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(Stock Code: 53)

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the Annual General Meeting of Guoco Group Limited ("the Company") will be held at 50th Floor, The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong on Tuesday, 19 November 2013 at 12:00 noon for the following purposes:

## As Ordinary Business:

1. To lay before the meeting the audited Statement of Accounts together with the Reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon for the year ended 30 June 2013.

2. To declare a final dividend. (Resolution 1)

3. To fix the fees of the Directors for the year ended 30 June 2013. (Resolution 2)

4. To re-elect the following retiring Directors:

A. Mr Tan Lim Heng (Resolution 3)

B. Mr Kwek Leng San (Resolution 4)

C. Mr David Michael Norman (Resolution 5)

5. To appoint Auditors and to authorise the Board of Directors to fix their remuneration. (Resolution 6)

## **As Special Business:**

6. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments the following as ordinary resolutions:

A. "THAT: (Resolution 7)

(a) subject to paragraph (b), the exercise by the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period of all the powers of the Company to repurchase shares in the capital of the Company on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and the Bye-Laws of the Company, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (b) the aggregate nominal amount of shares of the Company to be repurchased by the Directors of the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue on the date of passing this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (c) for the purposes of this resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earlier 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 Bye-Laws of the Company or any applicable laws to be held; and
- (iii) the date upon which the authority set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by way of ordinary resolution in general meeting."

B. "THAT: (Resolution 8)

- (a) subject to paragraph (b), the exercise by the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period of all the powers of the Company to allot and issue additional shares in the capital of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such powers either during or after the Relevant Period be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the aggregate nominal amount of share capital allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the Directors of the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a), otherwise than pursuant to:
  - (i) a Rights Issue;
  - (ii) the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any warrants issued by the Company or any securities which are convertible into shares of the Company;
  - (iii)the exercise of any option under the Company's share option schemes; or
  - (iv) any scrip dividend or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on shares of the Company in accordance with the Bye-Laws of the Company,

shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue on the date of passing this resolution and this approval shall be limited accordingly; and

(c) for the purposes of this resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earlier 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 Bye-Laws of the Company or any applicable laws to be held; and
- (iii) the date upon which the authority set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by way of ordinary resolution in general meeting.

"Right Issue" means an offer of shares open for a period fixed by the Directors of the Company to holders of shares on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the Directors of the Company 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 recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange in any territory outside Hong Kong)."

- C. "THAT conditional upon the passing of resolution nos. 7 and 8 of the notice (Resolution 9) convening this meeting, the general mandate granted to the Directors of the Company to exercise the powers of the Company to allot and issue shares pursuant to resolution no. 8 be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto of an amount representing the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company repurchased by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to resolution no. 7, provided that such amount shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue at the date of the passing of this resolution."
- 7. To authorise the Directors to grant options to the eligible executives under the (Resolution 10) Company's Executives' Share Option Scheme 2012 ("GGL ESOS 2012") and to allot, issue and deal with shares of the Company pursuant to the exercise of any option granted thereunder and pursuant to the terms and conditions thereof, and to do all such acts, matters and things as they may in their discretion consider necessary, expedient or desirable to give effect to and implement the GGL ESOS 2012.
- 8. To approve the grant of excess options in respect of 11,319,364 shares of GuocoLeisure (Resolution 11) Limited ("GL") at the exercise price of S\$0.86 each by GL to Mr. Michael DeNoma, the director of GL Group in accordance with the terms of the GuocoLeisure Executives' Share Option Scheme 2008.

By Order of the Board Stella Lo Sze Man Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 10 October 2013

Principal Place of Business: 50th Floor, The Center 99 Queen's Road Central Hong Kong Notes:

- A shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the meeting convened by this notice is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote on his behalf. A proxy does not need to be a shareholder of the Company.
- 2. In order to be valid, the proxy form, together with any power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy thereof, must be deposited at the principal place of business of the Company at 50th Floor, The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting (or adjourned meeting thereof), as the case may be. Completion and return of the proxy form will not preclude the shareholders from attending and voting at the meeting (or any adjourned meeting thereof) if shareholders so wish.
- 3. The Register of Members of the Company will be closed from Friday, 15 November 2013 to Tuesday, 19 November 2013 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfers of shares will be registered. To determine the entitlement to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting of the Company, all transfer document, accompanied by the relevant share certificates, must be lodged with the Company's Branch Share Registrars in Hong Kong, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Rooms 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, 14 November 2013.
- 4. In addition, the Register of Members of the Company will also be closed on Tuesday, 26 November 2013, on such date no transfer of shares will be registered. In order to qualify for the proposed final dividends, subject to approval at the Annual General Meeting of the Company, all transfer document, accompanied by the relevant share certificates, must be lodged with the Company's Branch Share Registrars in Hong Kong, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Rooms 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Monday, 25 November 2013.

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Mr. Quek Leng Chan as Executive Chairman; Mr. Kwek Leng Hai as President and CEO; Mr. Tan Lim Heng as executive director; Mr. Kwek Leng San as non-executive director and Mr. Volker Stoeckel, Mr. Roderic N. A. Sage and Mr. David Michael Norman as independent non-executive directors.