EXERCISE OF THE REPURCHASE MANDATE

There might be a material adverse impact on the working capital and/or gearing position of the Company as compared with the position disclosed in the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company for the year ended 30 June 2022 (being the date to which the latest published audited consolidated financial statements of the Company have been made up) in the event that the Repurchase Mandate is exercised. However, the Directors do not propose to exercise the Repurchase Mandate to such an extent as would, in the circumstances, have a material adverse effect on the working capital requirements of the Company or the gearing levels which in the opinion of the Directors are from time to time appropriate for the Company.

### 5. DIRECTORS, THEIR CLOSE ASSOCIATES AND CORE CONNECTED PERSON

None of the Directors nor, to the best of the knowledge and belief of the Directors having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their respective close associates have any present intention, in the event that the proposed Repurchase Mandate is approved, to sell any Shares to the Company. No core connected person of the Company has notified the Company that he/she/it has a present intention to sell any Shares to the Company nor has he/she/it undertaken not to sell any of the Shares held by him/her/it to the Company in the event that the proposed Repurchase Mandate is approved.

#### 6. DIRECTORS' UNDERTAKING

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange that, so far as the same may be applicable, they will exercise the powers of the Company to make repurchases pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate in accordance with the Listing Rules and the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands.

#### 7. EFFECT OF THE TAKEOVERS CODE

If as a result of a repurchase of Shares, a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases, such increase will be treated as an acquisition for the purposes of Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code. As a result, a Shareholder, or a group of Shareholders acting in concert, depending on the level of increase in the Shareholder's interests, may obtain or consolidate control of the Company and become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the following Shareholders had interests representing 5% or more of the issued Shares:

	Approximate% of interest		
		As at the	If the
	Number of	Latest	Repurchase
	Shares held/	Practicable	Mandate is
Name	interested	Date	exercised in full
Trillion Trophy	5,425,000,000 (Note (i))	28.12%	31.25%
Ever Depot Limited ("Ever Depot")	4,539,161,000 (Note (ii))	23.53%	26.15%
Dragon Villa Limited ("Dragon Villa")	3,294,366,000 (Note (iii))	17.08%	18.98%

#### Notes:

- (i) Trillion Trophy is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Wealthy Associates International Limited which in turn is wholly-owned by Mr. Suen Cho Hung, Paul ("Mr. Suen"). Accordingly, Wealthy Associates International Limited and Mr. Suen are deemed to be interested in the 5,425,000,000 Shares held through Trillion Trophy under the SFO.
- (ii) Ever Depot is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Graticity Real Estate Development Co., Ltd. which in turn is wholly-owned by Mr. Vong Pech. Accordingly, Graticity Real Estate Development Co., Ltd. and Mr. Vong Pech are deemed to be interested in the 4,539,161,000 Shares held through Ever Depot under the SFO.
- (iii) Dragon Villa is wholly-owned by Mr. Lei Sutong. Accordingly, Mr. Lei Sutong is deemed to be interested in the 3,294,366,000 Shares held through Dragon Villa under the SFO.

In the event the Directors exercise in full the power to repurchase Shares which is proposed to be granted pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate, the interests of each of the above Shareholders in the Company would be increased to approximately the respective percentages as set out in the table above.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Trillion Trophy was interested in approximately 28.12% of the total number of issued Shares. In the event that the Directors exercised the Repurchase Mandate in full, the shareholding of Trillion Trophy would increase to approximately 31.25% of the total number of issued Shares. As a result of the exercise of the Repurchase Mandate in full, Trillion Trophy would become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code as its shareholding percentage would increase to more than 30% of the voting rights of the Company. It is not the present intention of the Directors to exercise the Repurchase Mandate in such manner so as to trigger off any general offer obligations.

Assuming that there is no further issue of Shares between the Latest Practicable Date and the date of repurchase, the exercise of the Repurchase Mandate in whole will result in less than 25% of total number of Shares in issue being held by the public as required by Rule 8.08 of the Listing Rules. The Directors, however, have no present intention to exercise the Repurchase Mandate to an extent as may result in a public shareholding of less than such prescribed percentage.

Save as aforesaid, the Directors are not aware of any other consequences which will arise under the Takeovers Code as a result of any repurchases to be made under the Repurchase Mandate.

#### 8. SHARE REPURCHASE MADE BY THE COMPANY

No repurchases of Shares have been made by the Company in the six months before the Latest Practicable Date, whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise.

### 9. SHARE PRICES

The highest and lowest prices at which the Shares have been traded on the Stock Exchange during each of the twelve months before the Latest Practicable Date were as follows:

	Price per share	
Month	Highest	Lowest
	(HK\$)	(HK\$)
2021		
November	0.135	0.106
December	0.128	0.090
2022		
January	0.110	0.080
February	0.161	0.097
March	0.133	0.091
April	0.110	0.090
May	0.114	0.088
June	0.104	0.070
July	0.086	0.065
August	0.074	0.061
September	0.084	0.058
October	0.075	0.050
November (up to the Latest Practicable Date)	0.078	0.050

Details of the Directors who are proposed to be re-elected at the AGM are as follows:

### (1) Mr. Huang Dongfeng ("Mr. Huang"), Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer

Mr. Huang, aged 63, joined the Company as an Executive Director and the Chief Executive Officer on 27 January 2017. Mr. Huang graduated with a major in management engineering from the Central South University of Technology (中南工業大學) (now known as "Central South University") in the People's Republic of China and is a senior economist. Prior to joining the Company, Mr. Huang was the company secretary (deputy general manager) of Jiangxi Copper Company Limited (Hong Kong stock code: 358), the shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange, and was the director and general manager of its group companies. Mr. Huang has extensive experience in corporate management, corporate finance, merger and acquisition as well as strategies formulation, and has been awarded the Gold Medal Board Secretary Award (金牌董秘) by New Fortune Magazine (新財富雜誌).

Mr. Huang has not held any other directorship in other public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas for the last three years.

Mr. Huang does not have any other relationships with any other Directors, senior management, substantial Shareholders or controlling Shareholders (as defined under the Listing Rules).

As at the Latest Practicable Date and within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO, Mr. Huang is interested in 66,804,124 underlying Shares which may be issued upon the exercise of the share options granted by the Company to him pursuant to the share option scheme adopted by the Shareholders on 30 December 2016, representing approximately 0.35% of the issued Shares.

The directorship of Mr. Huang will be subject to retirement by rotation and re-election pursuant to the Articles of Association. Mr. Huang entered into a service contract with a subsidiary of the Company. There is no specific length of service as stipulated under the said service contract. His term of service shall continue unless and until terminated by either party by giving to the other prior notice in writing. Mr. Huang is entitled to a remuneration of HK\$157,500 per month which has been recommended by the Remuneration Committee and approved by the Board based on Mr. Huang's qualifications and experience, his level of responsibilities undertaken and the prevailing market conditions. Mr. Huang may also be entitled to receive discretionary bonuses or other benefits as may be decided by the Remuneration Committee and the Board having regard to the Company's and his performance. The remuneration of Mr. Huang will be subject to annual review by the Remuneration Committee and the Board. The remuneration of Mr. Huang for the year ended 30 June 2022 amounted to approximately HK\$2,048,000.

Save as disclosed above, there is no other information of Mr. Huang to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements under Rule 13.51(2)(h) to (v) of the Listing Rules; and there is no other matter which needs to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in respect of Mr. Huang's re-election.

### DETAILS OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED FOR RE-ELECTION

(2) Ms. Leung Pik Har, Christine ("Ms. Leung"), Independent Non-executive Director, Chairlady of the Nomination Committee and a member of the Audit Committee and the Remuneration Committee

Ms. Leung, aged 53, joined the Company as an Independent Non-executive Director on 15 October 2016, the Chairlady of the Nomination Committee and a member of the Audit Committee and the Remuneration Committee. Ms. Leung holds a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from The Chinese University of Hong Kong. Ms. Leung has extensive experience in banking and financial services industries and had worked at several international financial institutions including Citibank, N.A. Hong Kong, Bank of America, Industrial and Commercial Bank of China (Asia) Limited and Fubon Bank (Hong Kong) Limited.

Ms. Leung is an independent non-executive director of EPI (Holdings) Limited ("EPI") (stock code: 689), a company listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange.

Save as disclosed above, Ms. Leung has not held any other directorship in other public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas for the last three years.

Ms. Leung is an independent non-executive director of EPI of which Mr. Yiu Chun Kong (Executive Director of the Company) and Mr. Sue Ka Lok (Non-executive Director of the Company) are both executive directors, and Mr. Pun Chi Ping (Independent Non-executive Director of the Company) is an independent non-executive director.

Mr. Suen, the ultimate beneficial owner of Trillion Trophy (the substantial Shareholder of the Company), is a substantial shareholder of EPI.

Save as disclosed above, Ms. Leung does not have any other relationships with any other Directors, senior management, substantial Shareholders or controlling Shareholders (as defined under the Listing Rules).

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Ms. Leung does not have any interest in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

The directorship of Ms. Leung will be subject to retirement by rotation and re-election pursuant to the Articles of Association. Ms. Leung entered into a letter of appointment with the Company. According to the letter of appointment, Ms. Leung's term of service is fixed at a term of twelve-month period which automatically renews for successive twelve-month periods unless terminated by either party in writing prior to the expiry of the term. Ms. Leung is entitled to a remuneration of HK\$16,000 per month which has been recommended by the Remuneration Committee and approved by the Board based on Ms. Leung's qualifications and experience, her level of responsibilities undertaken and the prevailing market conditions. The remuneration of Ms. Leung will be subject to annual review by the Remuneration Committee and the Board. The remuneration of Ms. Leung for the year ended 30 June 2022 amounted to approximately HK\$195,000.

Save as disclosed above, there is no other information of Ms. Leung to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements under Rule 13.51(2)(h) to (v) of the Listing Rules; and there is no other matter which needs to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in respect of Ms. Leung's re-election.

### DETAILS OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED FOR RE-ELECTION

(3) Mr. Yeung Chi Tat ("Mr. Yeung"), Independent Non-executive Director, Chairman of the Audit Committee and a member of the Remuneration Committee and the Nomination Committee

Mr. Yeung, aged 53, joined the Company as an Independent Non-executive Director, the Chairman of the Audit Committee and a member of the Nomination Committee and the Remuneration Committee on 8 November 2019. Mr. Yeung holds a Master's degree in Professional Accounting with distinction from The Hong Kong Polytechnic University and a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration from The University of Hong Kong. He is a fellow of The Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales, the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants and a Senior International Finance Manager of the International Financial Management Association. Mr. Yeung worked at a major international accounting firm for over 10 years and then worked for various Hong Kong listed companies as vice president, chief financial officer, financial controller and/or company secretary. He possesses extensive experience in auditing, corporate restructuring and corporate finance. Mr. Yeung is currently the President of the Hong Kong Independent Non-executive Director Association and a Certified Public Accountant (Practising) in Hong Kong.

Mr. Yeung is an independent non-executive director of Sitoy Group Holdings Limited (Hong Kong stock code: 1023) and an independent director of New Hope Dairy Co., Ltd. (Shenzhen stock code: 002946). Sitoy Group Holdings Limited is listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange, and New Hope Dairy Co., Ltd. is listed on the Shenzhen Stock Exchange. Mr. Yeung was an independent non-executive director of ANTA Sports Products Limited (Hong Kong stock code: 2020) from February 2007 to June 2018; an independent non-executive director of Boer Power Holdings Limited (Hong Kong stock code: 1685) from September 2010 to June 2020; and an independent non-executive director of Guodian Technology & Environment Group Corporation Limited from August 2017 to May 2022 (whose shares were formerly listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange until 30 May 2022 with Hong Kong stock code: 1296).

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Yeung has not held any other directorship in other public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas for the last three years.

Mr. Yeung does not have any other relationships with any other Directors, senior management, substantial Shareholders or controlling Shareholders (as defined under the Listing Rules).

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Yeung does not have any interest in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

The directorship of Mr. Yeung will also be subject to retirement by rotation and re-election pursuant to the Articles of Association. Mr. Yeung entered into a letter of appointment with the Company. According to the letter of appointment, Mr. Yeung's term of service is fixed at a term of twelve-month period which automatically renews for successive twelve-month periods unless terminated by either party in writing prior to the expiry of the term. Mr. Yeung is entitled to receive a remuneration of HK\$16,000 per month which has been recommended by the Remuneration Committee and approved by the Board based on Mr. Yeung's qualifications and experience, level of responsibilities undertaken and prevailing market conditions. The remuneration of Mr. Yeung will be subject to annual review by the Remuneration Committee and the Board. The remuneration of Mr. Yeung for the year ended 30 June 2022 amounted to approximately HK\$195,000.

Save as disclosed above, there is no other information of Mr. Yeung to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements under Rule 13.51(2)(h) to (v) of the Listing Rules; and there is no other matter which needs to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in respect of Mr. Yeung's re-election.

### APPENDIX III

### DETAILS OF THE PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE EXISTING MEMORANDUM AND ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

The following are the proposed amendments to the existing Memorandum and Articles of Association. Unless otherwise specified, clauses, paragraphs and article numbers referred to herein are clauses, paragraphs and article numbers of the existing Memorandum and Articles of Association.

Clause No. Proposed amendments

(showing changes to the existing Memorandum of Association)

Heading

BIRMINGHAM INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

伯明翰環球控股有限公司 Birmingham Sports Holdings Limited

伯明翰體育控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 2309)

THE COMPANIES LAW COMPANIES ACT (REVISED)
COMPANY LIMITED BY SHARES

AMENDED AND RESTATED
MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION

OF

Birmingham International Holdings Limited
Birmingham Sports Holdings Limited
伯明翰體育控股有限公司

(formerly known as Grandtop International Holdings Limited)
(Amended-Adopted by ordinary a special resolution passed at an annual general meeting held on 5 February 2014 [•••] December 2022)

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- 1. The name of the Company is Birmingham International Holdings Limited Birmingham Sports Holdings Limited伯明翰體育控股有限公司.
- 2. The Registered Office of the Company shall be at the offices of Codan Trust Company (Cayman) Limited, Cricket Square, Hutchins Drive, P.O. Box 2681, Grand Cayman, KY1-1111 Cayman Islands Harneys Fiduciary (Cayman) Limited, 4th Floor, Harbour Place, 103 South Church Street, George Town, P.O. Box 10240, Grand Cayman KY1-1002, Cayman Islands.
- 4. Subject to the following provisions of this Memorandum, the Company shall have and be capable of exercising all the functions of a natural person of full capacity irrespective of any question of corporate benefit, as provided by Section 27(2) of Tthe Companies Law-Companies Act (Revised).
- 8. The share capital of the Company is HK\$500,000,000 divided into 50,000,000,000,000 shares of a nominal or par value of HK\$0.01 each, with power for the Company insofar as is permitted by law to redeem or purchase any of its shares and to increase or reduce the said capital subject to the provisions of the Companies Law Companies Act (Revised) and the Articles of Association and to issue any part of its capital, whether original, redeemed or increased with or without any preference, priority or special privilege or subject to any postponement of rights or to any conditions or restrictions and so that unless the conditions of issue shall otherwise expressly declare every issue of shares whether stated to be preference or otherwise shall be subject to the powers hereinbefore contained.

Article No. Proposed amendments

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### AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

OF

### Birmingham International Holdings Limited Birmingham Sports Holdings Limited 伯明翰體育控股有限公司

(formerly known as Grandtop International Holdings Limited)

(Adopted pursuant to written resolutions of the sole shareholder of the Company by a special resolution passed at an annual general meeting held on 22 October, 2002 [•••] December 2022)

pursuant to amendments adopted by special resolution passed at the Annual General Meetings of the Company on 3 September, 2007 and 9 September, 2009

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### **INTERPRETATION**

- 1. The regulations in Table A in the Schedule to the Companies Law Companies Act (Revised) do not apply to the Company.
- 2. (1) In these Articles, unless the context otherwise requires, the words standing in the first column of the following table shall bear the meaning set opposite them respectively in the second column.

### APPENDIX III

WORD	MEANING
"business day"	any day on which the Designated Stock Exchange generally is open for business of dealing in securities in Hong Kong. For the avoidance of doubt, where the Designated Stock Exchange is closed for the business of dealing in securities in Hong Kong on a business day by reason of a Number 8 or higher typhoon signal, black rainstorm warning or other similar event, such day shall for the purposes of these Articles be counted as a business day.
"clearing house"	a recognised clearing house within the meaning of Section 2 of the Securities and Futures (Clearing Houses) Ordinance of Hong Kong or a clearing house recognised by the laws of the jurisdiction in which the shares of the Company are listed or quoted on a stock exchange in such jurisdiction.
"close associate(s)"	shall have the meaning as defined in the Listing Rules except that for purposes of Article 103 where the transaction or arrangement to be approved by the Board is a connected transaction referred to in the Listing Rules, it shall have the same meaning as that ascribed to "associate" in the Listing Rules.
"Company"	Birmingham International Holdings Limited Birmingham Sports Holdings Limited伯明翰體育控股有限公司.
"Company's Website"	shall mean the website of the Company, the address or domain name of which has been notified to Members.
"electronic communication"	a communication sent, transmitted, conveyed and received by wire, by radio, by optical means or by other electron magnetic means in any form through any medium.
"electronic meeting"	a general meeting held and conducted wholly and exclusively by virtual attendance and participation by Members, proxies and/or Directors by means of electronic facilities.
"hybrid meeting"	a general meeting held and conducted by (i) physical attendance by Members, proxies and/or Directors at the Principal Meeting Place and where applicable, one or more Meeting Locations and (ii) virtual attendance and participation by Members, proxies and/or Directors by means of electronic facilities.

"Law" The Companies Law Companies Act, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of

1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands.

"Listing Rules" the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange.

"Meeting Location(s)" shall have the meaning given to it in Article 64A.

"Memorandum" the Memorandum of Association of the Company in its

present form or as supplemented or amended or substituted

from time to time.

"physical meeting" a general meeting held and conducted by physical

attendance and participation by Members, proxies and/or Directors at the Principal Meeting Place and/or where

applicable, one or more Meeting Locations.

"Principal Meeting Place" shall have the meaning given to it in Article 59(2).

"Special-Rresolution" a resolution shall be a special resolution when it has been

passed by a majority of not less than three-fourths of votes cast by such Members as, being entitled so to do, vote in person or, in the case of such Members as are corporations, by their respective duly authorised representative or, where proxies are allowed, by proxy at a general meeting of which Notice has been duly given in accordance with

Article 59.

"Subsidiary and Holding

Company"

the meanings attributed to them in Section 2 of the Companies Ordinance of Hong Kong as in force at the time

of adoption of the Articles.

(2) In these Articles, unless there be something within the subject or context inconsistent with such construction:

(e) expressions referring to writing shall, unless the contrary intention appears, be construed as including printing, lithography, photography and other modes of representing or reproducing words or figures in a legible and non-transitory form or, to the extent permitted by and in accordance with the Statutes and other applicable laws, rules and regulations, any visible substitute for writing (including an electronic communication), or modes of representing or reproducing words partly in one visible form and partly in another visible form, and including where the representation takes the form of electronic display, provided that the same is available for download onto a user's computer or for printing through conventional small office equipment and, in each case, the Member concerned (where the relevant provision of these Articles require the delivery or service of any document or notice on him in his capacity as

Member) has elected for the receipt of the relevant download or notice through electronic means and both the mode of service of the relevant document or notice and the Member's election comply with all applicable Statutes, rules and regulations;

- (h) references to a document (including, but without limitation, resolution in writing) being signed or executed include references to it being signed or executed under hand or under seal or by electronic signature or by electronic communication or by any other method and references to a notice or document include a notice or document recorded or stored in any digital, electronic, electrical, magnetic or other retrievable form or medium and information in visible form whether having physical substance or not;
- (i) section 8 and section 19 of the Electronic Transactions Act (As Revised) of the Cayman Islands, as amended from time to time, shall not apply to these Articles to the extent it imposes obligations or requirements in addition to those set out in these Articles;
- (j) a reference to a meeting shall mean a meeting convened and held in any manner permitted by these Articles and any Member, proxy and/or Director attending and participating at a meeting by means of electronic facilities shall be deemed to be present at that meeting for all purposes of the Statutes and other applicable laws, rules and regulations and these Articles, and attend, participate, attending, participating, attendance and participation shall be construed accordingly;
- (k) references to a person's participation in the business of a general meeting include without limitation and as relevant the right (including, in the case of a corporation, through a duly authorised representative) to speak or communicate, vote, be represented by a proxy and have access in hard copy or electronic form to all documents which are required by the Statutes and other applicable laws, rules and regulations or these Articles to be made available at the meeting, and participate and participating in the business of a general meeting shall be construed accordingly;
- (l) references to electronic facilities include, without limitation, online platform(s), website addresses, webinars, webcast, video or any form of conference call systems (telephone, video, web or otherwise); and
- (m) where a Member is a corporation, any reference in these Articles to a Member shall, where the context requires, refer to a duly authorised representative of such Member.
- 3. (2) Subject to the Law, the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association and, where applicable, the rules of any Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules and/or the rules of any competent regulatory authority, any power of the Company to purchase or otherwise acquire its own shares shall be exercisable by the Board in such manner, upon such terms and subject to such conditions as it thinks fit.

- 8. (2) Subject to the provisions of the Law, the rules of any Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules and the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and to any special rights conferred on the holders of any shares or attaching to any class of shares, shares may be issued on the terms that they may be, or at the option of the Company or the holder are, liable to be redeemed on such terms and in such manner, including out of capital, as the Board may deem fit.
- 10. Subject to the Law and without prejudice to Article 8, all or any of the special rights for the time being attached to the shares or any class of shares may, unless otherwise provided by the terms of issue of the shares of that class, from time to time (whether or not the Company is being wound up) be varied, modified or abrogated either with the consent in writing of the holders of not less than at least three-fourths in nominal value of the voting rights of the issued shares of that class or with the sanction approval of a special resolution passed by at least three-fourths of the voting rights of the holders of the shares of that class present and voting in person or by proxy at a separate general meeting of such the holders of the shares of that class. To every such separate general meeting all the provisions of these Articles relating to general meetings of the Company shall, mutatis mutandis, apply, but so that:
  - (a) the necessary quorum (other than at an adjourned meeting) shall be two persons (or in the case of a Member being a corporation, its duly authorised representative) holding or representing by proxy of not less than at least one-third in nominal value of the issued shares of that class and at any adjourned meeting of such holders, two holders present in person (or in the case of a Member being a corporation, its duly authorised representative) or by proxy (whatever the number of shares held by them) shall be a quorum; and
  - (b) every holder of shares of the that class shall be entitled to one vote for every such share held by him.
- 12. Subject to the Law, these Articles, any direction that may be given by the Company in (1) general meeting and, where applicable, the rules of any Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules and without prejudice to any special rights or restrictions for the time being attached to any shares or any class of shares, the unissued shares of the Company (whether forming part of the original or any increased capital) shall be at the disposal of the Board, which may offer, allot, grant options over or otherwise dispose of them to such persons, at such times and for such consideration and upon such terms and conditions as the Board may in its absolute discretion determine but so that no shares shall be issued at a discount. Neither the Company nor the Board shall be obliged, when making or granting any allotment of, offer of, option over or disposal of shares, to make, or make available, any such allotment, offer, option or shares to Members or others with registered addresses in any particular territory or territories being a territory or territories where, in the absence of a registration statement or other special formalities, this would or might, in the opinion of the Board, be unlawful or impracticable. Members affected as a result of the foregoing sentence shall not be, or be deemed to be, a separate class of members for any purpose whatsoever.

- 22. The Company shall have a first and paramount lien on every share (not being a fully paid share) for all moneys (whether presently payable or not) called or payable at a fixed time in respect of that share. The Company shall also have a first and paramount lien on every share (not being a fully paid share) registered in the name of a Member (whether or not jointly with other Members) for all amounts of money presently payable by such Member or his estate to the Company whether the same shall have been incurred before or after notice to the Company of any equitable or other interest of any person other than such member, and whether the period for the payment or discharge of the same shall have actually arrived or not, and notwithstanding that the same are joint debts or liabilities of such Member or his estate and any other person, whether a Member of the Company or not. The Company's lien on a share shall extend to all dividends or other moneys payable thereon or in respect thereof. The Board may at any time, generally or in any particular case, waive any lien that has arisen or declare any share exempt in whole or in part, from the provisions of this Article.
- 23. Subject to these Articles, the Company may sell in such manner as the Board determines any share on which the Company has a lien, but no sale shall be made unless some sum in respect of which the lien exists is presently payable, or the liability or engagement in respect of which such lien exists is liable to be presently fulfilled or discharged nor until the expiration of fourteen (14) clear days after a notice in writing, stating and demanding payment of the sum presently payable, or specifying the liability or engagement and demanding fulfilment or discharge thereof and giving notice of the intention to sell in default, has been served on the registered holder for the time being of the share or the person entitled thereto by reason of his death or bankruptcy.
- 38. A person whose shares have been forfeited shall cease to be a Member in respect of the forfeited shares but nevertheless shall remain liable to pay the Company all moneys which at the date of forfeiture were presently payable by him to the Company in respect of the shares, with (if the Directors shall in their discretion so require) interest thereon from the date of forfeiture until payment at such rate (not exceeding twenty per cent. (20%) per annum) as the Board determines. The Board may enforce payment thereof if it thinks fit, and without any deduction or allowance for the value of the forfeited shares, at the date of forfeiture, but his liability shall cease if and when the Company shall have received payment in full of all such moneys in respect of the shares. For the purposes of this Article any such—sum\_which, by the terms of issue of a share, is payable thereon at a fixed time which is subsequent to the date of forfeiture, whether on account of the nominal value of the share or by way of premium, shall notwithstanding that time has not yet arrived be deemed to be payable at the date of forfeiture, and the same shall become due and payable immediately upon the forfeiture, but interest thereon shall only be payable in respect of any period between the said fixed time and the date of actual payment.
- 44. The Register and branch register of Members maintained in Hong Kong, as the case may be, shall be open for to-inspection for at least two (2) hours on every during business day hours by Members without charge or by any other person, upon a maximum payment of \$2.50 or such lesser sum specified by the Board, at the Office or such other place in the Cayman Islands at which the Register is kept in accordance with the Law or, if appropriate, upon a maximum payment of HK\$1.00 or such lesser sum specified by the Board at the Registration Office. The Register including any overseas or local or other branch register of Members may, after notice has been

given by advertisement in an appointed newspaper or any other newspapers in accordance with the requirements of any Designated Stock Exchange or by any electronic means in such manner as may be accepted by the Designated Stock Exchange to that effect, be closed in accordance with the terms equivalent to section 632 of the Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622 of the Laws of Hong Kong as amended from time to time) at such times or for such periods not exceeding in the whole thirty (30) days in each year as the Board may determine and either generally or in respect of any class of shares.

- 51. The registration of transfers of shares or of any class of shares may, after notice has been given by announcement or by electronic communication or by advertisement in an appointed newspaper or any other newspapers or by any other means in accordance with the requirements of any Designated Stock Exchange to that effect be suspended at such times and for such periods (not exceeding in the whole thirty (30) days in any year) as the Board may determine. The period of thirty (30) days may be extended in respect of any year if approved by the Members by ordinary resolution.
- 55. (2) The Company shall have the power to sell, in such manner as the Board thinks fit, any shares of a Member who is untraceable, but no such sale shall be made unless:
  - (a) all cheques or warrants in respect of dividends of the shares in question, being not less than three (3) in total number, for any sum payable in cash to the holder of such shares in respect of them sent during the relevant period in the manner authorised by the Articles of the Company have remained uncashed;
  - (c) the Company, if so required by the rules governing the listing of shares on the Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules, has given notice to, and caused advertisement in newspapers in accordance with the requirements of, the Designated Stock Exchange to be made of its intention to sell such shares in the manner required by the Designated Stock Exchange, and a period of three (3) months or such shorter period as may be allowed by the Designated Stock Exchange has elapsed since the date of such advertisement.

For the purpose of the foregoing, the "relevant period" means the period commencing twelve (12) years before the date of publication of the advertisement referred to in paragraph (c) of this Article and ending at the expiry of the period referred to in that paragraph.

56. An annual general meeting of the Company shall be held in each <u>financial</u> year other than the year of the Company's incorporation (within a period of not more than fifteen (15) months after the holding of the last preceding annual general meeting or not more than eighteen (18) months after the date of incorporation, unless a longer period would not infringe the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange, if any) at such time and place as may be determined by the Board, and such annual general meeting shall be held within six (6) months after the end of the Company's financial year (unless a longer period would not infringe the Listing Rules, if any).

- 57. Each general meeting, other than an annual general meeting, shall be called an extraordinary general meeting. All gGeneral meetings may be held in any part of the world (including an annual general meeting or any adjourned meeting or any postponed meeting) may be held as a physical meeting in any part of the world and at one or more locations as provided in Article 64A, as a hybrid meeting or as an electronic meeting, as may be determined by the Board in its absolute discretion.
- 58. The Board may wherever whenever it thinks fit call extraordinary general meetings. Any one or more Members (including a recognised clearing house (or its nominees)) holding as at the date of deposit of the requisition not less than one-tenth of the voting rights at general meetings (on a one vote per share basis) in the share paid up capital of the Company carrying the right of voting at general meetings of the Company shall at all times have the right, by written requisition to the Board or the Secretary of the Company, to require an extraordinary general meeting to be called by the Board for the transaction of any business or resolution specified in such requisition and add resolutions to the meeting agenda; and such meeting shall be held within two (2) months after the deposit of such requisition. If within twenty-one (21) days of such deposit the Board fails to proceed to convene such meeting the requisitions(s) requisitionist(s) himself (themselves) may do so in the same manner convene a physical meeting at only one location which will be the Principal Meeting Place, and all reasonable expenses incurred by the requisitionist(s) as a result of the failure of the Board shall be reimbursed to the requisitionist(s) by the Company.
- 59. (1) An annual general meeting shall be called by not less than twenty-one (21) clear days' Notice and not less than twenty (20) clear business days' Notice. Any general meeting at which the passing of a special resolution is to be considered shall be called by not less than twenty-one (21) clear days' Notice and not less than ten (10) clear business days' Notice. All other-extraordinary general meetings may be called by not less than fourteen (14) clear days' Notice and not less than ten (10) clear business days' Notice but a A general meeting may be called by shorter notice, subject to the Law and if permitted by the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules, if and it is so agreed:
  - The nNotice shall specify (a) the time and place of the meeting and date of the meeting, (b) save for an electronic meeting, the place of the meeting and if there is more than one Meeting Location as determined by the Board pursuant to Article 64A, the principal place of the meeting (the "Principal Meeting Place"), (c) if the general meeting is to be a hybrid meeting or an electronic meeting, the Notice shall include a statement to that effect and with details of the electronic facilities for attendance and participation by electronic means at the meeting or where such details will be made available by the Company prior to the meeting, and (d) particulars of resolutions to be considered at the meeting and, in case of special business, the general nature of the business. The nNotice convening an annual general meeting shall specify the meeting as such. Notice of every general meeting shall be given to all Members other than to such Members—as\_who, under the provisions of these Articles or the terms of issue of the shares they hold, are not entitled to receive such nNotices from the Company, to all persons entitled to a share in consequence of the death or bankruptcy or winding-up of a Member and to each of the Directors and the Auditors.

- 60A. If, after the Notice of a general meeting has been sent but before the meeting is held, or after the adjournment of a general meeting but before the adjourned meeting is held (whether or not Notice of the adjourned meeting is required), the Board, in its absolute discretion, considers that it is impractical or unreasonable for any reason to hold a general meeting on the date or at the time and place specified in the Notice calling such meeting, it may change or postpone the meeting to another date, time and place in accordance with Article 60C.
- 60B. The Board shall also have the power to provide in every Notice calling a general meeting that in the event of a number 8 or higher typhoon signal, or a black rainstorm warning or other similar event (or the equivalent in the location of the relevant meeting) is in force at any time on the day of the general meeting (unless such warning has been cancelled at least a minimum period of time prior to the general meeting as the Board may specify in the relevant notice), the meeting shall be postponed without further notice to be reconvened on a later date in accordance with Article 60C.
- 60C. Where a general meeting is postponed in accordance with Article 60A or Article 60B:
  - the Company shall endeavour to cause a Notice of such postponement, which shall set out the reason for the postponement in accordance with the Listing Rules, to be placed on the Company's Website and published on the Designated Stock Exchange's website (if applicable) as soon as practicable, provided that failure to place or publish such Notice shall not affect the automatic postponement of a general meeting pursuant to Article 60B;
  - (b) when only the electronic facilities specified in the Notice are changed, the Board shall notify the Members of details of such change in such manner as the Board may determine;
  - when a meeting is postponed in accordance with this Article, subject to and without prejudice to Article 64, unless already specified in the original Notice of the meeting, the Board shall fix the date, time, place (if applicable) and electronic facilities (if applicable) for the postponed meeting and shall notify the Members of such details in such manner as the Board may determine; further all proxies shall be valid (unless revoked or replaced by a new proxy) if they are received as required by these Articles not less than forty-eight (48) hours before the time of the postponed meeting; and
  - (d) only the business set out in the Notice of the original meeting shall be transacted at the postponed meeting, and Notice given for the postponed meeting does not need to specify the business to be transacted at the postponed meeting, nor shall any accompanying documents be required to be recirculated. Where any new business is to be transacted at such postponed meeting, the Company shall give a fresh Notice for such postponed meeting in accordance with Article 59.

- 61. (1) All business shall be deemed special that is transacted at an extraordinary general meeting, and also all business that is transacted at an annual general meeting, with the exception of:
  - (f) the granting of any mandate or authority to the Directors to offer, allot, grant options over or otherwise dispose of the unissued shares in the capital of the Company representing not more than <u>twenty 20</u>-per cent. (20%) in nominal value of its existing issued share capital; and
  - (2) No business other than the appointment of a chairman of a meeting shall be transacted at any general meeting unless a quorum is present at the commencement of the business. Two (2) Members entitled to <u>vole\_vote\_and</u> present in person or by proxy or (in the case of a member being a corporation) by its duly authorised representative, for quorum purposes only, two persons appointed by the clearing house as authorised representative or proxy shall form a quorum for all purposes.
- 62. If within thirty (30) minutes (or such longer time not exceeding one (1) hour as the chairman of the meeting may determine to wait) after the time appointed for the meeting a quorum is not present, the meeting, if convened on the requisition of Members, shall be dissolved. In any other case it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and (where applicable) same place(s) or to such time and (where applicable) such place(s) and in such form and manner referred to in Article 57 as the chairman of the meeting (or in default,—as the Board) may absolutely determine. If at such adjourned meeting a quorum is not present within half an hour from the time appointed for holding the meeting, the meeting shall be dissolved.
- 63A. The chairman of a general meeting (be it a physical meeting, a hybrid meeting or an electronic meeting) may attend, preside as chairman at, and conduct proceedings of, such meeting by means of electronic facilities.
- 64. Subject to Article 64C, tThe chairman may, with the consent of any meeting at which a quorum is present (and shall if so directed by the meeting), adjourn the meeting from time to time (or indefinitely) and from place to place(s) and/or from one form to another (a physical meeting, a hybrid meeting or an electronic meeting) as the meeting shall determine, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business which might lawfully have been transacted at the meeting had the adjournment not taken place. When a meeting is adjourned for fourteen (14) days or more, at least seven (7) clear days' notice of the adjourned meeting shall be given specifying the time and place of the adjourned meeting details set out in Article 59(2) but it shall not be necessary to specify in such notice the nature of the business to be transacted at the adjourned meeting and the general nature of the business to be transacted. Save as aforesaid, it shall be unnecessary to give notice of an adjournment.
- 64A. (1) The Board may, at its absolute discretion, arrange for persons entitled to attend a general meeting to do so by simultaneous attendance and participation by means of electronic facilities at such location or locations ("Meeting Location(s)") determined by the Board at its absolute discretion. Any Member (in the case of a Member being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative) or any proxy attending and participating in such way or any

Member or proxy attending and participating in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities is deemed to be present at and shall be counted in the quorum of the meeting.

- (2) All general meetings are subject to the following and, where appropriate, all references to a "Member" or "Members" in this sub-paragraph (2) shall include a proxy or proxies respectively:
  - (a) where a Member is attending at a Meeting Location and/or in the case of a hybrid meeting, the meeting shall be treated as having commenced if it has commenced at the Principal Meeting Place;
  - (b) Members present in person (in the case of a Member being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative) or by proxy at a Meeting Location and/or Members attending and participating in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities shall be counted in the quorum for and entitled to vote at the meeting in question, and that meeting shall be duly constituted and its proceedings valid provided that the chairman of the meeting is satisfied that adequate electronic facilities are available throughout the meeting to ensure that Members at all Meeting Locations and Members participating in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities are able to participate in the business for which the meeting has been convened;
  - where Members attend a meeting by being present at one of the Meeting Locations and/or where Members participating in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities, a failure (for any reason) of the electronic facilities or communication equipment, or any other failure in the arrangements for enabling those in a Meeting Location other than the Principal Meeting Place to participate in the business for which the meeting has been convened or in the case of an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting, the inability of one or more Members or proxies to access, or continue to access, the electronic facilities despite adequate electronic facilities having been made available by the Company, shall not affect the validity of the meeting or the resolutions passed, or any business conducted there or any action taken pursuant to such business provided that there is a quorum present throughout the meeting; and
  - (d) if any of the Meeting Locations is not in the same jurisdiction as the Principal Meeting Place and/or in the case of a hybrid meeting, the provisions of these Articles concerning the service and giving of Notice for the meeting, and the time for lodging proxies, shall apply by reference to the Principal Meeting Place; and in the case of an electronic meeting, the time for lodging proxies shall be as stated in the Notice for the meeting.

The Board and, at any general meeting, the chairman of the meeting may from time to time make arrangements for managing attendance and/or participation and/or voting at the Principal Meeting Place, any Meeting Location(s) and/or participation in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting by means of electronic facilities (whether involving the issue of tickets or some other means of identification, passcode, seat reservation, electronic voting or otherwise) as it shall in its absolute discretion consider appropriate, and may from time to time change any such arrangements, provided that a Member who, pursuant to such arrangements, is not entitled to attend, in person (in the case of a Member being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative) or by proxy, at any Meeting Location shall be entitled so to attend at one of the other Meeting Locations; and the entitlement of any Member so to attend the meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting at such Meeting Location or Meeting Locations shall be subject to any such arrangement as may be for the time being in force and by the Notice of the meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting stated to apply to the meeting.

#### 64C. If it appears to the chairman of the general meeting that:

- (a) the electronic facilities at the Principal Meeting Place or at such other Meeting Location(s) at which the meeting may be attended have become inadequate for the purposes referred to in Article 64A(1) or are otherwise not sufficient to allow the meeting to be conducted substantially in accordance with the provisions set out in the Notice of the meeting; or
- (b) in the case of an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting, electronic facilities being made available by the Company have become inadequate; or
- (c) it is not possible to ascertain the view of those present or to give all persons entitled to do so a reasonable opportunity to communicate and/or vote at the meeting; or
- (d) there is violence or the threat of violence, unruly behaviour or other disruption occurring at the meeting or it is not possible to secure the proper and orderly conduct of the meeting;

then, without prejudice to any other power which the chairman of the meeting may have under these Articles or at common law, the chairman may, at his/her absolute discretion, without the consent of the meeting, and before or after the meeting has started and irrespective of whether a quorum is present, interrupt or adjourn the meeting (including adjournment for indefinite period). All business conducted at the meeting up to the time of such adjournment shall be valid.

64D. The Board and, at any general meeting, the chairman of the meeting may make any arrangement, determine and/or implement any requirements, procedures or measures which the Board or the chairman of the meeting, as the case may be, considers appropriate to ensure the security and facilitate the orderly and effective conduct of a meeting (including, without limitation, requirements for evidence of identity to be produced by those attending the meeting, determining the number and frequency of and the time allowed for questions that may be raised at a meeting). Members shall also comply with all requirements imposed by the owner of the premises at which the meeting is held. Any decision made under this Article shall be final and conclusive and a person who refuses to comply with any such arrangements or requirements may be refused entry to the meeting or ejected (physically or electronically) from the meeting.

- 64E. All persons seeking to attend and participate in an electronic meeting or a hybrid meeting shall be responsible for maintaining adequate facilities to enable them to do so. Subject to Article 64C, any inability of a person or persons to attend or participate in a general meeting by way of electronic facilities shall not invalidate the proceedings of and/or resolutions passed at that meeting.
- 64F. Without prejudice to other provisions in Article 64, a physical meeting may also be held by means of such telephone, electronic or other communication facilities as permit all persons participating in the meeting to communicate with each other simultaneously and instantaneously, and participation in such a meeting shall constitute presence in person at such meeting.
- 64G. Without prejudice to Articles 64A to 64F, and subject to the Statutes and the Listing Rules and any other applicable laws, the Board may resolve to enable persons entitled to attend an electronic meeting to do so by simultaneous attendance by means of electronic facilities with no Member necessarily in physical attendance and without any particular Meeting Location being designated. Each Member or (in the case of a Member being a corporation) its duly authorised representative or its proxy shall be counted in the quorum for, and entitled to vote at, the electronic meeting in question, and that general meeting shall be duly constituted and its proceedings valid if the chairman of the electronic meeting is satisfied that adequate facilities are available throughout the electronic meeting to ensure that Members attending the electronic meeting who are not present together at the same place may, by means of electronic facilities, attend and speak or communicate and vote at it.
- Subject to any special rights or restrictions as to voting for the time being attached to any 66. (1) shares by or in accordance with these Articles, at any general meeting on a poll every Member present in person or by proxy or, in the case of a Member being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative shall have one vote for every fully paid share of which he is the holder but so that no amount paid up or credited as paid up on a share in advance of calls or instalments is treated for the foregoing purposes as paid up on the share. A resolution put to the vote of a meeting shall be decided by way of a poll save that the chairman of the meeting may in good faith, allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter to be voted on by a show of hands in which case every Member present in person or by proxy(ies) shall have one vote provided that where more than one proxy is appointed by a Member which is a clearing house (or its nominee(s)), each such proxy shall have one vote on a show of hands. For purposes of this Article, procedural and administrative matters are those that (i) are not on the agenda of the general meeting or in any supplementary circular that may be issued by the Company to its Members; and (ii) relate to the chairman's duties to maintain the orderly conduct of the meeting and/or allow the business of the meeting to be properly and effectively dealt with, whilst allowing all Members a reasonable opportunity to express their views. Votes (whether on a show of hands or by way of poll) may be cast by such means, electronic or otherwise, as the Directors or the chairman of the meeting may determine.

- (2) In the case of a physical meeting where a show of hands is allowed, before or on the declaration of the result of the show of hands, a poll may be demanded:
  - (a) by at least three (3) Members present in person or by proxy for the time being entitled to vote at the meeting; or
  - (b) by a Member or Members present in person or by proxy and representing not less than one-tenth of the total voting rights of all Members having the right to vote at the meeting; or
  - (c) by a Member or Members present in person by proxy and holding shares in the Company conferring a right to vote at the meeting being shares on which an aggregate sum has been paid up equal to not less than one-tenth of the total sum paid up on all shares conferring that right.

A demand by a person as proxy for a Member shall be deemed to be the same as a demand by the Member.

- 67. At any general meeting, a resolution put to the vote at the meeting shall be decided on a poll. Where a resolution is voted on by a show of hands, a declaration by the chairman that a resolution has been carried, or carried unanimously, or by a particular majority, or not carried by a particular majority, or lost, and an entry to that effect made in the minute book of the Company, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts without proof of the number or proportion of the votes recorded for or against the resolution.
- 68. The result of the poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the meeting. The Company shall only be required to disclose the voting figures on a poll if such disclosure is required by the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules.
- 71. On a poll, voles way be given either personally or by proxy.
- 75. (1) A Member who is a patient for any purpose relating to mental health or in respect of whom an order has been made by any court having jurisdiction for the protection or management of the affairs of persons incapable of managing their own affairs may vote, by his receiver, committee, curator bonis or other person in the nature of a receiver, committee or curator bonis appointed by such court, and such receiver, committee, curator bonis or other person may vote on a poll by proxy, and may otherwise act and be treated as if he were the registered holder of such shares for the purposes of general meetings, provided that such evidence as the Board may require of the authority of the person claiming to vote shall have been deposited at the Office, head office or Registration Office, as appropriate, not less than forty-eight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting, or adjourned meeting, or postponed meeting, as the case may be.

- (2) Any person entitled under Article 53 to be registered as the holder of any shares may vote at any general meeting in respect thereof in the same manner as if he were the registered holder of such shares, provided that forty-eight (48) hours at least before the time of the holding of the meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting, as the case may be, at which he proposes to vote, he shall satisfy the Board of his entitlement to such shares, or the Board shall have previously admitted his right to vote at such meeting in respect thereof.
- 76. (1) No Member shall, unless the Board otherwise determines, be entitled to attend and vote and to be reckoned in a quorum at any general meeting unless he is duly registered arid\_and\_all calls or other sums presently payable by him in respect of shares in the Company have been paid.
  - (2) All Members (including a Member which is a clearing house (or its nominee(s))) shall have the right to (a) speak at a general meeting and (b) vote at a general meeting except where a Member is required by the Listing Rules to abstain from voting to approve the matter under consideration. Where any Member is, under the Listing Rules, required to abstain from voting on any particular resolution of the Company or restricted to voting only for or only against any particular resolution of the Company, any votes cast by or on behalf of such Member in contravention of such requirement or restriction shall not be counted.

#### 77. If:

- (a) any objection shall be raised to the qualification of any voter; or
- (b) any votes have been counted which ought not to have been counted or which might have been rejected; or
- (c) any votes are not counted which ought to have been counted;

the objection or error shall not vitiate the decision of the meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting on any resolution unless the same is raised or pointed out at the meeting or, as the case may be, the adjourned meeting or postponed meeting at which the vote objected to is given or tendered or at which the error occurs. Any objection or error shall be referred to the chairman of the meeting and shall only vitiate the decision of the meeting on any resolution if the chairman decides that the same may have affected the decision of the meeting. The decision of the chairman on such matters shall be final and conclusive.

78. Any Member (including a clearing house) entitled to attend and vote at a meeting of the Company shall be entitled to appoint another person (being a natural person) as his proxy or representative (if such Member is a corporation) to attend and vote instead of him. A Member which is a corporation may execute a form of proxy under the hand of a duly authorised officer. A Member who is the holder of two or more shares may appoint more than one proxy to represent him and vote on his behalf at a general meeting of the Company or at a class meeting. A proxy need not be a Member. In addition, a proxy or proxies representing either a Member who is an individual or a Member which is a corporation shell—shall be entitled to exercise the same powers on behalf of the

Member which he or they represent as such Member could exercise, as if it were a natural person shareholder present in person at any general meeting.

- 80. The Company may, at its absolute discretion, provide an electronic address for the receipt of (1) any document or information relating to proxies for a general meeting (including any instrument of proxy or invitation to appoint a proxy, any document necessary to show the validity of, or otherwise relating to, an appointment of proxy (whether or not required under these Articles) and notice of termination of the authority of a proxy). If such an electronic address is provided, the Company shall be deemed to have agreed that any such document or information (relating to proxies as aforesaid) may be sent by electronic means to that address, subject as hereafter provided and subject to any other limitations or conditions specified by the Company when providing the address. Without limitation to the aforesaid, the Company may from time to time determine that any such electronic address may be used generally for such matters or specifically for particular meetings or purposes and, if so, the Company may provide different electronic addresses for different purposes. The Company may also impose any conditions on the transmission of and its receipt of such electronic communications including, for the avoidance of doubt, imposing any security or encryption arrangements as may be specified by the Company. If any document or information required to be sent to the Company under this Article is sent to the Company by electronic means, such document or information is not treated as validly delivered to or deposited with the Company if the same is not received by the Company at its designated electronic address provided in accordance with this Article or if no electronic address is so designated by the Company for the receipt of such document or information.
  - The instrument appointing a proxy and (if required by the Board) the power of attorney or (2) other authority (if any) under which it is signed, or a certified copy of such power or authority, shall be delivered to such place or one of such places (if any) as may be specified for that purpose in or by way of note to or in any document accompanying the notice convening the meeting (or, if no place is so specified at the Registration Office or the Office, as may be appropriate), or if the Company has provided an electronic address in accordance with the preceding paragraph, shall be received at the electronic address specified, not less than forty-eight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting at which the person named in the instrument proposes to vote. No instrument appointing a proxy shall be valid after the expiration of twelve (12) months from the date named in it as the date of its execution, except at an adjourned meeting or postponed meeting in cases where the meeting was originally held within twelve (12) months from such date. Delivery of an instrument appointing a proxy shall not preclude a Member from attending and voting in person at the meeting convened and in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

- 81. Instrument of proxy shall be in any common form or in such other form as the Board may approve (provided that this shall not preclude the use of the two-way form) and the Board may, if it thinks fit, send out with the notice of any meeting forms of instrument of proxy for use at the meeting. The instrument of proxy shall be deemed to confer authority to vote on any amendment of a resolution put to the meeting for which it is given as the proxy thinks fit. The instrument of proxy shall, unless the contrary is stated therein, be valid as well for any adjournment or postponement of the meeting as for the meeting to which it relates.
- 82. A vote given in accordance with the terms of an instrument of proxy shall be valid notwithstanding the previous death or insanity of the principal, or revocation of the instrument of proxy or of the authority under which it was executed, provided that no intimation in writing of such death, insanity or revocation shall have been received by the Company at the Office or the Registration Office (or such other place as may be specified for the delivery of instruments of proxy in the notice convening the meeting or other document sent therewith) two (2) hours at least before the commencement of the meeting or adjourned meeting or postponed meeting, at which the instrument of proxy is used.
- 84. (1) Any corporation which is a Member may by resolution of its directors or other governing body authorise such person as it thinks fit to act as its representative to attend and vote at any meeting of the Company or at any meeting of any class of Members. The person so authorised shall be entitled to exercise the same powers on behalf of such corporation as the corporation could exercise as if it were an individual Member and such corporation shall for the purposes of these Articles be deemed to be present in person at any such meeting if a person so authorised is present thereat.
  - (2) If a clearing house (or its nominee(s)), being a corporation, is a Member, it may authorise such persons as it thinks fit to act as its proxies or corporate representatives, who enjoy rights equivalent to the rights of other Members, to attend at any meeting of the Company (including but not limited to general meetings and creditors meetings) or at any meeting of any class of Members provided that the authorisation shall specify the number and class of shares in respect of which each such representative is so authorised. Each person so authorised under the provisions of this Article shall be entitled to exercise the same rights and powers on behalf of the clearing house (or its nominee(s)) as if such person were the registered holder of the shares of the Company held by the clearing house (or its nominee(s)) in respect of the number and class of shares specified in the relevant authorisation, including, the right to speak and vote individually on a show of hands or on a poll.
- 86. (3) The Directors shall have the power from time to time and at any time to appoint any person as a Director either to fill a casual vacancy on the Board or as an addition to the existing Board. Any Director so appointed by the Board shall hold office only until the next following-first annual general meeting of the Company after his appointment and shall then be eligible for re-election.

- (5) Subject to any provision to the contrary in these Articles the Members may, at any general meeting convened and held in accordance with these Articles, by ordinary resolution remove a-any Director (including a managing director or other executive director) at any time before the expiration of his period-term of office notwithstanding anything in these Articles or in any agreement between the Company and such Director (but without prejudice to any claim for damages under any such agreement).
- (6) A vacancy on the Board created by the removal of a Director under the provisions of subparagraph (5) above may be filled by the election or appointment by ordinary resolution of the Members at the meeting at which such Director is removed.
- 89. (3) without special leave of absence from the Board, is absent from meetings of the Board for six (6) consecutive months, and his alternate Director, if any, shall not during such period have attended in his stead and the Board resolves that his office be vacated;—or
- 92. Any Director may at any time by Notice delivered to the Office or head office or at a meeting of the Directors appoint any person (including another Director) to be his alternate Director. Any person so appointed shall have all the rights and powers of the Director or Directors for whom such person is appointed in the alternative provided that such person shall not be counted more than once in determining whether or not a quorum is present. An alternate Director may be removed at any time by the body which appointed him and, subject thereto, the office of alternate Director shall continue until the happening of any event which, if we were a Director, would cause him to vacate such office or if his appointer appointer ceases for any reason to be a Director. Any appointment or removal of an alternate Director shall be effected by Notice signed by the appointer appointor and delivered to the Office or head office or tendered at a meeting of the Board. An alternate Director may also be a Director in his own right and may act as alternate to more than one Director. An alternate Director shall, if his appointer appointor so requests, be entitled to receive notices of meetings of the Board or of committees of the Board to the same extent as, but in lieu of, the Director appointing him and shall be entitled to such extent to attend and vote as a Director at any such meeting at which the Director appointing him is not personally present and generally at such meeting to exercise and discharge all the functions, powers and duties of his appointor as a Director and for the purposes of the proceedings at such meeting the provisions of these Articles shall apply as if he were a Director save that as an alternate for more than one Director his voting rights shall be cumulative.
- 101. Subject to the Law and to these Articles, no Director or proposed or intending Director shall be disqualified by his office from contracting with the Company, either with regard to his tenure of any office or place of profit or as vendor, purchaser or in any other manner whatever, nor shall any such contract or any other contract or arrangement in which any Director is in any way interested be liable to be avoided, nor shall any Director so contracting or being so interested be liable to account to the Company or the Members for any remuneration, profit or other benefits realised by any such contract or arrangement by reason of such Director holding that office or of the fiduciary relationship thereby established provided that such Director shall disclose the nature of his interest in any contract or arrangement in which he is interested in accordance with Article 102 herein.

- 103. (1) A Director shall not vote (nor be counted in the quorum) on any resolution of the Board in respect of any contract or arrangement or any other proposal in which he <u>or any of his close associate(s)</u> is/are materially interested, but this prohibition shall not apply to any of the following matters namely:
  - (i) any contract or arrangement for the giving to such Director or his close associate(s) any security or indemnity in respect of money lent by him or obligations incurred or undertaken by him or any of them at the request of or for the benefit of the Company or any of its subsidiaries;
  - (ii) any contract or arrangement for the giving of any security or indemnity to a third party in respect of a debt or obligation of the Company or any of its subsidiaries for which the Director or his close associate(s) has himself/themselves assumed responsibility in whole or in part whether alone or jointly under a guarantee or indemnity or by the giving of security;
  - (iii) any contract or arrangement proposal concerning an offer of shares or debentures or other securities of or by the Company or any other company which the Company may promote or be interested in for subscription or purchase, where the Director or his close associate(s) is/are or is/are to be interested as a participant in the underwriting or sub-underwriting of the offer;
  - (iv) any contract or arrangement in which he is interested in the same manner as other holders of shares or debentures or other securities of the Company or any of its subsidiaries by virtue only of his interest in shares or debentures or other securities of the Company;
  - (v) any contract or arrangement concerning any other company in which he is interested only, whether directly or indirectly, as an officer or executive or a shareholder other than a company in which the Director together with any of his associates (as defined by the rules, where applicable, of the Designated Stock Exchange) is beneficially interested in five (5) per cent. or more of the issued shares or of the voting rights of any class of shares of such company (or any third company through which his interest is derived); or
  - (vi)(iv) any proposal or arrangement concerning the benefit of employees of the Company or its subsidiaries including:
    - (a) the adoption, modification or operation of any employees' share scheme or any a-share incentive or share option scheme under which the Director or his close associate(s) may benefit; or,

- (b) the adoption, modification or operation of a pension fund or retirement, death or disability benefits scheme or other arrangement which relates both to directors—the Director, his close associate(s) and employee(s) of the Company or of any of its subsidiaries and does not provide in respect of any Director, or his close associate(s), as such any privilege or advantage not generally accorded to the employees—class of persons to which such scheme or fund relates—;
- (v) any contract or arrangement in which the Director or his close associate(s) is/are interested in the same manner as other holders of shares or debentures or other securities of the Company by virtue only of his/their interest in shares or debentures or other securities of the Company; or
- (vi) any matter to the extent that any waiver of any Listing Rules has been granted by the Designated Stock Exchange to the Company, which would permit the Director to vote on the matter.
- (2) A company shall be deemed to be a company in which a Director owns five (5) per cent. or more if and so long as (but only if and so long as) he and his associates (as defined by the rules, where applicable, of the Designated Stock Exchange), (either directly or indirectly) are the holders of or beneficially interested in five (5) per cent. or more of any class of the equity share capital of such company or of the voting rights available to members of such company (or of any third company through which his interest is derived). For the purpose of this paragraph there shall be disregarded any shares held by a Director as bare or custodian trustee and in which he has no beneficial interest, any shares comprised in a trust in which the Director's interest is in reversion or remainder if and so long as some other person is entitled to receive the income thereof, and any shares comprised in an authorised unit trust scheme in which the Director is interested only as a unit holder and any shares which carry no voting right at general meetings and very restrictive dividend and return of capital right. Intentionally deleted
- (3) Where a company in which a Director together with his associates (as defined by the rules, where applicable, of the Designated Stock Exchange) holds five (5) per cent. or more is materially interested in a transaction, then that Director shall also be deemed materially interested in such transaction. Intentionally deleted
- 104. (2) Any person contracting or dealing with the Company in the ordinary course of business shall be entitled to rely on any written or oral contract or agreement or deed, document or instrument entered into or executed as the case may be by any two (2) of the Directors acting jointly on behalf of the Company and the same shall be deemed to be validly entered into or executed by the Company as the case may be and shall, subject to any rule of law, be binding on the Company.

- (4) Except as would, if the Company were a company incorporated in Hong Kong, be permitted by Sections 157H 500 to 503 of the Companies Ordinance (Chapter 32–622 of the Laws of Hong Kong) as in force at the date of adoption of these Articles, and except as permitted under the Law, the Company shall not directly or indirectly:
  - (i) make a loan to a Director or a director of any holding company of the Company or to any of their respective <u>close</u> associate(s) (as defined by the rules, where applicable, of the Designated Stock Exchange);
  - (iii) if any one or more of the Directors hold (jointly or severally or indirectly or indirectly) a controlling interest in another company, make a loan to that other company or enter into any guarantee or provide any security in connection with a loan made by any person to that other company.
- Directors may participate in any meeting of the Board by means of a conference telephone, electronic or other communications equipment through which all persons participating in the meeting can communicate with each other simultaneously and instantaneously and, for the purpose of counting a quorum, such participation shall constitute presence at a meeting as if those participating were present in person.
- 121. The meetings and proceedings of any committee consisting of two (2) or more members shall be governed by the provisions contained in these Articles for regulating the meetings and proceedings of the Board so far as the same are applicable and are not superseded by any regulations imposed by the Board under the last preceding Article.
- 133. (1) The Company shall have one (1) or more Seals, as the Board may determine. For the purpose of sealing documents creating or evidencing securities issued by the Company, the Company may have a securities seal which is a facsimile of the Seal of the Company with the addition of the word "Securities" on its face or in such other form as the Board may approve. The Board shall provide for the custody of each Seal and no Seal shall be used without the authority of the Board or of a committee of the Board authorised by the Board in on that behalf. Subject as otherwise provided in these Articles, any instrument to which a Seal is affixed shall be signed autographically by one (1) Director and the Secretary or by two (2) Directors or by such other person (including a Director) or persons as the Board may appoint, either generally or in any particular case, such-save that as regards any certificates for shares or debentures or other securities of the Company the Board may by resolution determine that such signatures or either of them shall be dispensed with or affixed by some method or system of mechanical signature. Every instrument executed in manner provided by this Article shall be deemed to be sealed and executed with the authority of the Board previously given.
- 134. Any Director or the Secretary or any person appointed by the Board for the purpose may authenticate any documents affecting the constitution of the Company and any resolution passed by the Company or the Board or any committee, and any books, records, documents and accounts relating to the business of the Company, and to certify copies thereof or extracts therefrom as the

<u>true</u> copies or extracts, and if any books, records, documents or accounts are elsewhere than at the Office or the head office the local manager or other officer of the Company having the custody thereof shall be deemed to be a person so appointed by the Board. A document purporting to be a copy of a resolution, or an extract from the minutes of a meeting, of the Company or of the Board or any committee which is so certified shall be conclusive evidence in favour of all persons dealing with the Company upon the faith thereof that such resolution has been duly passed or, as the case may be, that such minutes or extract is a true and accurate record of proceedings at a duly constituted meeting.

- 137. Dividends may be declared and paid out of the profits of the Company, realised or unrealised, or from any reserve set aside from profits which the Directors determine is no longer needed, w. With the sanction of an ordinary resolution dividends may also be declared and paid out of share premium account or any other fund or account which eall can be authorised for this purpose in accordance with the Law.
- 139. The Board may from time to time pay to the Members such interim dividends as appear to the Board to be justified by the profits of the Company and in particular (but without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing) if at any time the share capital of the Company is divided into different classes, the Board may pay such interim dividends in respect of those shares in the capital of the Company which confer on the holders thereof deferred or non-preferential rights as well as in respect of those shares which confer on the holders thereof preferential rights with regard to dividend and provided that the Board acts bona fide the Board shall not incur any responsibility to the holders of shares conferring any preference for any damage that they may suffer by reason of the payment of an interim dividend on any shares having deferred or non-preferential rights and may also pay any fixed dividend which is payable on any shares of the Company half-yearly or all on any other dates, whenever such profits, in the opinion of the Board, justifies such payment.
- 142. Any dividend, interest or other sum payable in cash to the holder of shares may be paid by cheque or warrant sent through the post addressed to the holder at his registered address or, in the case of joint holders, addressed to the holder whose name stands first in the Register in respect of the shares at his address as appearing in the Register or addressed to such person and at such address as the holder or joint holders may in writing direct. Every such cheque or warrant shall, unless the holder or joint holders otherwise direct, be made payable to the order of the order-holder or, in the case of joint holders, to the order of the holder whose name stands first on the Register in respect of such shares, and shall be sent at his or their risk and payment of the cheque or warrant by the bank on which it is drawn shall constitute a good discharge to the Company notwithstanding that it may subsequently appear that the same has been stolen or that any endorsement thereon has been forged. Any one of two or more joint holders may give effectual receipts for any dividends or other moneys payable or property distributable in respect of the shares order-held by such joint holders.
- 144. Whenever the Board or the Company in general meeting has resolved that a dividend be paid or declared, the Board may further resolve that such dividend be satisfied wholly or in part by the distribution of specific assets of any kind and in particular of paid up shares, debentures or warrants to subscribe securities of the Company or any other company, or in any one or more of such ways, and where any difficulty arises in regard to the distribution the Board may settle the same as it thinks expedient, and in particular may issue certificates in respect of fractions of

shares, disregard fractional entitlements or round the same up or down, and may fix the value for distribution of such specific assets, or any part thereof, and may determine that cash payments shall be made to any Members upon the footing of the value so fixed in order to adjust the rights of all parties, and may vest any such specific assets in trustees as may seem expedient to the Board and may appoint any person to sign any requisite instruments of transfer and other documents on behalf of the persons entitled to the dividend, and such appointment shall be effective and binding on the Members. The Board may resolve that no such assets shall he-be made available to Members with registered addresses in any particular territory or territories where, in the absence of a registration statement or other special formalities, such distribution of assets would or might, in the opinion of the Board, be unlawful or impracticable and in such event the only entitlement of the Members aforesaid shall be to receive cash payments as aforesaid. Members affected as a result of the foregoing sentence shall not be or be deemed to be a separate class of Members for any purpose whatsoever.

- 145. (1) the Board, after determining the basis of allotment, shall give not loss-less than (a) (ii) two (2) weeks' Notice to the holders of the relevant shares of the right of election accorded to them and shall send with such notice forms of election and specify the procedure to be followed and the place at which and the latest date and time by which duly completed forms of election must be lodged in order to be effective;
  - The shares allotted pursuant to the provisions of paragraph (1) of this Article shall (2) (a) rank pari passu in all respects with shares of the same class (if any) then in issue save only as regards participation in the relevant dividend or in any other distributions, bonuses or rights paid, made, declared or announced prior to or contemporaneously with the payment or declaration of the relevant dividend unless, contemporaneously with the announcement by the Board of their proposal to apply the provisions of sub-paragraph (a) or (b) of paragraph (21) of this Article in relation to the relevant dividend or contemporaneously with their announcement of the distribution, bonus or rights in question, the Board shall specify that the shares to be allotted pursuant to the provisions of paragraph (1) of this Article shall rank for participation in such distribution, bonus or rights.
    - (b) The Board may do all acts and things considered necessary or expedient to give effect to any capitalisation pursuant to the provisions of paragraph (1) of this Article, with full power to the Board to make such provisions as it thinks fit in the case of shares becoming distributable in fractions (including provisions whereby, in whole or in part, fractional entitlements are aggregated and sold and the net proceeds distributed to those entitled, or are disregarded or rounded up or down or whereby the benefit of fractional entitlements accrues to the Company rather than to the Members concerned). The Board may authorise any person to enter into on behalf of all Members interested, an agreement with the Company providing for such capitalisation and matters incidental thereto and any agreement made pursuant to such authority shall be effective and binding on all concerned.

- (3) The Company may upon the recommendation of the Board by ordinary resolution resolve in respect of any one particular dividend of the Company that notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (1) of this Article a dividend may be satisfied wholly in the form of all—an allotment of shares credited as fully paid up without offering any right to shareholders to elect to receive such dividend in cash in lieu of such allotment.
- 146. (1) The Board shall establish an accounts—to be called the share premium account and shall carry to the credit of such account from time to time a sum equal to the amount or value of the premium paid on the issue of any share in the Company. The Company may apply the share premium account in any manner permitted by the Law. The Company shall at all times comply with the provisions of the Law in relation to the share premium account.
- 147. The Company may, upon the recommendation of the Board, at any time and from time to time pass an ordinary resolution to the effect that it is desirable to capitalise all or any part of any amount for the time being standing to the credit of any reserve or fund (including a share premium account and capital redemption reserve and the profit and loss account) whether or not the same is available for distribution and accordingly that such amount be set free for distribution among the Members or any class of Members who would be entitled thereto if it were distributed by way of dividend and in the same proportions, on the footing that the same is not paid in cash but is applied either in or towards paying up the amounts for the time being unpaid on any shares in the Company held by such Members respectively or in paying up in full unissued shares, debentures or other obligations of the Company, to be allotted and distributed credited as fully paid up among such Members, or partly in one way and partly in the other, and the Board shall give affect effect to such resolution provided that, for the purposes of this Article, a share premium account and any capital redemption reserve or fund representing unrealised profits, may be applied only in paying up in full unissued shares of the Company to be allotted to such Members credited as fully paid.
- 149. (1) If, so long as any of the rights attached to any warrants issued by the Company to subscribe for shares of the Company shall remain exercisable, the Company does any act or engages in any transaction which, as a result of any adjustments to the subscription price in accordance with the provisions of the conditions of the warrants, would reduce the subscription price to below the par value of a share, then the following provisions shall apply:
  - (c) upon the exercise of all or any of the subscription rights represented by any warrant, the relevant subscription rights shall be exercisable in respect of a nominal amount of shares equal to the amount in cash which the holder of such warrant is required to pay on exercise of the subscription rights represented thereby (or, as the case may be the relevant portion thereof in the event of a partial exercise of the substitution subscription rights) and, in addition, there shall be allotted in respect of such subscription rights to the exercising warrantholder, credited as fully paid, such additional nominal amount of shares as is equal to the difference between:
  - (d) if, upon the exercise of the subscription rights represented by any warrant, the amount standing to the credit of the Subscription Rights Reserve is not sufficient to pay up in full such additional nominal amount of shares equal to such difference as aforesaid to which the exercising warrantholder is entitled, the Board shall apply any profits or reserves then or thereafter becoming available (including, to the extent permitted by

law, share premium account) for such purpose until such additional nominal amount of shares is paid up and allotted as aforesaid and until then no dividend or other distribution shall be paid or made on the fully paid shares of the Company then in issue. Pending such payment and allotment, the exercising warrantholder shall he—be issued by the Company with a certificate evidencing his right to the allotment of such additional nominal amount of shares. The rights represented by any such certificate shall be in registered form and shall be transferable in whole or in part in units of one share in the like manner as the shares for the time being are transferable, and the Company shall make such arrangements in relation to the maintenance of a register therefor and other matters in relation thereto as the Board may think fit and adequate particulars thereof shall be made known to each relevant exercising warrantholder upon the issue of such certificate.

- (4) A certificate or report by the auditors for the time being of the Company as to whether or not the Subscription Rights Reserve is required to be established and maintained and if so the amount thereof so required to be established and maintained, as to the purposes for which the Subscription Rights Reserve has been used, as to the extent to which it has been used to make good losses of the Company, as to the additional nominal amount or of shares required to be allotted to exercising warrantholders credited as fully paid, and as to any other matter concerning the Subscription Rights Reserve shall (in the absence of manifest error) be conclusive and binding upon the Company and all warrantholders and shareholders.
- 152. Subject to Article 153, a printed copy of the Directors' report, accompanied by the balance sheet and profit and loss account, including every document required by law to be annexed thereto, made up to the end of the applicable financial year and containing a summary of the assets and liabilities of the Company under convenient heads and a statement of income and expenditure, together with a copy of the Auditors' report, shall be sent to each person entitled thereto at least twenty-one (21) days before the date of the general meeting and laid before the Company at the annual general meeting held in accordance will-with Article 56 provided that this Article shall not require a copy of those documents to be sent to any person whose address the Company is not aware or to more than one of the joint holders of any shares or debentures.
- 153. Subject to due compliance with all applicable Statutes, rules and regulations, including, without limitation, the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules, and to obtaining all necessary consents, if any, required thereunder, the requirements of Article 152 shall be deemed satisfied in relation to any person by sending to the person in any manner not prohibited by the Statutes, a summary financial statement derived from the Company's annual accounts and the directors' report which shall be in the form and containing the information required by applicable laws and regulations, provided that any person who is otherwise entitled to the annual financial statements of the Company and the directors' report thereon may, if he so requires by notice in writing served on the Company, demand that the Company sends to him, in addition to a summary financial statement, a complete printed copy of the Company's annual financial statement and the directors' report thereon.

- 154. The requirement to send to a person referred to in Article 152 the documents referred to in that article or a summary financial report in accordance with Article 153 shall be deemed satisfied where, in accordance with all applicable Statutes, rules and regulations, including, without limitation, the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules, the Company publishes copies of the documents referred to in Article 152 and, if applicable, a summary financial report complying with Article 153, on the Company's computer network or in any ether other permitted manner (including by sending any form of electronic communication), and that person has agreed or is deemed to have agreed to treat the publication or receipt of such documents in such manner as discharging the Company's obligation to send to him a copy of such documents.
- 155. (1) Subject to Article 158, at the annual general meeting all auditors appointed to fill causal vacancy shall be appointed by the Board pursuant to Article 158 in each year, the Members shall at the general meeting of the Company by ordinary resolution appoint an auditor to audit the accounts of the Company and such auditor shall hold office until the Members appoint another auditor. Such auditor may be a Member but no Director or officer or employee of the Company shall, during his continuance in office, be eligible to act as an auditor of the Company.
  - (3) The Members may, at any general meeting convened and held in accordance with these Articles, by special ordinary resolution remove the Auditor at any time before the expiration of his term of office and shall by ordinary resolution at that meeting appoint another Auditor in his stead for the remainder of his term.
- 157. The remuneration of the Auditor shall be fixed by the Members Company in general meeting by ordinary resolution, by other body that is independent of the Board, or, unless prohibited by the Listing Rules, or in the such manner specified in as the Members' resolution, may determine provided that the remuneration of the Auditor appointed pursuant to Article 158 shall be determined by the Board and in such manner as the Board may determine.
- 158. If the office of auditor becomes vacant by the resignation or death of the Auditor, or by his becoming incapable of acting by reason of illness or other disability at a time when his services are required, subject to compliance with the Listing Rules, the Board shall appoint a new auditor to fill the vacancy until the next annual general meeting of the Company and fix the remuneration of the auditor so appointed.
- 161. Any Notice or document (including any "corporate communication" within the meaning ascribed thereto under the rules of the Designated Stock Exchange Listing Rules), whether or not, to be given or issued under these Articles from the Company to a Member shall be in writing or by cable, telex or facsimile transmission message or other form of electronic transmission or communication and any such Notice and document may be served or delivered by the Company on or to any Member either personally or by sending it through the post in a prepaid envelope addressed to such Member at his registered address as appearing in the Register or at any other address (including an electronic address) supplied by him to the Company for the purpose or, as the case may be, by transmitting it to any such address or transmitting it to any telex or facsimile transmission number or electronic number or address or website supplied by him to the Company for the giving of Notice to him or which the person transmitting the notice reasonably and bona

fide believes at the relevant time will result in the Notice being duly received by the Member or may also be served by advertisement in appropriate newspapers in accordance with the requirements of the Designated Stock Exchange or, to the extent permitted by the applicable laws, by placing it on the Company's <u>W</u>website and giving to the member a notice stating that the notice or other document is available there (a "notice of availability"). The notice <u>of</u> availability may be given to the Member by any of the means set out above. In the case of joint holders of a share all notices shall be given to that one of the joint holders whose name stands first in the Register and notice so given shall be deemed a sufficient service on or delivery to all the joint holders.

- 165. (1) <u>Subject to Article 165(2)</u>, <u>Tthe Board shall have power in the name and on behalf of the Company to present a petition to the court for the Company to be wound up.</u>
- Subject to any special rights, privileges or restrictions as to the distribution of available surplus assets on liquidation for the time being attached to any class or classes of shares (i) (if the Company shall be wound up and the assets available for distribution amongst the Members of the Company shall be more than sufficient to repay the whole of the capital paid up at the commencement of the winding up, the excess shall be distributed pari passu amongst such members in proportion to the amount paid up on the shares held by them respectively and (ii) if the Company shall be wound up and the assets available for distribution amongst the Members as such shall be insufficient to repay the whole of the paid-up capital such assets shall be distributed so that, as nearly as may be, the losses shall be borne by the Members in proportion to the capital paid up, or which ought to have been paid up, at the commencement of the winding up on the shares held by them respectively.
  - (2) If the Company shall be wound up (whether the liquidation is voluntary or by the court) the liquidator may, with the authority of a special resolution and any other sanction required by the Law, divide among the Members in specie or kind the whole or any part of the assets of the Company and whether or not the assets shall consist of properties of one kind or shall consist of properties to be divided as aforesaid of different kinds, and may for such purpose set such value as he deems fair upon any one or more class or classes of property and may determine how such division shall be carried out as between the Members or different classes of Members. The liquidator may, with the like authority, vest any part of the assets in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the Members as the liquidator with the like authority shall think fit, and the liquidation of the Company may be closed and the Company dissolved, but so that no contributory shall be compelled to accept any shares or other property property in respect of which there is a liability.

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### FINANCIAL YEAR

170. Unless otherwise determined by the Directors, the financial year of the Company shall end on 30 June each year and shall begin on 1 July each year.



### BIRMINGHAM SPORTS HOLDINGS LIMITED

### 伯明翰體育控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 2309)

#### NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an annual general meeting of Birmingham Sports Holdings Limited (the "Company") will be held at Theatre R1, 10/F, United Centre, 95 Queensway, Admiralty, Hong Kong on Friday, 30 December 2022 at 4:00 p.m. (the "AGM") for the following purposes:

#### ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company and the reports of the directors and of the independent auditor for the year ended 30 June 2022.
- 2. To re-elect the directors of the Company (the "Directors"):
  - (i) To re-elect Mr. Huang Dongfeng as an Executive Director.
  - (ii) To re-elect Ms. Leung Pik Har, Christine as an Independent Non-executive Director.
  - (iii) To re-elect Mr. Yeung Chi Tat as an Independent Non-executive Director.
- 3. To authorise the board of Directors (the "Board") to fix the remuneration of the Directors.
- 4. To re-appoint ZHONGHUI ANDA CPA Limited as auditor of the Company and to authorise the Board to fix its remuneration.
- 5. To consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

#### "THAT:

(a) subject to paragraph (c) of this resolution, pursuant to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities (the "Listing Rules") on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange"), the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the share capital of the Company (the "Shares") and to

make or grant offers, agreements and options (including bonds, warrants, debentures, notes and other securities which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into Shares) which would or might require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) to make or grant offers, agreements or options (including bonds, warrants, debentures, notes and other securities which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into Shares) which would or might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the total number of Shares allotted and issued or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted and issued (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution, otherwise than pursuant to:
  - (i) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined);
  - (ii) the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under terms of any existing warrants, bonds, debentures, notes or other securities issued by the Company which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into Shares;
  - (iii) an exercise of the subscription rights under any option scheme or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the grant or issue to officers and/or employees and/or consultants and/or advisers of the Company and/or any of its subsidiaries or such other persons eligible to participate in any such scheme(s) or arrangement of Shares or rights to acquire Shares; or
  - (iv) any scrip dividend scheme or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of Shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on the Shares in accordance with the articles of association of the Company (the "Articles of Association") from time to time.

shall not exceed 20% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing of this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and

(d) for the purpose of this resolution,

"Relevant Period" means the period from the date of the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Articles of Association or any applicable law of the Cayman Islands to be held; or

(iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given to the Directors under this resolution by an ordinary resolution passed by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting.

"Rights Issue" means an offer of Shares, or issue of options, warrants or other securities giving rights to subscribe for Shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of Shares or any class of Shares on the register of members on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such Shares or any class of Shares (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the Directors may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements, or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of any relevant jurisdiction, or the requirements of any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange in any territory applicable to the Company)."

6. To consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

#### "THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (b) of this resolution, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to repurchase its shares, subject to and in accordance with the applicable laws, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the total number of Shares which the Company is authorised to repurchase pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) shall not exceed 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of the passing of this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (c) for the purpose of this resolution, "Relevant Period" means the period from the date of the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:
  - (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
  - (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Articles of Association or any applicable law of the Cayman Islands to be held; or
  - (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given to the Directors under this resolution by an ordinary resolution passed by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting."

7. To consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

#### "THAT:

conditional upon the passing of the resolutions numbered 5 and 6 as set out in the notice convening this meeting (the "Notice"), the general mandate granted to the Directors to allot, issue and deal with additional Shares pursuant to the said resolution numbered 5 as set out in the Notice be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto of such number of Shares repurchased by the Company under the authority granted to the Directors pursuant to the resolution numbered 6 as set out in the Notice, provided that such number of Shares so repurchased shall not exceed 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of the said resolution."

#### SPECIAL RESOLUTION

8. To consider, and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification the following resolution as a special resolution:

#### "THAT:

the amendments to the existing memorandum and articles of association of the Company (the "Memorandum and Articles of Association") set out in Appendix III to the circular of the Company dated 29 November 2022 of which this notice forms part be and are hereby approved and the new amended and restated Memorandum and Articles of Association which consolidate all the aforesaid amendments (in the form produced to the Meeting and marked "A" and signed by the chairperson of the Meeting for the purpose of identification) be and are hereby adopted in substitution for and to the exclusion of the existing Memorandum and Articles of Association with immediate effect."

By Order of the Board

Birmingham Sports Holdings Limited

Zhao Wenqing

Chairman

Hong Kong, 29 November 2022

Notes:

- (1) In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the AGM, all unregistered holders of the shares of the Company shall ensure that all transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, 21 December 2022. Shareholders of the Company whose names are recorded in the register of members of the Company on Wednesday, 21 December 2022 are entitled to attend and vote at the AGM.
- (2) Any shareholder of the Company entitled to attend and vote at a meeting is entitled to appoint another person as his/her/its proxy to attend and vote instead of him/her/it. A shareholder who is the holder of two or more Shares may appoint more than one proxy to represent him/her/it and vote on his/her/its behalf at a general meeting of the Company or at class meeting. A proxy needs not be a shareholder of the Company.

- (3) Where there are joint registered holders of any Share, any one of such joint holders may vote at the AGM, either personally or by proxy, in respect of such Share as if he/she/it were solely entitled thereto; but if more than one of such joint holders be present at the AGM, the vote of the senior who tenders a vote, whether in person or by proxy, shall be accepted to the exclusion of the votes of the other joint holders, and for this purpose seniority shall be determined by the order in which the names stand in the register of members in respect of the joint holding.
- (4) The form of proxy and the power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy of such power of attorney or authority must be lodged at the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM (or any adjournment thereof), and in default the form of proxy shall not be treated as valid. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude members from attending and voting in person at the AGM (or any adjournment thereof) should they so wish and, in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.
- (5) All resolutions set out in this notice will be decided by poll at the AGM.
- (6) In the event of any inconsistency, the English text of this notice shall prevail over the Chinese text.
- (7) In line with the prevailing practices and guidelines on the prevention of coronavirus ("COVID-19"), depending on the development of COVID-19, special precautionary measures will be implemented by the Company at the AGM, which may include without limitation the following:
  - (i) compulsory body temperature screening;
  - (ii) mandatory use of self-prepared surgical face masks at all times during the attendance of the AGM;
  - (iii) no refreshments or corporate gifts will be provided to the attendees; and
  - (iv) other practical precautions which may include maintaining appropriate distancing and spacing at the venue, limiting the number of attendees at the AGM as may be necessary to avoid over-crowding.

Please be advised that anyone who has any flu-like symptoms or is subject to the mandatory quarantine order imposed by the Hong Kong Government will not be permitted to attend the AGM. Should any attendee refuse to comply with any of the abovementioned measures, the Company reserves the right to deny access of such attendee to the meeting venue.

In light of the present risks posed by the COVID-19 pandemic, and if such risks continue at the time of the AGM, the Company strongly encourages the shareholders of the Company to exercise their right to appoint the chairperson of the AGM as their proxy to vote according to their indicated voting instructions as an alternative to attending the AGM in person. Subject to the development of COVID-19, the Company may implement further changes and precautionary measures as appropriate.

(8) As at the date of this notice, the Board comprises eight Directors, namely Mr. Zhao Wenqing (*Chairman*), Mr. Huang Dongfeng (*Chief Executive Officer*), Mr. Yiu Chun Kong and Dr. Guo Honglin as Executive Directors; Mr. Sue Ka Lok as Non-executive Director; and Mr. Pun Chi Ping, Ms. Leung Pik Har, Christine and Mr. Yeung Chi Tat as Independent Non-executive Directors.