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HENG TAI CONSUMABLES GROUP LIMITED

亨泰消費品集團有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock code: 00197)

(1) RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS; (2) GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND BUY-BACK SHARES; AND (3) NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening the AGM of the Company to be held at Room SOHO 1, 6/F, Ibis Hong Kong Central & Sheung Wan Hotel, No. 28 Des Voeux Road West, Sheung Wan, Hong Kong on Friday, 22 December 2023 at 10:30 a.m. is set out on pages 15 to 19 of this circular. A proxy form for use at the AGM is enclosed with this circular and is also published on the website of the Stock Exchange at www.hkexnews.hk and on the website of the Company at www.hengtai.com.hk.

Whether or not you are able to attend the AGM, you are advised to complete the proxy form in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and deposit the same at the Branch Share Registrar, Union Registrars Limited, at Suites 3301–04, 33/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square, 338 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong, as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the AGM or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the proxy form will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the AGM or any adjournment thereof should you so wish and, in such event, the proxy form shall be deemed to be revoked.

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EXPECTED TIMETABLE

Latest time for lodging transfers of Shares in order to qualify for				
attending and voting at the AGM				
Closure of Register (both dates inclusive)				
Latest time for lodging the proxy forms				
for use at the AGM				
Wednesday, 20 December 2023				
Record Date for determination of entitlements				
to attend and vote at the AGM Friday, 22 December 2023				
Date and time of the AGM				
Friday, 22 December 2023				
Announcement of the poll results of the AGM				
to be posted on the website of the Stock Exchange				
at www.hkexnews.hk and the Company's website				
at www.hengtai.com.hk				
Friday, 22 December 2023				

Notes:

- (1) All dates and times set out in this circular refer to Hong Kong dates and times.
- (2) Dates or deadlines specified in this circular are indicative only and may be varied by the Company. Any consequential changes to the expected timetable will be published or notified to the Shareholders by way of announcement(s) at the website of the Stock Exchange at www.hkexnews.hk and the Company's website at www.hengtai.com.hk as and when appropriate and in accordance with the Listing Rules.
- (3) The AGM will be held on Friday, 22 December 2023 as scheduled regardless of whether or not an amber or red rainstorm warning signal is in force in Hong Kong at any time on that day.
- (4) If Typhoon Signal No. 8 or above is hoisted, or a "black" rainstorm warning signal or "extreme conditions after super typhoons" announced by the Government of Hong Kong is/are in force in Hong Kong at or at any time after 7:00 a.m. on the date of the meeting, the meeting will be postponed. The Company will publish an announcement on the website of the Company at www.hengtai.com.hk and on the website of the Stock Exchange at www.hkexnews.hk to notify Shareholders of the date, time and venue of the rescheduled meeting.

DEFINITIONS

In this circular, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions shall have the following meanings:

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

and held at Room SOHO 1, 6/F, Ibis Hong Kong Central & Sheung Wan Hotel, No. 28 Des Voeux Road West, Sheung Wan, Hong Kong on Friday, 22 December 2023 at 10:30

a.m.

"AGM Notice" the notice dated 31 October 2023 convening the AGM set

out on pages 15 to 19 of this circular

"AGM Record Date" Friday, 22 December 2023, being the record date for

determining entitlements of the Shareholders to attend and

vote at the AGM

"Articles of Association" the articles of association of the Company currently in force

as amended, supplemented or modified from time to time, and "Article" shall mean an article of the Articles of

Association

"associate" has the meaning ascribed to this term under the Listing

Rules

"Best Global" Best Global Asia Limited, a company incorporated in the

BVI with limited liability and its entire issued share capital

is beneficially owned by Mr. Lam

"Board" the board of Directors

"Branch Share Registrar" the branch share registrar and transfer office of the

Company in Hong Kong, Union Registrars Limited, at Suites 3301-04, 33/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square,

338 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong

"Buy-back Mandate" the general and unconditional mandate proposed to be

granted to the Directors at the AGM to exercise the powers of the Company to buy-back Shares up to a maximum number equivalent to 10% of the number of shares in issue in the manner set out in the ordinary resolution number 5 of

the AGM Notice

"BVI" British Virgin Islands

"Company" Heng Tai Consumables Group Limited, a company

incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability and its issued Shares are listed on the main board of the

Stock Exchange

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"connected person" has the meaning ascribed to this term under the Listing

Rules

"controlling shareholder" has the meaning ascribed to this term under the Listing

Rules

"Director(s)" the director(s) of the Company

"Glazy Target" Glazy Target Limited, a company incorporated in the BVI

with limited liability and its entire issued share capital is

beneficially owned by Mr. Chan

"Group" the Company and its subsidiaries

"Hong Kong" the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC

"Issue Mandate" the general and unconditional mandate proposed to be

granted to the Directors at the AGM to allot, issue and/or deal with Shares in the manner set out in the ordinary

resolution number 4 of the AGM Notice

"Latest Practicable Date" 24 October 2023, being the latest practicable date prior to

the printing of this circular for the purpose of ascertaining

certain information contained in this circular

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

Exchange

"Memorandum of Association" the memorandum of association of the Company as

supplemented or modified from time to time

"Mr. Chan" Mr. Chan Cheuk Yu Stephen, an Executive Director of the

Company

"Mr. Lam Kwok Hing, the Chairman, Executive Director and

Chief Executive Officer and of the Company

"PRC" the People's Republic of China, which for the purpose of

this circular, shall exclude Hong Kong, Macau Special

Administrative Region and Taiwan

"Register" the register of members of the Company

"SFO" the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of Laws

of Hong Kong)

"Shareholder(s)" holder(s) of the Shares

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

the Company

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"substantial shareholder" has the meaning ascribed to this term under the Listing

Rules

"Takeovers Code" the Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share Buy-Backs

published by the Securities and Futures Commission of

Hong Kong

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

"%" per cent.



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Executive Directors:

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Ms. Lee Choi Lin Joecy

Ms. Gao Qin Jian

Mr. Chan Cheuk Yu Stephen

Mr. Mok Tsan San

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31 October 2023

To the Shareholders.

Dear Sirs or Madam

(1) RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS;

(2) GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND BUY-BACK SHARES; AND

(3) NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

1. INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this circular is to provide you with (i) the AGM Notice; and (ii) information regarding certain resolutions to be proposed at the AGM to enable you to make informed decision on whether to vote for or against those resolutions.

At the AGM, resolutions will be proposed for the Shareholders to approve, inter alia, (i) the re-election of Directors; (ii) the grant of the Issue Mandate; (iii) the grant of the Buyback Mandate; and (iv) the extension of the Issue Mandate to include Shares that may be bought-back pursuant to the Buy-back Mandate.

2. RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

According to Article 108, one-third of the Directors for the time being, or if their number is not three or a multiple of three, then the number nearest to but not less than one-third, shall retire from office by rotation at every annual general meeting, provided that every Director shall be subject to retirement by rotation at least once every three years. A retiring Director shall be eligible for re-election.

The Nomination Committee of the Company, when recommending candidates including proposing independent non-executive directors for re-election as a member of the Board at the AGM, has considered the candidates' commitment to their respective roles and functions and a range of diversity perspectives, including but not limited to gender, age, cultural and educational background, ethnicity, professional experience, skills, knowledge and length of service with regard to the Company's Board Diversity Policy. Accordingly, the Nomination Committee has proposed three directors, Ms. Lee Choi Lin Joecy, Mr. Chan Cheuk Yu Stephen and Mr. Poon Yiu Cheung Newman, who will retire from their offices by rotation at the AGM and being eligible, to be re-elected at the AGM. Having considered the recommendation of the Nomination Committee and with due regard for the benefits of diversity, the Board is satisfied that each of the proposed Directors has contributed effectively to the operation of the Board in the past year and believes that the re-election of such proposed Directors will allow the Board to continuously benefit from the sharing of their invaluable experience, contribution and participation. Each of the retiring Directors has abstained from voting at the relevant Nomination Committee meeting and Board meeting when their own nomination was being considered. Separate ordinary resolutions will be proposed for each of their re-elections and their particulars of perspectives, skills and experience that they can bring to and contribute to the diversity of the Board are set out in Appendix I to this circular.

The Board noted that Mr. Poon has served the Company for more than 9 years. The Company has continued to receive a written confirmation on his independence from Mr. Poon annually. The Nomination Committee and the Board have fully reviewed and assessed Mr. Poon's independence based on the independence criteria as set out in Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules. Mr. Poon fully satisfied with the factors of independence as set out in Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules like not holding any Shares, options or share awards of the Company and does not have any relationship with any Directors, chief executive or substantial Shareholders. There is no evidence that his long service has had any impact on his independence.

Mr. Poon was a senior executive in a multinational insurance company and held a senior accounting position in a renowned hotel and has extensive experience in insurance and accounting which enables him to provide different perspective and valuable contribution to the Board on business, accounting and internal control matters of the Group. Over these years Mr. Poon has been able to devote sufficient time and attention to the Company's affairs. Both the Nomination Committee and the Board considered that the re-election of Mr. Poon as an independent non-executive Director at the AGM will bring benefit to the Company. The re-election of Mr. Poon at the AGM will be in accordance with the relevant provision as set out in the Corporate Governance Code in Appendix 14 to the Listing Rules, which requires, inter alia, the approval of a separate resolution by Shareholders.

3. THE ISSUE MANDATE AND THE BUY-BACK MANDATE

The Issue Mandate and the Buy-back Mandate shall be effective until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company; or
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Articles of Association, or any applicable law of the Cayman Islands to be held; or
- (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the Shareholders in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the Directors.

The Issue Mandate

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Company has an aggregate of 2,101,407,182 Shares in issue.

Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution to grant the Issue Mandate to the Directors and in accordance with the terms therein, the Company would be allowed to allot and issue up to a maximum of 420,281,436 Shares, representing 20% of the number of issued Shares at the time of the passing of the resolution approving the Issue Mandate on the basis that no further Shares will be issued or bought-back by the Company prior to the AGM.

A further resolution, if approved at the AGM, will extend the maximum number of Shares that may be issued under the Issue Mandate set out above by the number of Shares which may be bought-back by the Company under the Buy-back Mandate as described below.

The Directors have no immediate plan to issue any new Shares.

The Buy-back Mandate

Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution to grant the Buy-back Mandate to the Directors and in accordance with the terms therein, the Company would be allowed to buy-back up to a maximum of 210,140,718 Shares, representing 10% of the number of issued Shares at the time of the passing of the resolution approving the Buy-back Mandate on the basis that no further Shares will be issued or bought-back by the Company prior to the AGM.

Under the Listing Rules, the Company is required to give the Shareholders an explanatory statement containing all information which is reasonably necessary to enable the Shareholders to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the resolution to grant the Buy-back Mandate to the Directors. The explanatory statement is set out in Appendix II to this circular.

4. THE AGM AND RECORD DATE FOR THE AGM

The AGM will be held at Room SOHO 1, 6/F, Ibis Hong Kong Central & Sheung Wan Hotel, No. 28 Des Voeux Road West, Sheung Wan, Hong Kong on Friday, 22 December 2023 at 10:30 a.m. The AGM Notice giving you notice of the AGM is set out on pages 15 to 19 of this circular.

A proxy form for use at the AGM is enclosed with this circular and is also published on the website of the Stock Exchange at www.hkexnews.hk and on the website of the Company at www.hengtai.com.hk. Whether or not you are able to attend the AGM, you are advised to complete the proxy form in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and deposit the same at the Branch Share Registrar,

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as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the AGM or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the proxy form will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the AGM or any adjournment thereof should you so wish and in such event, the proxy form shall be deemed to be revoked.

All resolutions set out in the AGM Notice will be decided by poll in accordance with the Articles of Association and the Listing Rules, except where the chairman, in good faith, decides to allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter to be voted on by a show of hands. For the purpose of the Listing Rules, procedural or administrative matters are those that:

- (i) are not on the agenda of the AGM or in any supplementary circular to members; and
- (ii) which relate to the chairman's duties to maintain the orderly conduct of the meeting and/or allow the business of the meeting to be properly and effectively dealt with, whilst allowing the Shareholders a reasonable opportunity to express their views.

To qualify for attending and voting at the AGM, a Shareholder must be registered as a member of the Company on the Record Date. The register of members of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, 19 December 2023 to Friday, 22 December 2023 (both dates inclusive) for the purpose of determining the right to attend and vote at the AGM, during which period no transfer of Shares will be registered. The latest time for lodging transfers of Shares with the Branch Share Registrar, Union Registrars Limited, at Suites 3301–04, 33/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square, 338 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong, for registration in order to qualify for attending and voting at the AGM is 4:00 p.m. on Monday, 18 December 2023.

To the best of the Directors' knowledge, information and belief, having made all reasonable enquiries, no Shareholder has a material interest in the matters to be proposed at the AGM or is required to abstain from voting.

5. RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS

This circular, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Company. The Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that to the best of their knowledge and belief the information contained in this circular is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this circular misleading.

6. RECOMMENDATIONS

The Directors consider the retiring Directors have been serving the Company well during their respective terms in office and believe they will continue to contribute their expertise and dedication to the Group in the coming years.

The Directors believe that an exercise of the Issue Mandate to allot and issue new Shares will enable the Company to take advantage of market conditions to raise additional capital for and/or as means of payment by the Company.

The Buy-back Mandate may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net assets value of the Company and its net assets and/ or earnings per Share and will only be made when the Directors believe that a buy-back of Shares will benefit the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. An exercise of the Buy-back Mandate in full could have a material adverse impact on the working capital and gearing position of the Company compared with that as at 30 June 2023, being the date of its latest published audited consolidated accounts. The Directors do not, however, intend to make any buy-back in circumstances that would have a material adverse impact on the working capital or gearing position of the Company.

In view of the reasons set out above and in this circular, the Directors believe that the reelection of Directors, the proposed grant of the Issue Mandate and the Buy-back Mandate are in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. The Directors therefore recommend you to vote in favour of the relevant resolutions to be proposed at the AGM.

Yours faithfully
For and on behalf of the Board of
Heng Tai Consumables Group Limited
Lam Kwok Hing
Chairman

DETAILS OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE RE-ELECTED AT THE AGM

Ms. Lee Choi Lin Joecy

Ms. Lee Choi Lin Joecy, aged 63, has been appointed as an Executive Director since April 2001 and holds certain directorships in the subsidiaries of the Company. Ms. Lee is responsible for the general administration and management of the Group. She has over 20 years' experience in marketing and distribution of fast moving consumer goods. Ms. Lee founded the original group company with other founding shareholders in 1994. Ms. Lee is the spouse of Mr. Lam Kwok Hing, who is the Chairman, Managing Director, Executive Director and the Chief Executive Officer of the Company.

Ms. Lee has not held any other directorships in listed public companies in the past three years. Save that Ms. Lee is the spouse of Mr. Lam, Ms. Lee does not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management, substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Ms. Lee had a total spousal interest of 292,473,914 Shares, of which 17,395,000 shares were held by Mr. Lam and 275,078,914 shares were held by Best Global, representing approximately 13.92% of the entire issued share capital of the Company. Save as disclosed above, Ms. Lee was not interested in any Shares or underlying shares in or any debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporation within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Ms. Lee has entered into a service agreement with the Company for an initial term of three years commencing on 1 July 2001 renewable automatically for successive terms of one year after the expiry of the then current term until terminated by not less than three months' notice in writing served by either party. She is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at annual general meetings at least once for every three years in accordance with the Articles of Association. Pursuant to the service agreement, Ms. Lee is entitled to a director's emolument, a discretionary management bonus and retirement fund scheme which are determined by reference to prevailing market rate, her time, effort and expertise devoted to the Company's affairs and the Company's remuneration policy and are subject to review by the Remuneration Committee from time to time. For the financial year ended 30 June 2023, Ms. Lee was entitled to receive a total director's emoluments of approximately HK\$878,000.

Save for the information set out above, there is no information relating to Ms. Lee that is required to be disclosed pursuant to Rules 13.51(2)(h) to (v) of the Listing Rules and there is no other matter that needs to be brought to the attention of Shareholders in respect of Ms. Lee who stands for re-election at the AGM.

DETAILS OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE RE-ELECTED AT THE AGM

Mr. Chan Cheuk Yu Stephen

Mr. Chan Cheuk Yu Stephen, aged 46, has been appointed as an Executive Director since February 2017 and holds certain directorships in the subsidiaries of the Company. Mr. Chan received his Bachelor's degree with first honour in Financial Economics from Coventry University, UK and a Master's degree in Finance from University of London, Imperial College of Science, Technology and Medicine. He was an executive director of the institutional sales of a reputable brokerage firm immediately prior to joining the Company. He has more than 15 years' experience in investment banking, securities, IPOs, corporate actions and derivatives.

Mr. Chan has not held any other directorships in listed public companies in the past three years nor does he have any relationship with any Directors, senior management, substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Chan had a total interest of 301,060,073 Shares held by Glazy Target, which was wholly and beneficially owned by Mr. Chan, representing approximately 14.33% of the entire issued shares capital of the Company. Save as disclosed above, Mr. Chan was not interested in any Shares or underlying shares in or any debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Mr. Chan has entered into a service agreement with the Company for a term of three years commencing from 6 February 2023. He is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at annual general meetings at least once for every three years in accordance with the Articles of Association. Pursuant to the service agreement, Mr. Chan is entitled to a director's emolument, a discretionary management bonus and retirement fund scheme which are determined by reference to prevailing market rate, his time, effort and expertise devoted to the Company's affairs and the Company's remuneration policy and are subject to review by the Remuneration Committee from time to time. For the financial year ended 30 June 2023, Mr. Chan was entitled to receive a total director's emoluments of approximately HK\$1,578,000.

Save for the information set out above, there is no information relating to Mr. Chan that is required to be disclosed pursuant to Rules 13.51(2)(h) to (v) of the Listing Rules and there is no other matter that needs to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in respect of Mr. Chan who stands for re-election at the AGM.

DETAILS OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE RE-ELECTED AT THE AGM

Mr. Poon Yiu Cheung Newman

Mr. Poon Yiu Cheung Newman, aged 69, has been appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director since November 2003. He is also a member of the Audit Committee, Remuneration Committee and Nomination Committee of the Company. Mr. Poon received his Bachelor of Arts Degree, majoring in accounting and economics from the University of Alberta in Canada. Mr. Poon was a senior executive in a multinational insurance company and held a senior accounting position in a renowned hotel and has over 30 years' experience in insurance and accounting.

Mr. Poon has not held any other directorships in listed public companies in the past three years nor does he have any relationship with any Directors, senior management, substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Poon was not interested in any Shares or underlying shares in or any debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO.

Mr. Poon has entered into a service agreement with the Company for a term of three years commencing from 26 November 2021. He is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at annual general meetings at least once for every three years in accordance with the Articles of Association. Pursuant to the service agreement, Mr. Poon is entitled to receive a director's fee which was determined by reference to his duties and responsibilities to the Company is review by the Remuneration Committee from time to time. For the financial year ended 30 June 2023, Mr. Poon was entitled to receive a director's fee of HK\$150,000.

The Board noted that Mr. Poon has served the Company for more than 9 years. The Company has continued to receive a written confirmation on his independence from Mr. Poon annually. Mr. Poon fully satisfied with the factors of independence as set out in Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules and there is no evidence that his long service has had any impact on his independence. Accordingly, the Board considered that Mr. Poon is still independent and should be re-elected as an Independent Non-executive Director at the AGM. The re-appointment of Mr. Poon at the AGM will be in accordance with the relevant provision as set out in the Corporate Governance Code in Appendix 14 to the Listing Rules, which requires, inter alia, the approval of a separate resolution by Shareholders.

Save for the information set out above, there is no information relating to Mr. Poon that is required to be disclosed pursuant to Rules 13.51(2)(h) to (v) of the Listing Rules and there is no other matter that needs to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in respect of Mr. Poon who stands for re-election at the AGM.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT FOR THE BUY-BACK MANDATE

This Appendix II serves as an explanatory statement, as required by the Listing Rules, to provide requisite information for you to make informed decision on whether to vote for or against the ordinary resolution to approve the Buy-back Mandate at the AGM.

1. BUY-BACK OF SECURITIES FROM CONNECTED PARTIES

The Listing Rules permit companies whose primary listings are on the Stock Exchange to buy-back their own shares on the Stock Exchange subject to certain restrictions and obtaining prior Shareholders' approval. The Listing Rules, however, prohibit a company from knowingly buying-back securities on the Stock Exchange from a connected person and a connected person is prohibited from knowingly selling his/her securities to the Company.

2. SHARE CAPITAL

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the issued share capital of the Company comprised 2,101,407,182 fully paid Shares.

Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution for the approval of the Buy-back Mandate, on the basis that no further Shares are issued or bought-back by the Company prior to the AGM, the Company will be allowed under the Buy-back Mandate to buy-back a maximum of 210,140,718 fully paid Shares, representing 10% of the total number of issued Shares as at the date of the AGM.

3. REASONS FOR THE BUY-BACK

Although Directors have no present intention to buy-back any Share, Directors believe that the Buy-back Mandate is in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. An exercise of the Buy-back Mandate may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time being, lead to an enhancement of net assets per Share and/or earnings per Share. Such buy-back will only be made when the Directors believe that a buy-back will benefit the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

4. FUNDING OF BUY-BACK

Pursuant to the Buy-back Mandate, buy-back would be funded entirely from the Company's available cash flow or working capital facilities which will be funds legally available under the applicable laws of Cayman Islands, Hong Kong and the Memorandum of Association and Articles of Association for such purpose.

The Buy-back Mandate may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time being, lead to an enhancement of net assets value of the Company and its net assets and/or earnings per Share and will only be made when the Directors believe that a buy-back of Shares will benefit the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. An exercise of the Buy-back Mandate in full could have a material adverse impact on the working capital and gearing position of the Company compared with that as at 30 June 2023, being the date of its latest

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT FOR THE BUY-BACK MANDATE

published audited consolidated accounts. The Directors do not intend to make any buy-back in circumstances that would have a material adverse impact on the working capital or gearing position of the Company.

5. SHARE PRICES

The highest and lowest prices at which the Shares have traded on the Stock Exchange in each of the previous twelve calendar months were as follows:

	Share prices	
	Highest	Lowest
	(HK\$)	(HK\$)
2022		
October	0.091	0.068
November	0.070	0.042
December	0.057	0.045
2023		
January	0.069	0.053
February	0.065	0.051
March	0.060	0.051
April	0.055	0.046
May	0.054	0.039
June	0.047	0.028
July	0.037	0.028
August	0.059	0.032
September	0.070	0.051
October (up to and including the Latest Practicable Date)	0.075	0.038

6. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

None of the Directors or, to the best of their knowledge and having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their associates, have any present intention to sell to the Company or its subsidiaries any of the Shares in the Company in the event that the Buy-back Mandate is approved at the AGM and exercised.

Further, no connected persons of the Company have notified the Company that they have present intention to sell any Shares to the Company nor any such connected persons have undertaken not to sell any of the Shares held by him to the Company in the event that the Buyback Mandate is approved.

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7. DIRECTORS' UNDERTAKING AND MINIMUM PUBLIC HOLDING

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange that, so far as the same may be applicable, they will exercise the powers of the Company to make buy-back pursuant to the Buy-back Mandate in accordance with the Listing Rules, the Articles of Association and the applicable laws of Cayman Islands and Hong Kong.

The Company will not buy-back Shares which would result in the amount of Shares held by the public being reduced to less than 25%.

At as the Latest Practicable Date, Directors have no intention to buy-back any Shares under the Buy-back Mandate.

8. EFFECTS OF THE TAKEOVERS CODE

If, as a result of a share buy-back, 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 Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code. Accordingly, a Shareholder, or group of Shareholders acting in concert (within the meaning under the Takeovers Code), depending on the level of increase in the interest of the Shareholder(s) but subject to the latitude provided by the 2% creeper provision under Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code, could obtain or consolidate control of the Company and thereby become obliged to make a mandatory general offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code and the provisions thereof may otherwise apply as a result of any such increase.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, to the best knowledge and belief of the Directors, Mr. Lam and Best Global, a company wholly owned by Mr. Lam, held an aggregate of about 13.92% of the issued Shares; Glazy Target, a company wholly owned by Mr. Chan, held about 14.33% of the issued Shares. If Mr. Lam and Mr. Chan act in concert (the "Concert Group"), they would be interested in approximately 28.25% of the total number of issued Shares. In the event that the Directors exercised the Buy-back Mandate in full, the shareholdings of the Concert Group would become approximately 31.38% of the total number of issued Shares. As a result of the exercise of the Buy-back Mandate in full, the Concert Group would become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code. However, it is not the present intention of the Directors to exercise the Buy-back Mandate in such manner as to trigger off any general offer obligations.

Save as disclosed above, the Directors are not aware of any consequences which the exercise in full of the Buy-back Mandate would arise under the Takeovers Code.

9. SHARES BUY-BACK MADE BY THE COMPANY

No buy-back of Shares have been made by the Company (whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise) during the six months immediately prior to the Latest Practicable Date.



HENG TAI CONSUMABLES GROUP LIMITED

亨泰消費品集團有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock code: 00197)

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an annual general meeting (the "**AGM**") of Heng Tai Consumables Group Limited (the "**Company**") will be held at Room SOHO 1, 6/F, Ibis Hong Kong Central & Sheung Wan Hotel, No. 28 Des Voeux Road West, Sheung Wan, Hong Kong on Friday, 22 December 2023 at 10:30 a.m. to transact the following business:

AS ORDINARY BUSINESS

- 1. to receive, consider and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements and the reports of the directors of the Company (the "**Directors**") and auditor for the financial year ended 30 June 2023;
- 2. (a) to re-elect Ms. Lee Choi Lin Joecy as an Executive Director;
 - (b) to re-elect Mr. Chan Cheuk Yu Stephen as an Executive Director;
 - (c) to re-elect Mr. Poon Yiu Cheung Newman as an Independent Non-executive Director; and
 - (d) to authorise the board of Directors ("Board") to fix the remuneration of Directors;
- 3. to re-appoint the Company's auditor and to authorise the Board to fix their remuneration;

AS SPECIAL BUSINESS

4. to consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"THAT:

(a) subject to paragraph (c) below, pursuant to the Rules (the "Listing Rules") Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange"), all applicable laws and the articles of associations of the Company, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and

- deal with unissued shares of the Company (the "Shares") or securities convertible into Shares, or options, warrants or similar rights to subscribe for any Shares or such convertible securities, which might require the exercise of such powers be and the same is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) above shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements, options, warrants and other securities to subscribe for or convertible into Shares which might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the number of Shares which may be allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to options or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as defined below); or (ii) the exercise of any options granted under the share option scheme of the Company; or (iii) any scrip dividend or similar arrangements providing for the allotment and issue of Shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on Shares in accordance with the articles of association of the Company in force from time to time; or (iv) any issue of Shares upon the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any warrants of the Company or any securities which are convertible into Shares, shall not exceed the aggregate of:
 - (aa) 20 per cent. of the number of issued Shares on the date of the passing of this resolution; and
 - (bb) (provided that resolutions no. 5 and 6 are passed) the number of issued Shares bought-back by the Company subsequent to the passing of this resolution (up to a maximum equivalent to 10 per cent. of the number of Shares of the Company in issue on the date of the passing of this resolution), and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be limited accordingly; and
- (d) for the purposes of this resolution:
 - "Relevant Period" means the period from the date of the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest 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 articles of association of the Company or any applicable laws of Cayman Islands to be held; and
 - (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the Directors by this resolution;

"Rights Issue" means an offer of Shares, or offer or issue of warrants, options or other securities giving rights to subscribe for Shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of Shares on the register of members on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of Shares (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 recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange)."

5. to consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (b) of this resolution, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all powers of the Company to buyback the Shares on the Stock Exchange or any other stock exchange on which the Shares may be listed and recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong (the "SFC") and the Stock Exchange for such purpose, and otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations of the SFC, the Stock Exchange, all other applicable laws and the articles of association of the Company in this regard, be and the same is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the number of Shares which may be bought-back by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) during the Relevant Period (as defined below) shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the number of issued Shares as at the date of the passing of this resolution and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be limited accordingly; and
- (c) for the purposes of this resolution:
 - "Relevant Period" means the period from the date of the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest 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 articles of association of the Company or any applicable law of Cayman Islands to be held; and
 - (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the Directors by this resolution."

6. to consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"THAT subject to the ordinary resolutions no. 4 and 5 above being duly passed, the unconditional general mandate granted to the Directors to exercise the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with unissued Shares pursuant to resolution no. 4 above be and is hereby extended by the addition thereon of the number of issued Shares bought-back by the Company subsequent to the passing of this resolution, provided that such amount shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the number of the issued Shares on the date of the passing of resolution no. 5."

By order of the Board
Heng Tai Consumables Group Limited
Lam Kwok Hing

Chairman

Hong Kong, 31 October 2023

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Notes:

- (1) Any member entitled to attend and vote at a meeting of the Company shall be entitled to appoint another person as his proxy to attend and vote instead of him. A member who is the holder of two or more shares may appoint more than one proxy to represent him and vote on his behalf at the AGM.
- (2) The instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing under the hand of the appointor or of his attorney duly authorised in writing or, if the appointor is a corporation, either under its seal or under the hand of an officer, attorney or other person authorised to sign the same.
- (3) In the case of joint holders of a share if more than one of such joint holders be present at any meeting the vote of the senior who tenders a vote, whether in person or by proxy, shall be accepted to the exclusion of the votes of the other joint holders, and for this purpose seniority shall be determined by the order in which the names stand in the register in respect of the joint holding.
- (4) 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 certified copy of such power or authority, must be deposited at the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Union Registrars Limited, at Suites 3301–04, 33/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square, 338 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or any adjourned meeting thereof.
- (5) A member may appoint a proxy in respect of part only of his holding of shares in the Company. A proxy need not be a member of the Company. In addition, a proxy or proxies representing either a member who is an individual, or a member which is a corporation shall be entitled to exercise the same powers on behalf of the member which he or they represent as such member could exercise.

- (6) Completion and return of a proxy form will not preclude a member from attending and voting in person at the above meeting or any adjourned meeting thereof, should he so wish and in such event, the proxy form shall be deemed to be revoked.
- (7) Pursuant to Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules, any vote of the shareholders at a general meeting must be taken by poll. Therefore, the Chairman of the meeting will demand that all resolutions will be voted by way of poll at the meeting.
- (8) To qualify for attending and voting at the AGM, a Shareholder must be registered as a member of the Company on the Record Date. The register of members of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, 19 December 2023 to Friday, 22 December 2023 (both dates inclusive) for the purpose of determining the right to attend and vote at the AGM, during which period no transfer of Shares will be registered. In order to qualify for attending and voting at the AGM, all transfers of Shares accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the branch share registrar and transfer office, Union Registrars Limited, at Suites 3301–04, 33/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square, 338 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong, for registration not later than 4:00 p.m. on Monday, 18 December 2023.
- (9) The AGM will be held on Friday, 22 December 2023 as scheduled regardless of whether or not an amber or red rainstorm warning signal is in force in Hong Kong at any time on that day.
- (10) If Typhoon Signal No. 8 or above is hoisted, or a "black" rainstorm warning signal or "extreme conditions after super typhoons" announced by the Government of Hong Kong is/are in force in Hong Kong at or at any time after 7:00 a.m. on the date of the meeting, the meeting will be postponed. The Company will publish an announcement on the website of the Company at www.hengtai.com.hk and on the website of the Stock Exchange at www.hkexnews.hk to notify Shareholders of the date, time and venue of the rescheduled meeting.