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**Press Release** 

**Everbright Water Secures Nanxiong Livestock and Poultry Manure Resource** 

Utilisation Project, Marking the First Project in Guangdong Province

Singapore and Hong Kong, 21 November 2023 - China Everbright Water Limited ("Everbright Water"

or the "Company"; stock codes: U9E.SG and 1857.HK) (中國光大水務有限公司), an environmental

protection company focusing on water environment management, is pleased to announce that

the consortium (the "Consortium") formed by the subsidiaries of Everbright Water and an external party

has secured Guangdong Nanxiong Livestock and Poultry Manure Resource Utilisation Project ("Nanxiong

Project" or the "Project"), which has an estimated investment of approximately RMB50 million. It is

Everbright Water's first environmental protection project in Guangdong Province. Furthermore, it marks

the Company's entry in the field of livestock and poultry manure resource utilisation, thereby expanding

its water environment management business to the areas of non-point source pollution control and

rural environmental management.

By providing treatment services to the entire Nanxiong City, Nanxiong Project adopts a resource

utilisation approach and a centralised agricultural waste treatment centre model, which enable

livestock and poultry manure to be treated into organic fertilisers. Such services will not only meet

the local demand for livestock and poultry manure treatment but also fulfill the needs of various

crops for organic fertilisers. On one hand, Nanxiong Project can reduce and address the problem of

non-point source pollution in local areas by preventing the runoff of livestock and poultry manure

into local rivers and lakes. On the other hand, through the sale of high-quality organic fertilisers, the

Project can contribute to improving local resource utilisation levels and enhancing the Project's

profitability concurrently.

Nanxiong Project involves the construction of a biogas power generation facility that treats livestock and

poultry manure, and an organic fertiliser production line with an annual capacity of 30,000 tonnes.

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Additionally, a waste collection, storage, and transportation system for livestock, poultry manure, and other agricultural waste will be implemented. The project company, in which the Company will ultimately hold 60% equity interest, will be responsible for the investment, construction, operation, and maintenance of the Project.

Mr. Hu Yanguo, Executive Director and Chairman of the Board of Everbright Water, said, "2023 marks a crucial year for China's comprehensive promotion of rural revitalisation and the accelerated construction of an agricultural powerhouse. It is important to address pollution control via various approaches in the agricultural sector, such as waste reduction at source, resource utilisation, pollution and carbon emission reduction, and ecological restoration. By creating systematic solutions, we can improve the living environment of rural areas, which fulfills the needs of the nation and the demands of the public. Once Nanxiong Project is put into operation upon completion of construction work, it will process and treat the local livestock and poultry farming waste into valuable resources. It will address the 'last' challenge of returning livestock and poultry manure to the farmland. This will support the development of an environmentally-friendly agricultural and livestock farming model in Nanxiong City, which is known as a major agricultural county-level city in Guangdong Province. The Project will also help to upgrade the local industries by promoting synergies among the primary, secondary, and tertiary industries.

Mr. Hu Yanguo further stated, "Securing Nanxiong Project enriches Everbright Water's comprehensive 'water-related' businesses. As the next step, the Company will closely collaborate with the other member of the Consortium, and leverage their strengths, to gradually develop the Project as an industry benchmark. By enhancing the relevant treatment effectiveness, and promoting the sustainable development in local livestock and poultry farming and agriculture in general, Everbright Water aims to contribute to the creation of a new model for rural revitalisation in Nanxiong City, taking actions in alignment with the national strategy of rural revitalisation and the development of ecological agriculture."

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### **About China Everbright Water Limited**

China Everbright Water Limited ("Everbright Water" or the "Company") is an environmental protection company focusing on water environment management. The Company is listed on the Mainboard of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited and the Main Board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (stock codes: U9E.SG and 1857.HK) with its controlling shareholder being China Everbright Environment Group Limited (stock code: 257.HK).

The Company has developed a full-fledged business coverage, which includes raw water protection, water supply, municipal waste water treatment, industrial waste water treatment, reusable water, river-basin ecological restoration, and sludge treatment and disposal. Meanwhile, the Company has also formed a full industry chain in the water business, including project investment, planning and design, technological research and development, engineering and construction, and operations management, among others. It is determined to create value to industries through various water-related businesses. The Company's geographical footprint spans across East, Central, South, North, Northeast and Northwest China, covering 13 provinces, municipalities and autonomous regions, namely Beijing, Tianjin, Hebei, Jiangsu, Zhejiang, Shandong, Shaanxi, Henan, Hubei, Liaoning, Guangdong, Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region and Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region. The Company also has a business presence in Mauritius. To date, the Company's designed daily water treatment capacity exceeds 7.4 million m<sup>3</sup>.

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