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PROPOSALS FOR RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS, GRANTING OF GENERAL MANDATES TO REPURCHASE SHARES AND ISSUE SHARES AND

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening an annual general meeting of Far East Consortium International Limited (the "Company") to be held at 24/F, Admiralty Centre I, 18 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong on Tuesday, 24 August 2021 at 11:30 a.m. (the "Meeting") is set out on pages 15 to 19 of this circular. Whether or not you are able to attend the Meeting, you are requested to complete and sign the accompanying form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it to the Company's share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Standard Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the Meeting (i.e. not later than 11:30 a.m. on Sunday, 22 August 2021 (Hong Kong time)) or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the Meeting or any adjournment thereof if you so wish.

PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES FOR THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

In view of the recent developments of COVID-19 pandemic, and taking into consideration of the guidelines issued by the Government of Hong Kong, the Company will implement the following preventive measures at the Meeting to protect attending shareholders from the risk of infection:

- compulsory body temperature check will be conducted for every shareholder or proxy at the entrance of the venue;
- every shareholder or proxy is required to wear surgical face mask throughout the Meeting;
- no refreshment will be served; and
- no souvenirs will be distributed.

Any person who does not comply with the precautionary measures may be denied entry into the Meeting

The Company wishes to remind all shareholders that physical attendance in person at the Meeting is not necessary for the purpose of exercising voting rights. Shareholders may appoint the chairman of the Meeting as their proxy to vote on the relevant resolutions at the Meeting as an alternative to attending the Meeting in person.

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DEFINITIONS

In this circular (other than in AGM Notice), unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions shall have the following meanings:

"AGM" the annual general meeting of the Company to be held

at 24/F, Admiralty Centre I, 18 Harcourt Road, Hong

Kong on Tuesday, 24 August 2021 at 11:30 a.m.;

"AGM Notice" the notice dated 26 July 2021 for convening the AGM

as set out on pages 15 to 19 of this circular;

"Articles" the articles of association of the Company as may be

amended from time to time;

"Board" the board of Directors;

"Chiu Family" Tan Sri Dato' David CHIU and his family members

including, amongst others, Mr. Dennis CHIU and Ms. Wing Kwan Winnie CHIU, each of them being a

Director;

"Company" Far East Consortium International Limited, a

company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability, the Shares of which are listed on the

Stock Exchange;

"Director(s)" the director(s) of the Company for the time being;

"Dorsett" Dorsett Hospitality International Limited (formerly

known as Kosmopolito Hotels International Limited), a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands and a listed subsidiary of the Company until it was privatized (previous stock code: 2266) and became an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company in

October 2015;

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

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

Kong;

"Hong Kong" or "HKSAR" the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the

People's Republic of China;

DEFINITIONS

"Latest Practicable Date" 16 July 2021, being the latest practicable date prior to

the printing of this circular for ascertaining certain

information in this circular;

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

Stock Exchange;

"Re-election of Directors" the re-election of Mr. Cheong Thard HOONG and Ms.

Wing Kwan Winnie CHIU as Executive Directors and Mr. Kwong Siu LAM as an Independent Non-executive Director immediately following their

retirements at the AGM;

"SFO" Securities and Futures Ordinance, Chapter 571 of the

Laws of Hong Kong;

"Share(s)" ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.10 each in the share capital

of the Company or if there has been a subsequent subdivision, consolidation, reclassification or reconstruction of the share capital of the Company, shares forming part of the ordinary equity share

capital of the Company;

"Shareholder(s)" holder(s) of Share(s);

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited;

"Takeovers Code" The Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share

Buy-backs; and

"%" per cent.



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26 July 2021

To the Shareholders

Dear Sir or Madam,

PROPOSALS FOR RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS, GRANTING OF GENERAL MANDATES TO REPURCHASE SHARES AND ISSUE SHARES AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

1. INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this circular is (1) to provide you with information regarding the resolutions to be proposed at the AGM relating to (among other things) (i) the Re-election of Directors; and (ii) the granting of general mandates to repurchase and issue Shares by the Company; and (2) to give you the AGM Notice.

^{*} for identification purposes only

2. RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

In accordance with clauses 106 and 107 of the Articles, Ms. Wing Kwan Winnie CHIU (Executive Director of the Company) and Mr. Kwong Siu LAM (Independent Non-executive Director of the Company) shall retire by rotation at the AGM. In accordance with the second part of clause 115(B) of the Articles, a Director appointed as an Executive Chairman or as Managing Director or Joint Managing Director shall not while holding such office be subject to retirement by rotation or taken into account in determining the rotation retirement of Directors. In order to uphold good corporate governance practices, Mr. Cheong Thard HOONG, the Managing Director of the Company, voluntarily retires from his office and offers himself for re-election at the AGM notwithstanding that he is not required to do so by clause 115(B) of the Articles. All of the above retiring Directors, being eligible, will offer themselves for re-election at the AGM.

Pursuant to code provision A.4.3 of the Corporate Governance Code contained in Appendix 14 to the Listing Rules, where the board believes an independent non-executive director serving the listed issuer more than 9 years, who is subject to retirement, is still independent and should be re-elected, the papers to shareholders accompanying that resolution should include the reasons. Mr. Kwong Siu LAM, one of the aforesaid retiring Directors, was first appointed to the Board in 2011 and therefore, has been serving as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company for more than 9 years. During his years of appointment, Mr. Kwong Siu LAM has demonstrated his ability to provide an independent, balanced and objective view to the Company's matters. Besides, Mr. Kwong Siu LAM has met the independence guidelines set out in Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules and has given annual confirmation of his independence to the Company.

The Nomination Committee has reviewed the structure and composition of the Board, the confirmations and disclosures given by the Directors, the qualifications, skills and experience, time commitment and contribution of the retiring Directors with reference to the nomination principles and criteria set out in the Company's Board Diversity Policy and Director Nomination Policy and the Company's corporate strategy, and the independence of all Independent Non-executive Directors. The Nomination Committee has recommended to the Board on the Re-election of Directors who are due to retire at the AGM.

Based on the foregoing, the Board considered that (i) the retiring Independent Non-executive Director is independent in accordance with the independence guidelines set out in the Listing Rules; and (ii) all the retiring Directors (including Mr. Kwong Siu LAM) would continue to bring valuable business experience, knowledge and professionalism to the Board for its efficient and effective functioning and diversity. On this basis, the Board has recommended the Shareholders to vote for the relevant ordinary resolutions on the Re-election of Directors (including the re-election of Mr. Kwong Siu LAM as an independent non-executive Director) at the AGM.

Accordingly, ordinary resolutions on the Re-election of Directors will be proposed at the AGM. Pursuant to Rule 13.74 of the Listing Rules, a listed issuer shall disclose the details required under Rule 13.51(2) of the Listing Rules of any director proposed to be re-elected or proposed new director in the notice or accompanying circular to its shareholders of the relevant general meeting, if such re-election or appointment is subject to shareholders' approval at that relevant general meeting. The requisite details of Mr. Cheong Thard HOONG, Ms. Wing Kwan Winnie CHIU and Mr. Kwong Siu LAM are set out in Appendix 1 to this circular.

3. GENERAL MANDATE TO REPURCHASE SHARES

At the last annual general meeting of the Company held on 15 September 2020, an ordinary resolution was passed to grant a general mandate authorizing the Directors to exercise the power of the Company to repurchase Shares up to 10% of the total number of issued Shares as at that date. Pursuant to the Listing Rules, such mandate, to the extent not utilized, will expire at the conclusion of the AGM.

An ordinary resolution will therefore be proposed at the AGM to grant to the Directors a new general and unconditional mandate to exercise the power of the Company to repurchase Shares, on the Stock Exchange or on any other stock exchange recognized by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong and the Stock Exchange, up to 10% of the total number of issued Shares as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution (the "Repurchase Mandate").

Subject to the passing of ordinary resolution no. 9 granting the Repurchase Mandate and assuming that the existing number of issued Shares remains at 2,395,076,741 as at the date of the AGM, the Company will be allowed to repurchase a maximum of 239,507,674 Shares. The Repurchase Mandate will continue in force until the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company held after the AGM or any earlier date as referred to in the ordinary resolution no. 9.

In accordance with the requirements of the Listing Rules, the Company is required to send to Shareholders an explanatory statement containing all the information reasonably necessary to enable them to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against ordinary resolution no. 9 to be proposed at the AGM in relation to the granting of the Repurchase Mandate. Such explanatory statement is set out in Appendix 2 to this circular.

4. GENERAL MANDATE TO ISSUE SHARES

At the last annual general meeting of the Company held on 15 September 2020, an ordinary resolution was also passed to grant a general mandate authorizing the Directors to allot, issue and deal with Shares up to 20% of the total number of issued Shares as at that date. Pursuant to the Listing Rules, such mandate, to the extent not utilized, will expire at the conclusion of the AGM.

An ordinary resolution will therefore be proposed at the AGM to grant to the Directors a new general and unconditional mandate to allot, issue and deal with Shares up to 20% of the total number of issued Shares as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution (the "Issue Mandate").

Subject to the passing of ordinary resolution no. 8 granting the Issue Mandate and assuming that the existing number of issued Shares remains at 2,395,076,741 as at the date of the AGM, the Company will be allowed to issue a maximum of 479,015,348 Shares. The Issue Mandate will continue in force until the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company held after the AGM or any earlier date as referred to in the ordinary resolution no. 8.

In addition, ordinary resolution no. 10 will be proposed at the AGM for extending the Issue Mandate by adding the total number of Shares repurchased by the Company pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate.

5. AGM AND PROXY ARRANGEMENT

The AGM Notice is set out on pages 15 to 19 of this circular.

Pursuant to Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules, any vote of shareholders at a general meeting must be taken by poll. Accordingly, all the resolutions to be proposed at the AGM shall be voted by poll. An announcement on the results of the poll will be made by the Company after the conclusion of the AGM in accordance with Rule 13.39(5) of the Listing Rules.

A form of proxy for 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 form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it, together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed, or a notarially certified copy of such power or authority, to the Company's share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Standard Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM (i.e. not later than 11:30 a.m. on Sunday, 22 August 2021 (Hong Kong time)) or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the AGM or any adjournment if you so wish.

6. **RECOMMENDATION**

The Directors consider that the proposed ordinary resolutions for approval of the Re-election of Directors, the granting of the Repurchase Mandate and the granting/extension of the Issue Mandate are in the interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Accordingly, the Directors recommend Shareholders to vote in favour of the resolutions to be proposed at the AGM.

7. GENERAL INFORMATION

Your attention is drawn to the additional information set out in the Appendices to this circular. The English text of this circular shall prevail over the Chinese text.

Yours faithfully,
For and on behalf of the Board of
Far East Consortium International Limited
David CHIU

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

The information as required to be disclosed by the Listing Rules on the retiring Directors proposed to be re-elected at the AGM is set out as follows:

EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

Mr. Cheong Thard HOONG, B.ENG., ACA ("Mr. HOONG")

Mr. HOONG, aged 52, was appointed as an Executive Director of the Company in August 2012. He joined the Group in September 2008 as the Managing Director. He is responsible for the formulation and implementation of the Group overall strategies for development. He brings with him a wealth of knowledge in corporate development and extensive experience in mergers and acquisitions as well as international capital markets.

Prior to joining the Group, Mr. HOONG was the chief executive officer of China LotSynergy Holdings Limited (stock code: 1371). He was instrumental in implementing a number of important initiatives which established international relationships for the company and built solid foundations for business expansion whereas he has retired as a non-executive director of the company with effect from 1 June 2017. Mr. HOONG was an investment banker for over 12 years and had held senior positions at Deutsche Bank and UBS where he was responsible for corporate finance business in Asia. Mr. HOONG is also a director of various subsidiaries of the Company. Besides, he is a non-independent and non-executive director of Land & General Berhad, a company listed on the Bursa Malaysia and a non-executive director of i-CABLE Communications Limited (stock code: 1097). Mr. HOONG was a director of AGORA Hospitality Group Co., Ltd., a company listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange, until March 2017.

Mr. HOONG is a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales and holds a bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering from Imperial College, University of London.

As far as the Directors are aware and save as disclosed above, as at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. HOONG has not held any directorships in other public listed companies in the last 3 years and he does not have any relationship with any other Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling Shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules).

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. HOONG has (1) a total interest in 14,295,510 Shares (representing approximately 0.60% of the issued Shares) which comprise: (i) a personal interest of 13,799,326 Shares; and (ii) interests of 496,184 Shares held jointly with his spouse, Ms. Pei Chun TENG, within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO. Mr. HOONG has a personal interest of 653,429 shares (representing approximately 3.39% of the issued shares of BC Investment Group Holdings Limited (formerly known as BC Group Holdings Limited)) in BC Investment Group Holdings Limited, an associated corporation of the Company, within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO. Besides, Mr. HOONG has an interest in the 4.5% USD Medium Term Notes 2023 issued by the Company in the principal amount of USD1,000,000 of which USD300,000 was held by Mr. HOONG and USD700,000 was held by Mr. HOONG jointly with his spouse, Ms. Pei Chun TENG.

Pursuant to the letter of appointment issued by the Company to Mr. HOONG, his term of office is 3 years. Mr. HOONG was paid HK\$25,000 as Director's fee and HK\$9,324,000 as salary and other allowances for the year ended 31 March 2021. He was also entitled to discretionary bonus. The emoluments of Mr. HOONG were determined by reference to his duties and responsibilities with the Company and the prevailing market conditions.

As far as the Directors are aware, there is no other information of Mr. HOONG to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements under paragraphs 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules; and there are no other matters concerning Mr. HOONG that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders.

Ms. Wing Kwan Winnie CHIU, B.Sc. ("Ms. CHIU")

Ms. CHIU, aged 41, was appointed as an Executive Director of the Company in June 2019. She obtained a degree of Bachelor of Science in Business Management in King's College London, University of London in 2003. She became honorary fellowships of the Hong Kong Academy for Performing Arts and Vocational Training Council in 2017. She was appointed as Justice of the Peace of the HKSAR in July 2016. She has also served as a committee member in some government committees including Betting and Lotteries Commission since August 2017 and the Business Facilitation Advisory Committee since July 2018. She is a council member of The Better Hong Kong Foundation since 2012; a member of the committee of overseers of Wu Yee Sun College of the Chinese University of Hong Kong since August 2016; an advisor of Our Hong Kong Foundation since January 2018; a board member of the Community Chest since June 2018; a primary company representative of Dorsett at Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce since June 2018; an honorary vice president of GHM (Guangdong Hong Kong Macao) Hotel General Managers Society since February 2019; a board member of YPO Hong Kong Chapter, and a member of Hong Kong – Japan Business Co-operation Committee.

Ms. CHIU is a director of Asian Youth Orchestra Limited since December 2011; the vice chairperson of THE FRIENDS of the Hong Kong Arts Centre since July 2015; a development committee member of Hong Kong Arts Festival Society Limited since April 2016; the chairman of Hong Kong Art School Council since September 2016; a member of Hong Kong Arts Development Council since January 2017; the joint president of the Society of the Academy for Performing Arts since 2018; a member of discipline advisory board of Vocational Training Council; a director of the Hong Kong Philharmonic Society Ltd.; a member of the Hong Kong Art School Council from November 2013 to October 2016, and a member of the Hong Kong Arts Centre from December 2013 to November 2016.

Ms. CHIU joined the Group in 2005 as a director of property development. She was appointed as the president and an executive director of Dorsett, in June 2010 and November 2011, respectively, to oversee its overall strategic growth and development. She currently is the chairman of AGORA Hospitality Group Co., Ltd, a company listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange. She is also a director of various subsidiaries of the Company.

Previously, Ms. CHIU worked in Credit Suisse. She has been a director of Malaysia Land Properties Sdn. Bhd. ("Mayland") since 2002. She has been involved in the different aspects of property development which include development of shopping centre, retail management and service apartment of Mayland.

Ms. CHIU is the daughter of Tan Sri Dato' David CHIU (Executive Director, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Company) and the niece of Mr. Dennis CHIU (Executive Director of the Company).

As far as the Directors are aware and save as disclosed above, as at the Latest Practicable Date, Ms. CHIU has not held any directorships in other public listed companies in the last 3 years and she does not have any relationship with any other Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling Shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules) of the Company.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Ms. CHIU has interest in 78,602 Shares (representing approximately 0.003% of the issued Shares) within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO. Besides, Ms. CHIU has an interest in the 4.5% USD Medium Term Notes 2023 issued by the Company in the principal amount of USD400,000, the 7.375% USD Senior Guaranteed Perpetual Capital Notes issued by FEC Finance Limited, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, in the principal amount of USD1,000,000 and the 5.1% USD Medium Term Notes 2024 issued by FEC Finance Limited, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, in the principal amount of USD3,000,000.

Pursuant to the letter of appointment issued by the Company to Ms. CHIU, her term of office is 3 years. She is also subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the Company's annual general meeting in accordance with the Articles.

Ms. CHIU was paid HK\$25,000 as Director's fee and approximately HK\$5,179,000 as salary per annum plus a discretionary bonus for the year ended 31 March 2021. The emoluments of Ms. CHIU were determined by reference to her duties and responsibilities with the Company and the prevailing market conditions.

As far as the Directors are aware, there is no other information of Ms. CHIU to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements under paragraphs 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules; and there are no other matters concerning Ms. CHIU that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders.

INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Mr. Kwong Siu LAM ("Mr. LAM")

Mr. LAM, aged 87, was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in September 2011. He was the delegate of the 10th National People's Congress. Mr. LAM currently serves as the vice chairman of BOC International Holdings Limited, the honorary chairman of Hong Kong Federation of Fujian Association, the life honorary chairman of Hong Kong Fukien Chamber of Commerce, the vice chairman of Fujian Hong Kong Economic Co-operation, the life honorary chairman of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, an adviser of the Hong Kong Chinese Enterprises Association and the honorary president of the Chinese Bankers Club of Hong Kong. In addition, Mr. LAM has been a non-executive director of Bank of China International Limited (formerly known as "BOCI Capital Limited") since July 2002. Currently, he is an independent non-executive director of Fujian Holdings Limited (stock code: 181), Xinyi Glass Holdings Limited (stock code: 868), Yuzhou Group Holdings Company Limited (formerly known as "Yuzhou Properties Company Limited")(stock code: 1628) and Skymission Group Holdings Limited (stock code: 1429). Mr. LAM was an independent non-executive director of Vico International Holdings Limited (stock code: 1621) until April 2019 and China Overseas Land & Investment Limited (stock code: 688) until June 2020. Mr. LAM was awarded the HKSAR Gold Bauhinia Star in 2016 and Silver Bauhinia Star in 2003. He has more than 50 years of banking experience.

As far as the Directors are aware and save as disclosed above, as at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. LAM has not held any directorships in other public listed companies in the last 3 years and he does not have any relationship with any other Directors, senior management or substantial or controlling Shareholders (as defined in the Listing Rules) nor does he have any interests in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Pursuant to the letter of appointment issued by the Company to Mr. LAM, his term of office is 3 years. He is also subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the Company's annual general meeting in accordance with the Articles.

Mr. LAM was paid HK\$220,000 as Director's fee for the year ended 31 March 2021. The emoluments of Mr. LAM were determined by reference to his duties and responsibilities with the Company and the prevailing market conditions.

As far as the Directors are aware, there is no other information of Mr. LAM to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements under paragraphs 13.51(2)(h) to 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules; and there are no other matters concerning Mr. LAM that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders.

The following is an explanatory statement required by the Listing Rules to be sent to Shareholders to enable them to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against ordinary resolution no. 9 to be proposed at the AGM in relation to the granting of the Repurchase Mandate.

1. LISTING RULES

The Listing Rules permit companies whose primary listing is on the Stock Exchange to repurchase their fully paid up shares on the Stock Exchange, subject to certain restrictions, the most important of which are summarized below:

(a) Shareholders' Approval

The Listing Rules provide that all on-market repurchases of shares by a company with its primary listing on the Stock Exchange must be approved in advance by an ordinary resolution, either by way of a specific approval in relation to specific transactions or by a general mandate to the directors of the company to make such repurchases.

(b) Source of Funds

Repurchases must be made out of funds which are legally available for the purpose and in accordance with the company's constitutive documents and the laws of the jurisdiction in which the company is incorporated or otherwise established.

(c) Maximum Number of Securities to be Repurchased

The shares proposed to be repurchased must be fully-paid up. A maximum of 10% of the existing number of issued shares of the company as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution may be repurchased on the Stock Exchange.

2. ISSUED SHARES

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the existing number of issued Shares was 2,395,076,741.

Subject to the passing of ordinary resolution no. 9 granting the Repurchase Mandate and assuming that the existing number of issued Shares remains at 2,395,076,741 as at the date of the AGM, the Company will be allowed to repurchase a maximum of 239,507,674 Shares, being 10% of the total number of issued Shares as at the date of passing of the resolution.

3. REASONS FOR REPURCHASES

The Directors believe that the Repurchase Mandate is in the interests of the Company and the Shareholders. Such repurchase may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net asset value and/or earnings per Share and will only be made when the Directors believe that such a repurchase will benefit the Company and the Shareholders.

4. FUNDING OF REPURCHASES

Repurchases of Shares will be funded from the Company's internal resources, which shall be funds legally available for such purposes in accordance with the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association, the laws of Cayman Islands and/or any other applicable laws, as the case may be.

There might be an adverse impact on the working capital or gearing position of the Company as compared with the position disclosed in the audited accounts contained in the Company's annual report for the year ended 31 March 2021 in the event that the Repurchase Mandate were to be carried out in full at any time during the proposed repurchased period. 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 requirement of the Company or gearing levels which in the opinion of the Directors are from time to time appropriate for the Company.

5. SHARE PRICES

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

	Shares	
	Highest	Lowest
	HK\$	HK\$
2020		
	2.60	2.20
July	2.60	2.20
August	2.55	2.27
September	2.54	2.07
October	2.32	2.13
November	2.56	2.23
December	2.90	2.49
2021		
January	3.00	2.71
February	2.84	2.66
March	3.02	2.70
April	3.00	2.73
May	2.88	2.66
June	3.25	2.80
July (up to the Latest Practicable Date)	3.18	2.93

6. UNDERTAKING

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange that they will exercise the power of the Company to make repurchases pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate and in accordance with the Listing Rules and all applicable laws.

None of the Directors nor, to the best of their knowledge having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their close associates (as defined in the Listing Rules) presently intend to sell any Shares to the Company or its subsidiaries in the event that the Repurchase Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.

The Company has not been notified by any core connected persons (as defined in the Listing Rules) that they have a present intention to sell any Shares, or that they have undertaken not to sell any Shares held by them to the Company in the event that the Repurchase Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.

7. TAKEOVERS CODE AND MINIMUM PUBLIC HOLDING

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 the Takeovers Code. Accordingly, when a Shareholder, or a group of Shareholders acting in concert, could then obtain or consolidate control of the Company, he/they shall become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Chiu Family held 1,432,389,845 Shares, representing approximately 59.81% of the existing issued Shares. In the event that the Directors exercise in full the power to repurchase Shares in accordance with the Repurchase Mandate, the shareholding of the Chiu Family in the Company would increase to approximately 66.45% of the issued Shares. The Directors are not aware of any consequences which will arise under the Takeovers Code as a result of any repurchases to be made under the Repurchase Mandate.

The Listing Rules prohibit a company from making repurchase of shares on the Stock Exchange if the result of the repurchase would be that less than 25% (or such other prescribed minimum percentage as determined by the Stock Exchange) of the Company's issued shares would be in public hands. The Directors do not propose to repurchase Shares, which would result in less than the prescribed minimum percentage of issued Shares in public hands.

8. SHARES REPURCHASES MADE BY THE COMPANY

No repurchase of Shares has been made by the Company during the six months preceding the Latest Practicable Date (whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise).



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NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an annual general meeting (the "Meeting") of Far East Consortium International Limited (the "Company") will be held at 24/F, Admiralty Centre I, 18 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong on Tuesday, 24 August 2021 at 11:30 a.m. for the following purposes:

- 1. To receive and adopt the Company's audited financial statements and the reports of the Company's directors (the "Directors") and auditor for the year ended 31 March 2021.
- 2. To declare a final dividend of HK\$0.15 per share for the year ended 31 March 2021 (the "Proposed Final Dividend").
- 3. To re-elect Mr. Cheong Thard HOONG as an Executive Director.
- 4. To re-elect Ms. Wing Kwan Winnie CHIU as an Executive Director.
- 5. To re-elect Mr. Kwong Siu LAM as an Independent Non-executive Director.
- 6. To authorize the board of Directors (the "Board") to fix the respective Directors' remuneration.
- 7. To re-appoint Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu as auditor of the Company and to authorize the Board to fix their remuneration
- 8. To consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass with or without modification, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"THAT:

(i) subject to paragraph (iii) of this resolution, 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 of the Company (the "Shares") and to make or grant offers, agreements and

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options which would or might require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (ii) the approval in paragraph (i) of this resolution shall authorize the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) to make or grant offers, agreements and options which would or might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (iii) the total number of Shares allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) and issued by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (i) of this resolution, otherwise than pursuant to:
 - (a) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined);
 - (b) an issue of Shares as scrip dividends or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of Shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on Shares pursuant to the articles of association of the Company (the "Articles") from time to time; or
 - (c) an issue of Shares upon the exercise of any options granted under any option scheme or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the granting or issue to employees and/or other eligible persons of the Company and/or any of its subsidiaries of any options to subscribe for, or rights to acquire Shares;

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

- (iv) subject to the passing of each of the paragraphs (i), (ii) and (iii) of this resolution, any prior approvals of the kind referred to in paragraphs (i), (ii) and (iii) of this resolution which had been granted to the Directors and which are still in effect be and are hereby revoked; and
- (v) for the purposes of this resolution,

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

- (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (b) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Articles or any applicable laws to be held; and
- (c) the date on which the authority set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company (the "Shareholders") in general meeting.

"Rights Issue" means the allotment, issue or grant of Shares pursuant to an offer of Shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to the holders of Shares whose name appear, on the register of members of the Company on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such Shares as at that date (subject to such exclusion 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, or the requirements of any recognized regulatory body or any stock exchange in, any territory applicable to the Company)."

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

"THAT:

- (i) subject to paragraph (ii) of this resolution, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to repurchase Shares on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") or on any other stock exchange recognized by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong and the Stock Exchange, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and the regulations of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (the "Listing Rules") be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (ii) the total number of Shares which may be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (i) of this resolution during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) shall not exceed 10% of the total number of issued Shares as at the date of passing of this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly;
- (iii) subject to the passing of each of the paragraphs (i) and (ii) of this resolution, any prior approvals of the kind referred to in paragraphs (i) and (ii) of this resolution, which had been granted to the Directors and which are still in effect be and are hereby revoked; and
- (iv) for the purposes of this resolution, "Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:
 - (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
 - (b) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Articles or any applicable laws to be held; and
 - (c) the date on which the authority set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in general meeting."

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

"THAT subject to the passing of the resolutions nos. 8 and 9 set out in the notice convening the Meeting (the "Notice"), the general mandate granted to the Directors to exercise the powers of the Company to allot, issue or otherwise deal with additional Shares pursuant to resolution no. 8 set out in the Notice be and is hereby extended by the addition to the total number of Shares repurchased by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to resolution no. 9 set out in the Notice, provided that such amount of Shares so repurchased shall not exceed 10% of the total number of issued Shares as at the date of passing of this resolution."

By order of the Board of
Far East Consortium International Limited
Wai Hung Boswell CHEUNG

Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 26 July 2021

Notes:

- a. For determining the entitlement to attend and vote at the Meeting, the Register of Members of the Company will be closed from Thursday, 19 August 2021 to Tuesday, 24 August 2021, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of Shares will be registered. In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the Meeting, unregistered holders of Shares should ensure that all share transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Standard Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong, for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, 18 August 2021.
- b. For determining the entitlement to the Proposed Final Dividend, the Register of Members of the Company will also be closed from Tuesday, 31 August 2021 to Thursday, 2 September 2021, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of Shares will be registered. In order to qualify for entitlement to the Proposed Final Dividend, unregistered holders of Shares should ensure that all share transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Standard Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong, for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Monday, 30 August 2021.
- c. A member entitled to attend and vote at the Meeting is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote in his/her stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company but must be present in person to represent the member. If more than one proxy is so appointed, the appointment shall specify the number of Shares in respect of which each such proxy is so appointed.
- d. In order to be valid, a 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 or authority, shall be deposited at the Company's share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Standard Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the Meeting (i.e. not later than 11:30 a.m. on Sunday, 22 August 2021 (Hong Kong time)) or any adjournment thereof. Completion and delivery of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the Meeting or any adjournment thereof if you so wish.

e. Where there are joint registered holders of any Share, any one of such joint holders may vote, either in person, or by proxy, in respect of such Share as if he/she was solely entitled thereto, but if more than one of such joint holders are present at the Meeting or any adjournment thereof, the most senior shall alone be entitled to vote, whether in person or by proxy. For this purpose, seniority shall be determined by the order in which the name stands first in the Register of Members of the Company in respect of such joint holding.

f. Pursuant to Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules, all resolutions set out in the Notice will be voted by poll at the Meeting.

PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES FOR THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

In view of the recent developments of COVID-19 pandemic, and taking into consideration of the guidelines issued by the Government of Hong Kong, the Company will implement the following preventive measures at the Meeting to protect attending shareholders from the risk of infection:

- compulsory body temperature check will be conducted for every shareholder or proxy at the entrance of the venue;
- every shareholder or proxy is required to wear surgical face mask throughout the Meeting;
- no refreshment will be served; and
- no souvenirs will be distributed.

Any person who does not comply with the precautionary measures may be denied entry into the Meeting venue.

The Company wishes to remind all shareholders that physical attendance in person at the Meeting is not necessary for the purpose of exercising voting rights. Shareholders may appoint the chairman of the Meeting as their proxy to vote on the relevant resolutions at the Meeting as an alternative to attending the Meeting in person.

This Circular, in both English and Chinese versions, is available on the Company's website at www.fecil.com.hk.

Shareholders may at any time change their choice of language(s) (either English only or Chinese only or both languages) of the corporate communication(s) of the Company (the "Corporate Communication(s)").

Shareholders may send their request to change their choice of language(s) of Corporate Communication(s) by notice in writing to the Company's share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Standard Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong.

Shareholders who have chosen to receive the Corporate Communication(s) in either English or Chinese version will receive both English and Chinese versions of this Circular since both languages are bound together into one booklet.