

# BINGO GROUP HOLDINGS LIMITED

# 比高集團控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 8220)

# THIRD QUARTERLY RESULTS ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

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The board of Directors (the "Board") of the Company presents the unaudited consolidated results of the Group for the three months and nine months ended 31 December 2019, together with the unaudited comparative figures for the corresponding period in 2018 were as follows:

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS

		Three months ended 31 December		Nine months ended 31 December	
	Notes	2019 <i>HK\$</i> '000 (Unaudited)	2018 <i>HK</i> \$'000 (Unaudited)	2019 <i>HK\$</i> '000 (Unaudited)	2018 <i>HK</i> \$'000 (Unaudited)
Turnover Cost of sales	2	6,619 (2,678)	7,070 (2,792)	22,086 (9,100)	27,354 (11,209)
Gross profit		3,941	4,278	12,986	16,145
Other revenue and other net income Selling and marketing	3	251	119	1,311	599
expenses		(1,052)	(2,402)	(1,968)	(3,462)
Administrative expenses		(7,159)	(7,822)	(25,444)	(28,581)
Share-based payments Share of result of an	4	(613)	_	(736)	(2,181)
associate		_	_	(3)	_
Finance costs	5	(1,604)	(978)	(4,763)	(2,814)
Other expense	6	(14,512)		(14,512)	
Loss before taxation	7	(20,748)	(6,805)	(33,129)	(20,294)
Taxation	8		(84)	(131)	(665)
Loss for the period		(20,748)	(6,889)	(33,260)	(20,959)
Loss attributable to:					
Owners of the Company		(13,950)	(6,466)	(26,091)	(20,053)
Non-controlling interests		(6,798)	(423)	(7,169)	(906)
		(20,748)	(6,889)	(33,260)	(20,959)
Dividend	9	-	-	-	_
Loss per share (cents per share)	10	(a )	(0 <b>-</b> 0	( <b>2</b> 0 = )	(2.2.i)
Basic and diluted		(1.63)	(0.76)	(3.05)	= (2.34)

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

	Three months ended 31 December		Nine months ended 31 December	
	2019 <i>HK</i> \$'000 (Unaudited)	2018 <i>HK</i> \$'000 (Unaudited)	2019 <i>HK</i> \$'000 (Unaudited)	2018 <i>HK</i> \$'000 (Unaudited)
Loss for the period	(20,748)	(6,889)	(33,260)	(20,959)
Other comprehensive loss Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss: Exchange differences on translating foreign operations — Exchange differences arising	210	160	(1.472)	(2.245)
during the period	219	162	(1,473)	(3,245)
Other comprehensive loss for the period, net of tax	219	162	(1,473)	(3,245)
Total comprehensive loss for the period	(20,529)	(6,727)	(34,733)	(24,204)
Total comprehensive loss attributable to:				
Owners of the Company Non-controlling interests	(13,721) (6,808)	(6,301) (426)	(27,631) (7,102)	(23,409) (795)
	(20,529)	(6,727)	(34,733)	(24,204)

# NOTES TO THE CONDENSED QUARTERLY FINANCIAL INFORMATION

#### 1. BASIS OF PREPARATION

These unaudited consolidated results have been prepared in accordance with all applicable Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRSs"), which collective term includes all applicable individual Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards, Hong Kong Accounting Standards ("HKASs") and Interpretations issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA") and accounting principles generally accepted in Hong Kong. These unaudited consolidated results also comply with the applicable disclosure provisions of the GEM Listing Rules and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance. These unaudited consolidated results have been prepared under historical cost convention except for certain financial instruments which are measured at fair value. The unaudited consolidated results are presented in Hong Kong dollars ("HK\$") and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand except when otherwise indicated.

The accounting policies and methods of computation used in preparing the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements for the nine months ended 31 December 2019 are consistent with those used in the Group's annual financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2019 except as described below.

In the current period, the Group has applied, for the first time, the following new and amendments to HKASs and HKFRSs issued by the HKICPA that are relevant for the preparation of the Group's unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements:

HKFRS 16 Leases

HK (IFRIC) – Int 23 Uncertainty over Income Tax Treatments
Amendments to HKAS 19 Plan Amendments, Curtailment or Settlement
Long-term Interests in Associates and Joint Ventures
Amendments to HKFRS 9 Prepayment Features with Negative Compensation
Amendments to HKFRSs Annual Improvement to HKFRSs 2015 – 2017 Cycle

Except as described below, the application of the other new and amendments to HKASs and HKFRSs in the current period has had no material effect on the amounts reported in these unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements and/or disclosures set out in these unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.

# **HKFRS 16 "Leases"**

The Group has applied HKFRS 16 for the first time in the current period. HKFRS 16 introduces a comprehensive model for the identification of lease arrangements and accounting treatments for both lessors and lessees which superseded HKAS 17 "Leases" and the related interpretations.

Under HKFRS 16, distinctions of operating leases and finance leases are removed for lessee accounting and is replaced by a model where a right-of-use asset and a corresponding liability have to be recognised for all leases by lessees, except for short-term leases and leases of low value assets.

The right-of-use asset is initially measured at cost and subsequently measured at cost (subject to certain exceptions) less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, adjusted for any remeasurement of the lease liability. The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at that date. Subsequently, the lease liability is adjusted for interest and lease payments, as well as the impact of lease modification, amongst others.

Other than certain requirements which are also applicable to lessor, HKFRS 16 substantially carries forward the lessor accounting requirements in HKAS 17 and continues to require a lessor to classify a lease either as an operating lease or a finance lease.

The Group has elected the practical expedient to apply HKFRS 16 to contracts that were previously identified as lease applying HKAS 17 and HK(IFRIC) – Int 4 "Determining whether an Arrangement contains a Lease" and not apply this standard to contracts that were not previously identified as containing a lease applying HKAS 17 and HK(IFRIC) – Int 4. Therefore, the Group will not reassess whether the contracts are, or contain a lease which already existed prior to the date of initial application, i.e. 1 April 2019. Furthermore, the Group has opted the modified retrospective approach for the application of HKFRS 16 as lessee and will recognise the cumulative effect of initial application to opening accumulated losses without restating comparative information.

Based on the allowed practical expedients under HKFRS 16, the Group has elected not to apply the requirements of HKFRS 16 in respect of recognition of lease liability and right-of-use assets to leases for which the lease term ends within twelve months of the date of initial application.

The summary of net impacts of HKFRS 16 on the condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss of the Group for the nine months ended 31 December 2019 are set out as below:

	As per HKFRS 16 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	As per HKAS 17 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	Impact due to change HK\$'000 (Unaudited)
Administrative expenses	(25,444)	(25,926)	482
Finance costs	(4,763)	(3,337)	(1,426)
Loss for the period	(33,260)	(32,316)	(944)
Loss attributable to: Owners of the Company Non-controlling interests	(26,091) (7,169) (33,260)	(25,525) (6,791) (32,316)	(566) (378) (944)
	HK cents	HK cents	HK cents
Loss per share Basic and diluted	(3.05)	(2.98)	(0.07)

The Group has not early applied the following new and amendments to HKASs and HKFRSs that have been issued but are not yet effective:

HKFRS 17 Insurance Contracts<sup>2</sup>
Amendments to HKAS 1 Definition of Material<sup>1</sup>
and HKAS 8
Amendments to HKFRS 3 Definition of a Business<sup>1</sup>
Amendments to HKFRS 10 Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture<sup>3</sup>

The directors of the Company anticipate that the application of all new and amendments to HKFRSs will have no material impact on the consolidated financial statements in the foreseeable future.

The third quarterly results are unaudited but have been reviewed by the audit committee of the Company.

#### 2. TURNOVER

An analysis of Group's turnover for the period from operations, is as follows:

	Three months ended 31 December		Nine months ended 31 December	
	2019	2018	2019	2018
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Revenue from cinema business	6,619	7,070	22,086	27,354

#### 3. OTHER REVENUE AND OTHER NET INCOME

	Three months ended 31 December		Nine months ended 31 December	
	2019	2018	2019	2018
	HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	HK\$'000 (Unaudited)
Interest income	178	79	682	431
Government grants ( <i>Note 1</i> ) Others	64 9	40	600 29	168
	<u>251</u>	119	1,311	599

*Note 1:* The government grants represent the subsidies received by the Group from the government of the PRC for the operation of cinemas in the PRC. There are no unfulfilled conditions or contingencies relating to these grants.

Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2021

Effective for annual periods beginning on or after a date to be determined

#### 4. SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS

The Company has the convertible bonds and share option scheme for the directors, employees and advisers of the Group. Details of the convertible bonds and share options are as follows:

#### Convertible bonds

Issuer: The Company

Principal amount: HK\$45 million in aggregate. The convertible bonds in the amount of HK\$25

million issued on 1 June 2010 ("commencement date") and the remaining four tranches (each worth HK\$5 million, and HK\$20 million in aggregate) of the convertible bonds issued on the date being the first, second, third and fourth anniversary of the date of commencement date and the outstanding amount as

at 31 December 2019 was HK\$30 million.

Issue date: 1 June 2010

Maturity date: Ten years from the date of issue

Interest: Zero coupon

Conversion price: HK\$0.544 per share (*Note 1*)

# **Share Option Scheme**

Details of specific categories of options are as follow:

Option type:	2014A	2015A	2016A	2017A	2018A
Grant date:	17-4-2014	13-7-2015	7-7-2016	3-3-2017	17-9-2018
Number of options granted:	304,140,000	161,000,000	342,000,000	159,000,000	180,000,000
Exercise period:	17-4-2014-	13-7-2015-	7-7-2016-	3-3-2017-	17-9-2018-
	16-4-2019	12-7-2020	6-7-2021	2-3-2022	16-9-2023
Exercise price:	HK\$0.364	HK\$0.940	HK\$0.720	HK\$0.540	HK\$0.168
		( <i>Note 1</i> )	( <i>Note 1</i> )	(Note 1)	( <i>Note 1</i> )
Fair value:	HK\$45,500,000	HK\$16,800,000	HK\$26,600,000	HK\$8,640,000	HK\$2,181,000

During the nine months ended 31 December 2018, 180,000,000 share options were granted and the Company recognized the total expenses of HK\$2,181,000 as share-based payments.

Note 1: Adjustment for share consolidation effective from 2 May 2019.

#### **Awarded Shares**

The Company granted awarded shares during the Period as follows:

Date	Grantees	Number of awarded shares
16 August 2019	Mr. Chiau Sing Chi (Executive Director)	8,550,000
14 October 2019	Ms. Chow Man Ki Kelly (Executive Director)	4,240,000
14 October 2019	Non-directors (in aggregate)	29,860,000

The share-based payments in respect of the above awarded shares of approximately HK\$736,000 was recognized during the nine months ended 31 December 2019

# 5. FINANCE COSTS

	Three months ended		Nine months ended	
	31 Dec	ember	31 December	
	2019	2018	2019	2018
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Imputed interest on convertible bonds	1,160	978	3,337	2,814
Interest expenses on lease liabilities	444		1,426	
	1,604	978	4,763	2,814

#### 6. OTHER EXPENSE

During the third quarter of fiscal year 2019/20, the Company has noted that Mr. Yin Gang ("Mr. Yin"), a director of certain non-wholly owned subsidiaries of the Group, would have misappropriated funds of approximately RMB13 million (equivalent to approximately HK\$14.5 million) from two non-wholly owned subsidiaries of the Company established in the People's Republic of China for his personal uses. This amount was expensed off during the Period.

# 7. LOSS BEFORE TAXATION

Loss before taxation is arrived at after charging/(crediting):

	Three months ended		Nine months ended 31 December		
	2019	2018	2019	2018	
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	
Direct expenses of cinema business	2,678	2,792	9,100	11,209	
Depreciation of property,					
plant and equipment	484	1,320	1,804	2,538	
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	843	_	2,492	_	
Exchange (gain)/loss	(17)	(782)	1,516	2,993	
Fixed assets written off	6	12	6	12	
Operating lease rental in respect of rented					
premises	171	1,169	669	3,939	
Staff costs (including directors'					
remuneration)					
<ul> <li>Salaries and allowance</li> </ul>	3,506	3,536	9,611	9,857	
<ul> <li>Equity settled share-based</li> </ul>					
payments under Share Award Scheme	449	_	572	_	
<ul> <li>Equity settled share-based</li> </ul>					
payments under Share Option Scheme	_	_	_	1,848	
<ul> <li>Retirement scheme contributions</li> </ul>	298	393	958	1,222	
Equity settled share-based payments					
paid to advisors	164		164	333	

# 8. TAXATION

		Three months ended 31 December		ths ended ember
	2019 <i>HK\$</i> '000 (Unaudited)	2018 <i>HK</i> \$'000 (Unaudited)	2019 <i>HK\$</i> '000 (Unaudited)	2018 <i>HK</i> \$'000 (Unaudited)
The taxation charge comprises:				
Current tax The PRC		84	131	665

No provision for Hong Kong profits tax was made by the Group as the Group did not derive any assessable profits in Hong Kong for the nine months ended 31 December 2019 and 2018.

PRC subsidiaries are subject to PRC Enterprise Income Tax at 25% for the nine months ended 31 December 2019 and 2018.

# 9. DIVIDEND

The Directors do not recommend the payment of any dividend for the nine months ended 31 December 2019 (nine months ended 31 December 2018: Nil).

# 10. LOSS PER SHARE

# Basic and diluted loss per share

	Three months ended 31 December		d Nine months end 31 December	
	2019	2018	2019	2018
	HK Cent	HK Cent	HK Cent	HK Cent
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
		(Restated)		(Restated)
Basic and diluted loss				
per share	(1.63)	(0.76)	(3.05)	(2.34)

The loss for the period and weighted average number of ordinary shares used in the calculation of basic loss per share are as follows:

	Three mon		Nine mont	
	2019	2018	2019	2018
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Loss for the period attributable to owners				
of the Company	(13,950)	(6,466)	(26,091)	(20,053)
	Three mon		Nine mont	
	31 Dec		31 Dec	
	2019	2018	2019	2018
		(Restated)		(Restated)
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purpose of basis loss per share	855,384,669	855,384,669	855,384,669	855,384,669

The weighted average numbers of ordinary shares for the purpose of calculating basic loss per share have been retrospectively adjusted to reflect the share consolidation with effect from 2 May 2019.

The incremental shares from assumed exercise of share options granted by the Company and conversion of the Company's outstanding convertible bonds are excluded in calculating the diluted loss per share during the nine months ended 31 December 2019 and 2018 because they are antidilutive in calculating the diluted loss per share.

# 11. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

	Share capital HK\$'000	Share premium HK\$'000	Contributed surplus HK\$'000	Equity component of convertible bonds HK\$'000	Share option reserve HK\$'000	Shares held for the share award scheme HK\$'000	Exchange reserve HK\$'000	Accumulated losses HK\$'000	Attributable to owners of the Company HK\$'000	Non- controlling interests HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
At 1 April 2018 (Audited)	136,861	420,810	3,930	76,520	99,685		62	(644,270)	93,598	11,230	104,828
Profit/(Loss) for the period Other comprehensive income/(loss) for the	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(20,053)	(20,053)	(906)	(20,959)
period period							(3,356)		(3,356)	111	(3,245)
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	-	-	_	_	-	-	(3,356)	(20,053)	(23,409)	(795)	(24,204)
Equity settled share option arrangement					2,181				2,181		2,181
Cancellation of share options					(48,844)			48,844			
At 31 December 2018 (Unaudited)	136,861	420,810	3,930	76,520	53,022		(3,294)	(615,479)	72,370	10,435	82,805
At 1 April 2019 (Audited)	136,861	420,810	3,930	76,520	53,022		(1,228)	(621,836)	68,079	9,856	77,935
Loss for the period Other comprehensive	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(26,091)	(26,091)	(7,169)	(33,260)
income/(loss) for the period							(1,540)		(1,540)	67	(1,473)
Total comprehensive loss for the period							(1,540)	(26,091)	(27,631)	(7,102)	(34,733)
Equity settled share award arrangement	-	-	-	-	-	736	-	-	736	-	736
Capital reorganisation	(128,307)		128,307								
At 31 December 2019 (Unaudited)	8,554	420,810	132,237	76,520	53,022	736	(2,768)	(647,927)	41,184	2,754	43,938

#### 12. COMPARATIVE FIGURES

Certain comparative figures have been restated to conform with current period's presentation.

# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

#### **GENERAL**

During the nine months ended 31 December 2019 (the "Period"), Bingo Group Holdings Limited (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (collectively, the "Group") was principally engaged in movie production, licensing and derivatives, crossover marketing and provision of interactive contents ("Filmed Entertainment, New Media Exploitations and Licensing Businesses") and cinema investment and management ("Cinema Business").

# **OPERATION REVIEW**

During the Period, the Group continues to focus on Filmed Entertainment, New Media Exploitations and Licensing Businesses and Cinema Business.

In view of the on-going development of the Cinema Business, this segment has become the prime revenue generator of the Group in the Period. Approximately revenue of HK\$22.1 million and gross profit of HK\$13.0 million were generated during the Period. The overall atmosphere of the film industry in China in 2019 was not as good as that in 2018. The Group's revenue and gross profit from the Cinema Business for the Period declined as compared to revenue of HK\$27.4 million and gross profit of HK\$16.1 million generated in the nine months ended 31 December 2018 (the "Corresponding Period"). The Group will continue to focus on expanding the audience headcount and improve the financial performance of the Cinema Business accordingly.

In the segment of Filmed Entertainment Business, the Group continued to locate suitable business opportunities. However, no appropriate target was spotted in the Period. Accordingly, no revenue was generated in this sector during the Period.

On 9 February 2018, Bingo Movie Development Limited ("Bingo Movie"), a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company and Lechuang Holdings (HK) Limited ("Lechuang"), an independent third party, entered into an agreement (the "JV Agreement") in relation to the formation of the joint venture company ("JV Company"). The issued share capital of the JV Company will be owned as to 49% by Bingo Movie and as to 51% by Lechuang. The JV Company will be principally engaged in investment and development of VR (Virtual Reality) and MR (Mixed Reality) projects. Pursuant to the JV Agreement, Bingo Movie will enter into of a loan agreement with the JV Company, pursuant to which Bingo Movie will advance the loan of not less than HK\$25 million and not more than HK\$35 million to the JV Company for investment and development of relevant VR and MR projects. In September 2018, the loan agreement has been signed and RMB29 million (equivalent to HK\$33.4 million) was lent to the JV Company. Another loan of RMB16 million (equivalent to HK\$17.9 million) with a term of three years was granted to the JV Company on 30 September 2019. The difference between the new loan and old loan of RMB13 million with the accrued interest has been repaid to the Bingo Movie during the Period. For further details, please refer to the Company's announcement dated 30 September 2019 and 7 November 2019.

During the third quarter of fiscal year 2019/20, the Company has noted that Mr. Yin Gang ("Mr. Yin"), a director of certain non-wholly owned subsidiaries of the Group, would have misappropriated funds of approximately RMB13 million (equivalent to approximately HK\$14.5 million) from two non-wholly owned subsidiaries of the Company established in the People's Republic of China for his personal uses. The Company is in the course of seeking legal advices and will take appropriate actions against Mr. Yin. Please refer to the Company's announcement dated 5 February 2020 for further details.

# FINANCIAL REVIEW

During the Period, the Group recorded a total turnover of approximately HK\$22.1 million, representing a decrease of approximately HK\$5.3 million compared with the Corresponding Period. The turnover of the Group for the Period and the Corresponding Period principally represented revenue from Cinema Business. Loss for the Period of approximately HK\$33.3 million was recorded. As compared with the loss of approximately HK\$21.0 million for the Corresponding Period, there was increase in loss of approximately HK\$12.3 million.

The increase in loss for the Period as compared with the Corresponding Period was principally resulted from the amount of approximately RMB13 million which would have been misappropriated by Mr. Yin as mention above, and expensed off during the Period. The loss for the Period was adjusted to approximately HK\$18.8 million, which is adjusted for non-operating expense of RMB13 million (equivalent to HK\$14.5 million), as mentioned above. The adjusted loss was less than net loss of approximately HK\$21.0 million for the corresponding period of last year. Less loss incurred was principally attributable to the net effect of decline in revenue from Cinema Business and decrease in non-cash share-based payments from approximately HK\$2.2 million for the nine months ended 31 December 2018 to approximately HK\$0.7 million for the Period.

#### **OUTLOOK**

The coronavirus outbreak has killed more than 1,400 people and infected more than 60,000 globally as it continues to spread beyond China. Millions more people have been ordered to stay indoors as China battles to curb the spread of this new virus. All cinemas in Hangzhou and Shanghai could not open for business since late January 2020, which covered the traditional peak season – Chinese New Year. No schedule of re-opening of cinemas is confirmed as at the date of this announcement. All cinemas of the Group are located in Hangzhou and Shanghai.

In spite of the wide-spreading of coronavirus mentioned above, the Group will continue to grasp other business opportunities in investments in cinemas in the PRC and attractive movies, when appropriate. While the Group continued its existing businesses, the Group will put more focus onto locating other business opportunities with enormous potentials, including provision of consultancy services, online games developing and operating businesses, and investments in China cultural industry.

The VR (Virtual Reality) and MR (Mixed Reality) industry is undergoing rapid development and the Company considers that there will be growth potential in investment of VR and MR projects. On 9 February 2018, the Group entered into an agreement with Lechuang Holdings (HK) Limited ("Lechuang") in relation to the formation of the joint venture company ("JV Company"). The formation of the JV Company will allow the Group to utilise its experience in provision of interactive contents with the expertise of Lechuang in developing VR and MR projects. The Company is optimistic as to the prospect of the JV Company, and has granted a loan to the JV Company of RMB16 million (equivalent to approximately HK\$17.9 million) in September 2019.

The Board believes that the Group's existing businesses can create a synergistic effect with the above-mentioned new businesses and will benefit the Group in the future.

#### OTHER INFORMATION

# DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVES' INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS IN SHARES AND UNDERLYING SHARES

As at 31 December 2019, the following Directors of the Company had or were deemed to have interests or short positions in the shares (the "Shares"), underlying shares or debentures of the Company and its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Future Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong) (the "SFO")) (i) which were required to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests or short positions which they were taken or deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO); or (ii) which were required, pursuant to section 352 of the SFO, to be entered in the register referred to herein; or (iii) which were, pursuant to rules 5.46 to 5.67 of the GEM Listing Rules relating to securities transactions by the Directors to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange:

# Long positions in the shares of the Company

Name of Directors	Nature of interest	Number of Shares held	Approximate percentage of issued share capital of the company
Mr. Chiau Sing Chi	Beneficial owner Held by trust (Note 1)	27,573,529 402,121,240	3.22% 47.01%
Ms. Chow Man Ki Kelly	Held by trust (Note 1)	402,121,240	47.01%

#### Notes:

- 1. These shares are registered in the name of Beglobal Investments Limited and Golden Treasure Global Investment Limited. Beglobal Investments Limited and Golden Treasure Global Investment Limited are companies indirectly owned by the trust, the discretionary objects of which are Mr. Chiau Sing Chi, Ms. Chow Man Ki Kelly and their family.
- 2. The total number of the issued share capital of the Company as at 31 December 2019 was 855,384,669.

# Long positions in the underlying shares of the Company

The share award scheme (the "Share Award Scheme") was approved by the Board on 14 August 2019 (the "Adoption Date"). The purposes of the Share Award Scheme are to recognise and reward the contribution of eligible persons ("Eligible Person(s)"), in order to retain them for the continual operation and development of the Group and to attract suitable personnel for further development of the Group.

Pursuant to the terms of the Share Award Scheme, the following classes of participants (each an "Eligible Person") are eligible for participation in the Share Award Scheme:

- (a) any employee (an "Employee") (whether full time or part time, including any executive director but excluding any non-executive director) of any member of the Group or any entity (the "Invested Entity") in which the Group holds any equity interest;
- (b) any non-executive directors (including independent non-executive directors) of the Company, any of its subsidiaries or any Invested Entity;
- (c) any adviser (professional or otherwise), consultant to or expert in any area of business or business development of any member of the Group or any Invested Entity; and
- (d) any other group or classes of participants who have contributed or may contribute by way of joint venture, business alliance or other business arrangement to the development and growth of the Group,

and, for the purposes of the Share Award Scheme, the award may be made to any company wholly owned by one or more of the above participant(s). The eligibility of any of the Eligible Persons to an award shall be determined by the Board from time to time on the basis of the Board's opinion as to his contribution and/or future contribution to the development and growth of the Group.

The total number of all the shares purchased by the trustee under the Share Award Scheme must not exceed 10% of the issued shares as at the Adoption Date (being 85,538,466 shares) unless the Board otherwise decides. The maximum number of shares which can be awarded to any selected employee under the Share Award Scheme is limited to 1% of the issued share capital of the Company as at the Adoption Date.

During the Period, the Company had not purchased any of the Company's existing shares on the market for the purpose of the Share Award Scheme.

The Company granted awarded shares during the Period as follows:

Date	Grantees	Number of awarded shares
16 August 2019	Mr. Chiau Sing Chi (Executive Director)	8,550,000
14 October 2019	Ms. Chow Man Ki Kelly (Executive Director)	4,240,000
14 October 2019	Non-directors (in aggregate)	29,860,000

Save as these awarded Shares granted, no awarded Share was granted during the Period.

As at the date of this announcement, no share of the Company was held by the trustee.

The Company adopted a share options scheme on 15 August 2012 which the Board may, at their discretion, offer employees, non-executive Directors, independent non-executive Directors or any other persons who have contributed to the Group to take up share options to subscribe for Shares subject to the terms and conditions stipulated in the share option scheme.

Details of the share options granted to the Directors under the Schemes and any other schemes and movements in such holdings during the Period were as follows:

Name of Directors	Option type (Note 1)	Number of options held as at 1 April 2019 (Note 2) '000	Number of options granted during the Period	Number of options exercised during the Period	Number of options cancelled/ lapsed during the Period	Number of options held as at 31 December 2019
Mr. Chiau Sing Chi	2014A	750	_	_	(750)	_
Ü	2015A	2,000	_	_	_	2,000
	2017A	8,500	_	_	_	8,500
Ms. Chow Man Ki Kelly	2014A	750	_	_	(750)	_
	2015A	750	_	_	_	750
	2016A	7,500	_	_	_	7,500
	2018A	7,500	_	_	_	7,500
Mr. Lau Man Kit	2014A	750	_	_	(750)	_
	2015A	750	_	_	_	750
	2016A	750	_	_	_	750
Mrs. Chin Chow Chung Hang	2014A	750	_	-	(750)	_
Roberta	2015A	750	_	_	_	750
	2016A	750	_	_	_	750
Ms. Choi Mei Ping	2015A	750	_	_	_	750
	2016A	750	_	_	_	750
Mr. Tsoi Chiu Yuk	2016A	750				750
Total		34,500			(3,000)	31,500

Note 1: Details of specific categories of share options are disclosed in note 4 to the condensed financial information.

*Note* 2: The number of share options mentioned are adjusted to reflect the share consolidation effective on 2 May 2019.

As mentioned above, in addition to 10,500,000 number of Shares which would be allotted and issued upon the exercise in full of the options offered to Mr. Chiau Sing Chi under the share option scheme of the Company and 8,550,000 number of Shares granted to him pursuant to the Share Award Scheme, 55,147,057 number of Shares which would be allotted and issued upon the exercise in full of the convertible bonds held by Mr. Chiau Sing Chi.

Save as disclosed above, as at 31 December 2019, none of the Directors nor the chief executive of the Company had or was deemed to have any interests or short positions in the shares, underlying shares of debentures of the Company and its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO), (i) which were required to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests or short positions which were taken or deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO); (ii) which were required, pursuant to section 352 of the SFO, to be entered in the register referred to therein; or (iii) which were, pursuant to rules 5.46 to 5.67 of the GEM Listing Rules relating to securities transactions by Directors to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange.

# SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS' AND OTHER PERSONS' INTERESTS IN SHARES AND UNDERLYING SHARES

So far as known to the Directors, as at 31 December 2019, the following person (not being Directors or chief executive of the Company) had, or was deemed to have, interests or short in the Shares or underlying Shares (i) which would fall to be disclosed to the Company and the Stock Exchange under the provisions of Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO; or (ii) who is expected, directly and indirectly, interested in 10% or more of the nominal value of any class of share capital carrying rights to vote in all circumstances at general meetings of any member of the Group or (iii) which were required, pursuant to section 336 of the SFO, to be entered in the register referred to therein:

# Long positions in the shares and underlying shares of the Company

Name of Shareholders	Number of Shares held	Approximate percentage of issued share capital of the Company
Sinostar FE (PTC) Limited (Note 1)	402,121,240	47.01%
Treasure Offshore Holdings Limited (Note 1)	402,121,240	47.01%
Beglobal Investments Limited (Note 2)	402,121,240	47.01%
Golden Treasure Global Investment Limited (Note 2)	72,500,000	8.48%

#### Note:

- 1. Mr. Chiau Sing Chi, Ms. Chow Man Ki, Kelly and their family are the beneficiaries of a discretionary trust of which Sinostar FE (PTC) Limited ("Sinostar") is the trustee. Sinostar as the trustee of the discretionary trust is the sole shareholder of Treasure Offshore Holdings Limited, which is the sole shareholder of Beglobal Investments Limited.
- 2. Beglobal Investments Limited directly holds 329,621,240 shares of the Company (representing approximately 38.53% of the issued share capital of the Company) and indirectly holds 72,500,000 shares of the Company (representing approximately 8.48% of the issued share capital of the Company) through Golden Treasure Global Investment Limited as at 31 December 2019.

Save as disclosed above, as at 31 December 2019, the Directors are not aware of any other person (other than the Directors and the chief executive of the Company) who had, or was deemed to have, interests or short positions in the Shares or underlying Shares (including any interests in options in respect of such capital), which would fall to be disclosed to the Company and the Stock Exchange under the provisions of Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO, or who was directly or indirectly interested in 10% or more of the nominal value of any class of share capital carrying rights to vote in all circumstances at general meetings of any member of the Group.

#### SHARE OPTION SCHEME

The Company's share option scheme was adopted pursuant to resolution passed on 15 August 2012 (the "Scheme") for the primary purpose of providing incentives to directors, eligible employees and participants who have contributed to the Group, and will expire in 14 August 2022. Under the Scheme, the board of directors of the Company may grant options to full-time or part-time employees including directors (executive and non-executive) and any advisor, consultant, supplier, distributor, contractor, agent, business partner, promoter, service provider or customer of the Company or any of its subsidiaries, to subscribe for shares in the Company.

Details of the share options granted under the Scheme and any other schemes and movements in such holdings during the Period were as follows:

Category	Option type (Note)	Number of options held as at 1 April 2019	Number of options granted during the Period '000	Number of options exercised during the Period '000	Number of options cancelled/ lapsed during the Period '000	Number of options held as at 31 December 2019 '000
Directors	2014A	3,000	_	_	(3,000)	_
	2015A	5,000	_	_	-	5,000
	2016A	10,500	_	_	_	10,500
	2017A	8,500	_	_	_	8,500
	2018A	7,500	_	_	_	7,500
Employees	2018A	15,000	_	_	_	15,000
Advisors	2014A	68,450	_	_	(68,450)	_
	2015A	1,000	_	_	_	1,000
	2016B	1,500	_	_	_	1,500
	2018A	22,500				22,500
Total		142,950			(71,450)	71,500

*Note:* Details of specific categories of share options are disclosed in note 4 to the condensed quarterly financial information.

# DIRECTORS' AND EMPLOYEES' RIGHTS TO ACQUIRE SHARES OR DEBENTURES

Save as disclosed under the sections headed "DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVES' INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS IN SHARES AND UNDERLYING SHARES" and "SHARE OPTIONS SCHEME" above, none of the Directors or employees of the Group or their associates were granted by the Company or its subsidiaries the rights to acquire shares or debentures of the Company or any other body corporate, or had exercised any such rights as at 31 December 2019.

# **COMPETING INTEREST**

None of the Directors, the management shareholders or the substantial shareholders of the Company, or any of their respective associates, has engaged in any business that competes or may compete with the business of the Group or has any other conflict of interest with the Group.

# PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF SHARES

For the nine months ended 31 December 2019, neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has purchased, sold or redeemed any of the Company's listed securities.

#### **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The Company has established its audit committee (the "Committee") with written terms of reference in compliance with Rules 5.28 to 5.33 of the GEM Listing Rules. The primary duties of the Committee are to review the Company's annual report and accounts, interim report and quarterly reports and to provide advices and comments thereon to the Board. The Committee will also be responsible for reviewing and supervising the Company's financial reporting, risk management and internal control systems. The Committee comprises three independent non-executive Directors, namely Mr. Ong King Keung (Chairman), Ms. Choi Mei Ping and Mr. Tsoi Chiu Yuk. The Group's unaudited results for the nine months ended 31 December 2019 have been reviewed by the Committee who was of the opinion that the preparation of such results complied with the applicable accounting standards, the GEM Listing Rules and legal requirements and that adequate disclosures have been made.

# COMPLIANCE OF CODE FOR DIRECTORS' SECURITIES TRANSACTION

The Company has adopted a code of conduct regarding securities transactions by Directors on terms no exacting than the required standard of dealings set out in Rule 5.48 to 5.67 of the GEM Listing Rules. Having made specific enquiry of all Directors, all Directors have complied with the required standard of dealings and the code of conduct regarding securities transactions by Directors adopted by the Company throughout the nine months ended 31 December 2019.

By order of the Board
Bingo Group Holdings Limited
Lau Man Kit
Executive Director

Hong Kong, 14 February 2020

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Mr. Chiau Sing Chi, Ms. Chow Man Ki Kelly and Mr. Lau Man Kit as executive Directors, Mrs. Chin Chow Chung Hang Roberta as non-executive Director, and Ms. Choi Mei Ping, Mr. Tsoi Chiu Yuk and Mr. Ong King Keung as independent non-executive Directors.

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