■ OPES ASIA DEVELOPMENT LIMITED 華保亞洲發展有限公司*

(Continued into Bermuda with limited liability) (Stock Code: 810)

UNUSUAL PRICE AND VOLUME MOVEMENTS

This statement is made at the request of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange").

The board of directors (the "**Board**") of Opes Asia Development Limited (the "**Company**") has noted the increase in the trading price and trading volume of the shares of the Company today and wishes to state that it is not aware of any reason for such increase.

The Board confirms that there are no negotiations or agreements relating to intended acquisitions or realisations which are discloseable under Rule 13.23 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (the "Listing Rules"), neither is the Board aware of any matter discloseable under the general obligation imposed by Rule 13.09 of the Listing Rules, which is or may be of a price sensitive nature.

Made by the order of the Board of the Company, the directors of which individually and jointly accept responsibility for the accuracy of this statement.

By Order of the Board Opes Asia Development Limited Chu Wai Lim Executive Director

Hong Kong, 17 October 2007

As at the date of this announcement, the executive directors of the Company are Mr. Li Ji Ning, Mr. Chu Wai Lim, Mr. Lau Shun Chi, Benjamin and Ms. Fong Son Wa; the independent non-executive directors of the Company are Ms. Yin Ling, Mr. Shiu Kwok Keung and Mr. Chen Man Lung.

* For identification purpose only