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DATE OF BOARD MEETING

The board of directors (the "Board") of Hutchison Whampoa Limited (the "Company") announces that a meeting of the Board will be held on Thursday, 29 March 2012 at 22nd Floor, Hutchison House, 10 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong for the purpose of, inter alia, approving the annual results of the Company and its subsidiaries for the year ended 31 December 2011 and its publication and the consideration of the recommendation for payment of a final dividend.

By Order of the Board

Edith Shih Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 6 January 2012

As at the date of this announcement, the directors of the Company are:

Executive Directors:

Mr LI Ka-shing (*Chairman*) Mr LI Tzar Kuoi, Victor (*Deputy Chairman*) Mr FOK Kin Ning, Canning Mrs CHOW WOO Mo Fong, Susan Mr Frank John SIXT Mr LAI Kai Ming, Dominic Mr KAM Hing Lam

Non-executive Director: Mr George Colin MAGNUS

Independent Non-executive Directors: The Hon Sir Michael David KADOORIE Mr Holger KLUGE Mrs Margaret LEUNG KO May Yee Mr William Elkin MOCATTA

(Alternate to The Hon Sir Michael David Kadoorie) Mr William SHURNIAK Mr WONG Chung Hin