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# INTERNATIONAL GENIUS COMPANY

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 33)

## (1) PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS;

(2) PROPOSED GRANT OF GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE NEW SHARES AND

# REPURCHASE BY THE COMPANY OF ITS OWN SHARES; AND

(3) NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening an annual general meeting ("AGM") of International Genius Company to be held at 42/F, China Resources Tower, Nanshan District, Shenzhen, Guangdong Province, China on Friday, 15 December 2023 at 3:00 p.m. is set out on pages 13 to 17 of this circular. A form of proxy for use at the AGM is enclosed with this circular.

If you are not able to attend the AGM, please complete and sign the form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it to the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong as soon as possible but in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the AGM (i.e. no later than 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, 13 December 2023) 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 thereof should you so wish.

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## **DEFINITIONS**

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

"AGM" or "Annual General the annual general meeting of the Company to be held at 42/F,

Meeting" China Resources Tower, Nanshan District, Shenzhen, Guangdong

Province, China on Friday, 15 December 2023 at 3:00 p.m. or any

adjournment thereof

"AGM Notice" the notice convening the AGM set out on pages 13 to 17 of this

circular

"Board" the board of Directors

"close associate(s)" has the meaning ascribed to this term under the Listing Rules

"Company" International Genius Company (stock code: 33), a company

incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability, the issued shares of which are listed on the main board of the Stock

Exchange

"core connected person(s)" has the meaning ascribed to this term under the Listing Rules

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

"Group" the Company and all of its subsidiaries

"Hong Kong" Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic

of China

"Issue Mandate" the general mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors at the

Annual General Meeting to allot, issue and deal with new Shares representing up to 20% of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of the passing of the relevant resolution granting such

mandate

"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 and Articles" the amended and restated memorandum and articles of association

of the Company adopted on 15 December 2022

# **DEFINITIONS**

"Repurchase Mandate" the repurchase mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors at

the Annual General Meeting to repurchase such number of Shares up to 10% of the number of the issued shares of the Company as at the date of the passing of the relevant resolution granting such

mandate

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

Hong Kong)

"Share(s)" ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.01 each in the share capital of the

Company

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

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"Takeovers Code" the Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share Repurchase issued

by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong, as

amended from time to time

"%" per cent



# INTERNATIONAL GENIUS COMPANY

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(Stock Code: 33)

Executive Director:

Dr. Lin Feng

Non-executive Directors:

Ms. Sun Qiuzhen

Mr. Dai Chengyan

Independent Non-executive Directors:

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31 October 2023

To the Shareholders

Dear Sir or Madam,

# (1) PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS;

# (2) PROPOSED GRANT OF GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE NEW SHARES AND

# REPURCHASE BY THE COMPANY OF ITS OWN SHARES; AND

(3) NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

## INTRODUCTION

The primary purpose of this circular is to provide you with information regarding, inter alia, (i) the re-election of Directors; (ii) the Issue Mandate; (iii) the Repurchase Mandate; and (iv) the notice of AGM.

#### PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

In accordance with Article 130 of the Memorandum and Articles, 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 (including those appointed for a specific term) shall be subject to retirement by rotation at least once every three years. Any Director appointed pursuant to Article 114 or Article 115 shall not be taken into account in determining which Directors are to retire by rotation. A retiring Director shall be eligible for reelection.

Accordingly, Dr. Lin Feng and Mr. Yip Tze Wai Albert shall retire and be eligible to offer themselves for re-election at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

In accordance with Article 114 of the Memorandum and Articles of Association, the Board shall have power from time to time and at any time to appoint any person as a Director either to fill a casual vacancy on or as an addition to the Board. Any Director so appointed shall hold office only until the first annual general meeting of the Company after his appointment and shall then be eligible for re-election at that meeting.

Accordingly, Ms. Sun Qiuzhen will retire and, being eligible, will offer herself for re-election at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

Biographic details of the Directors proposed to be re-elected at the Annual General Meeting are set out in Appendix I to this circular.

## ISSUE MANDATE AND REPURCHASE MANDATE

Ordinary resolutions will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting to authorise the Directors, inter alia, (i) to exercise the powers of the Company to allot and issue Shares not exceeding 20% of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of the passing of such resolution; (ii) to repurchase Shares not exceeding 10% of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of the passing of such resolution; and (iii) to extend the general mandate to issue Shares by the number of Shares purchased under the Repurchase Mandate.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, a total of 537,245,104 Shares were in issue. Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution for the approval of the Issue Mandate and in accordance with the terms therein, the Directors would be granted a new general mandate to allot and issue up to a maximum of 107,449,020 Shares, representing 20% of the 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 repurchased by the Company prior to the Annual General Meeting.

The Directors are of the opinion that it is in the interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole if the Issue Mandate and Repurchase Mandate are granted at the Annual General Meeting.

The Issue Mandate will provide the Directors with flexibility to issue Shares especially in the context of a fund raising exercise in a timely manner. The Directors have no immediate plans to issue any new Shares under the Issue Mandate.

The Repurchase Mandate can provide more flexibility to the Directors to repurchase Shares in a timely manner as and when appropriate and beneficial to the Company. For instance the net asset value of the Company and/or its earnings per Share may be enhanced when Shares are repurchased. At present, the Company does not have any plan for repurchases of Shares. Repurchases will only be made when the Directors are of the opinion that such a repurchase will benefit the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. An explanatory statement as required under the Listing Rules to provide the requisite information concerning the Repurchase Mandate is set out in Appendix II to this circular.

The Issue Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate, if granted, shall be effective until whichever is the earliest of:

- (a) the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company; or
- (b) the expiration of the period within which the next AGM of the Company is required by the Memorandum and Articles, or any other applicable laws of the Cayman Islands to be held; or
- (c) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the Shareholders in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the Directors.

#### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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## **CLOSURE OF REGISTER OF MEMBERS**

In order to determine the eligibility of shareholders to attend and vote at the AGM, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Monday, 11 December 2023 to Friday, 15 December 2023, both days inclusive, during which no transfer of shares will be registered. In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the AGM, all transfer of shares accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged

with the Company's Hong Kong branch share registrar, Tricor Investor Services Limited at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong, for registration no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 8 December 2023.

#### **VOTING BY POLL**

Pursuant to Rule 13.39 of the Listing Rules and Article 90 of the Memorandum and Articles, all votes of the Shareholders at the general meetings must be taken by poll 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. In this regard, the resolutions set out in the notice of Annual General Meeting will be put to vote by way of poll.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, no Shareholder has a material interest in the resolutions proposed to be passed at the Annual General Meeting (including the proposed re-election of Directors, the proposed grant of the Issue Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate and the extension of the Issue Mandate to the Shares repurchased pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate). As such, no Shareholder is required to abstain from voting on the resolutions in relation thereto at the Annual General Meeting.

### RECOMMENDATION

The Directors are of the opinion that the proposed resolutions for re-election of Directors, the proposed grant of the Issue Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate and the extension of the Issue Mandate to the Shares repurchased pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate are fair and reasonable and are in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole and recommend the Shareholders to vote in favour of the above resolutions to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

## RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

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 Group. 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.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Your attention is drawn to the information set out in the appendices to this circular.

Yours faithfully
For and on behalf of the Board of
International Genius Company
Dr. Lin Feng
Executive Director

# BIOGRAPHIC DETAILS OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE RE-ELECTED

The biographic details of the Directors who will retire from office at the Annual General Meeting and being eligible, will offer themselves for re-election at the Annual General Meeting, are set out below:

## **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

#### Dr. Lin Feng

Dr. Lin Feng ("**Dr. Lin**"), aged 35, was appointed as an Executive Director on 10 January 2020. Dr. Lin has extensive experience in corporate finance, franchising and scale development. Dr. Lin founded MyCharm, a franchised retail brand in 2011 and Guangzhou Baikong Biotechnology Limited in 2015, focusing on research vector control technology. His innovative research achievement and intellectual property rights have contributed to the development of biotechnology market in Mainland China. In the same year, Dr. Lin established Shenzhen Qianhai Water & Wood Fund Management Limited, principally engaged in the algorithmic trading & private equity, and introduced one of the five most significant overseas hedge funds into China market. He served as an executive director of Target Insurance (Holdings) Limited (Stock Code: 6161) from December 2020 to May 2022. Dr. Lin obtained a bachelor's degree in 2012. Dr. Lin was awarded the Doctor of pathogenic biology from Southern Medical University, China in June 2023.

Dr. Lin has entered into a director's service contract with the Company, which may be terminated by a notice in writing served by either party on the other in accordance with the service contract. Dr. Lin will be subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Memorandum and Articles. Dr. Lin is entitled to an emolument of HK\$50,000 per month, which was recommended by the Remuneration Committee of the Board with reference to his qualifications, experience, duties and responsibilities in the Company and the prevailing market conditions and determined by the Board.

Saved as disclosed above, Dr. Lin does not (i) hold in the past three years any directorships in any other public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market whether in Hong Kong or overseas; (ii) hold any other positions with the Company or any of its subsidiaries; (iii) have any interests in the issued shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO; and (iv) have any other relationship with any Directors, supervisors, senior management, substantial or controlling shareholder of the Company.

Save as disclosed above, Dr. Lin has confirmed that there is no other information relating to him which is required to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements under Rule 13.51(2)(h) to (v) of the Listing Rules nor is there any further information in relation to his re-election that needs to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders and the Stock Exchange.

# BIOGRAPHIC DETAILS OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE RE-ELECTED

#### NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

## Ms. Sun Qiuzhen

Ms. Sun Qiuzhen ("Ms. Sun"), aged 80, was appointed as a Non-executive Director on 12 April 2023. She was educated in Mainland China and has served as the security guard of the national leader Chairman Mao Zedong for a long time and was transferred to the Zhejiang Provincial Security Department for many years. Then she served in the Hangzhou Municipal Bureau of Commerce and Hangzhou Tourism Bureau until she retired. Ms. Sun is the spouse of Mr. Han Chengfang, the former Independent non-executive Director of the Company.

Ms. Sun has entered into a director's service contract with the Company for a fixed term of three years. Ms. Sun will be subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Memorandum and Articles. The Board determines that the emolument payable to Ms. Sun is HK\$1 per annum subject to annual adjustment to be determined by the Board with recommendation from the Remuneration Committee of the Board by reference to the performance of the Company and Ms. Sun. The aforesaid emolument payable to Ms. Sun is determined by the Remuneration Committee of the Board based on her qualification, experience and responsibilities.

Save as disclosed above, Ms. Sun does not (i) hold in the past three years any directorships in other public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas; (ii) hold any other positions with the Company or any of its subsidiaries; (iii) have any interests in the issued shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO; and (iv) have any other relationship with any Directors, supervisors, senior management or substantial shareholders or controlling shareholders of the Company.

Save as disclosed above, Ms. Sun has confirmed that there is no other information relating to his appointment which is required to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements under Rule 13.51(2)(h) to Rule 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules. There is also no further information that needs to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders and the Stock Exchange.

#### INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

## Mr. Yip Tze Wai Albert

Mr. Yip Tze Wai Albert ("Mr. Yip"), aged 58, has been appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company with effect from 17 May 2022. Mr. Yip is the Chairman of Syndicate Capital (Asia) Limited and has over 30 years of banking and financial experience leading strategic planning, corporate finance, internal audit, operations, risks management, compliance and regulatory functions in multi-national corporations. During the past three decades, Mr. Yip was appointed as Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Chief Audit Executive and other senior executive positions across Asia Pacific and the United States by Fortune 500 leaders in the banking and financial sectors. Mr. Yip was the former Senior Vice President and Asia Pacific Regional Head of Corporate Audit at State Street Corporation. Mr. Yip was also the former Asia Head of Audit Services at Manulife Financial. He served other senior management roles in BOA, State Street Bank and Westpac Bank.

# BIOGRAPHIC DETAILS OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE RE-ELECTED

Mr. Yip holds the Master of Science Degree in Information System and Bachelor of Arts (Honorary Degree) in Accountancy. Mr. Yip also earned designations of Fellow Certified Practicing Accountant (FCPA) of CPA Australia, and Forensic Certified Public Accountant (Forensic CPA) of Forensic CPA Society. Among his public duties in professional bodies, he currently serves as the Chairman of WealthTech Committee and Convenor of Investment Committee at Institute of Financial Technologists of Asia (IFTA), promoting the development and investment in fintech. Mr. Yip was the former Governor and Chairman of Professional Development Committee of the Institute of Internal Auditors Hong Kong Chapter and the former Chairman of the Financial Services Committee of CPA Australia, Greater China Division.

For community services, Mr. Yip is the honoree in Asia to receive the WACE Award from Advancing Cooperative & Work-Integrated Education for his achievement and contribution to university students' career developments globally. Mr. Yip also received the Honorary Doctorate of Business Administration (Hon. DBA) designation due to his significant contribution to ESG initiatives on a worldwide basis.

Mr. Yip has entered into a director's service contract with the Company for a fixed term of three years. Mr. Yip will be subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at general meeting of the Company in accordance with the Memorandum and Articles. The Board determines that the emolument payable to Mr. Yip is HK\$30,000 per month subject to annual adjustment to be determined by the Board with recommendation from the Remuneration Committee of the Board by reference to the performance of the Company and Mr. Yip. The aforesaid emolument payable to Mr. Yip is determined by the Remuneration Committee of the Board based on his qualification, experience and responsibilities.

Save as disclosed above, Mr. Yip does not (i) hold in the past three years any directorships in other public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas; (ii) hold any other positions with the Company or any of its subsidiaries; (iii) have any interests in the issued shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO; and (iv) have any other relationship with any Directors, supervisors, senior management or substantial shareholders or controlling shareholders of the Company.

Mr. Yip has confirmed that he met the independence criteria as set out in Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules. Save as disclosed above, Mr. Yip has confirmed that there is no other information relating to his appointment which is required to be disclosed pursuant to the requirements under Rule 13.51(2)(h) to Rule 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules. There is also no further information that needs to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders and the Stock Exchange.

This appendix serves as an explanatory statement, as required by the Listing Rules, to provide requisite information to you for your consideration of the Repurchase Mandate.

## 1. SHARE CAPITAL

As at the Latest Practicable Date, a total of 537,245,104 Shares were in issue and fully paid. Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution for the approval of the Repurchase Mandate and on the basis that no further Shares are issued or repurchased by the Company prior to the Annual General Meeting, the Company will be allowed under the Repurchase Mandate to repurchase a maximum of 53,724,510 Shares.

#### 2. REASONS FOR THE REPURCHASE

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

#### 3. FUNDING OF REPURCHASES

The Company is empowered by the Memorandum and Articles and the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands to repurchase its Shares. The Cayman Islands law provides that the amount of capital repaid in connection with a Share repurchase may only be paid out of either the capital paid up on the relevant Shares, or the profits that would otherwise be available for distribution by way of dividend or the proceeds of a new issue of Shares made for such purpose. The amount of premium payable on repurchase may only be paid out of the funds of the Company that would otherwise be legally available for dividend or distribution or out of the share premium account of the Company for such purpose under the laws of the Cayman Islands. Under the Cayman Islands law, the Shares so repurchased will be treated as cancelled and the amount of the Company's issued capital shall be diminished accordingly, but the aggregate amount of authorised share capital will not be reduced so that the Shares may be subsequently re-issued.

The Directors have no present intention to repurchase any Shares and they would only exercise the power to repurchase in circumstances where they consider that the repurchase would be in the best interests of the Company. The Directors believe that if the Repurchase Mandate is exercised in full, it may/may not have a material adverse impact on the working capital and/or gearing position of the Company, as compared with the positions disclosed in the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company as at 30 June 2023, being the date to which the latest published audited consolidated financial statements of the Company were made up. 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 requirements of the Company or its gearing levels which, in the opinion of the Directors, are from time to time appropriate for the Company.

## 4. SHARE PRICES

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

	Lowest	Highest
	HK\$	HK\$
2022		
November	1.49	1.77
December	1.50	1.93
2023		
January	1.55	1.82
February	1.56	2.16
March	1.92	2.41
April	2.75	6.08
May	5.81	8.23
June	8.33	12.80
July	7.36	11.02
August	7.49	9.53
September	7.99	9.70
October (Up to the Latest Practicable Date)	6.43	8.00

# 5. DIRECTORS, THEIR CLOSE ASSOCIATES AND CORE CONNECTED PERSONS

None of the Directors or, to the best of their knowledge having made all reasonable enquiries, their close associates, have any present intention to sell to the Company or its subsidiaries any of the Shares if the Repurchase Mandate is approved at the Annual General Meeting and exercised.

The Company has not been notified by any core connected persons of the Company that they have a present intention to sell any Shares to the Company, or that they have undertaken not to sell any Shares held by them to the Company in the event that the granting of the Share Repurchase Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.

## 6. UNDERTAKING

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

## 7. TAKEOVERS CODE

If as a result of a repurchase of Shares pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate, a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases, such increase will be treated as an acquisition for the purpose of the Takeovers Code. As a result, a Shareholder, or a group of Shareholders acting in concert (within the meaning under the Takeovers Code), could obtain or consolidate control of the Company and become(s) obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code. As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Directors were not aware of any Shareholders, or a group of Shareholders acting in concert, who might become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rules 26 and 32 of the Takeovers Code in the event that the Directors exercised the power to repurchase Shares pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, to the best of the knowledge of the Directors, Dr. Ng Yu ("Dr. Ng") directly held approximately 0.05% and held approximately 72.74% of the total issued share capital of the Company through Neo Tech Inc., a company wholly-owned by Dr. Ng. In the event that the Directors exercise in full the power to repurchase Shares in accordance with the Repurchase Mandate, the shareholding of Dr. Ng would be increased from approximately 72.79% to approximately 80.88% of the issued share capital of the Company. The Directors are not aware of any consequences which may arise under the Takeovers Code as a result of any repurchases to be made under the Repurchase Mandate. The Directors have no intention to exercise the Repurchase Mandate to such an extent that the number of Shares in the hands of the public falling below the prescribed minimum percentage (under the Listing Rules) of 25%.

## 8. REPURCHASE OF SHARES

No repurchase of Shares have been made by the Company on the Stock Exchange or otherwise during the six months immediately preceding the Latest Practicable Date.



# INTERNATIONAL GENIUS COMPANY

 $(Incorporated\ in\ the\ Cayman\ Islands\ with\ limited\ liability)$ 

(Stock Code: 33)

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Annual General Meeting ("**AGM**") of International Genius Company (the "**Company**") will be held at 42/F, China Resources Tower, Nanshan District, Shenzhen, Guangdong Province, China on Friday, 15 December 2023 at 3:00 p.m. for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing with or without modification(s), the following resolutions:

## ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

- To receive and consider the audited consolidated financial statements and the reports of the directors (the "Directors") and the independent auditor of the Company for the year ended 30 June 2023;
- 2. (a) To re-elect Dr. Lin Feng as an executive director of the Company;
  - (b) To re-elect Ms. Sun Qiuzhen as a non-executive director of the Company;
  - (c) To re-elect Mr. Yip Tze Wai Albert as an independent non-executive director of the Company;
  - (d) To authorise the board (the "Board") of directors (the "Directors") to fix the remuneration of the Directors;
- 3. To re-appoint McMillan Woods (Hong Kong) CPA Limited as the Company's auditor and to authorise the Board of Directors to fix its remuneration;

4. To consider as special business 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 Governing the Listing of Securities (the "Listing Rules") on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange"), the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all the powers of the Company (the "Issue Mandate") to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the capital of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options which would or might require the exercise of such powers be and 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 and options which would or might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined);
- (c) the aggregate amount of shares allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to: (i) a Rights Issue (as defined below); (ii) the exercise of the outstanding conversion rights attaching to any convertible securities issued by the Company, which are convertible into shares of the Company; (iii) the exercise of any options granted under the share option scheme of the Company; or (iv) 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 of the Company in accordance with the articles of association of the Company in force from time to time, shall not exceed 20% of the aggregate number of the issued shares of the Company on the date of the passing of this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly;
- (d) the Issue Mandate shall be limited by the applicable rules and requirements of the Stock Exchange as amended from time to time, including the restrictions for using the Issue Mandate to issue (i) securities convertible into new Shares for cash consideration, if the initial conversion price of such convertible securities is lower than the Benchmarked Price (as defined below) of the Shares at the time of the relevant placing; and (ii) warrants, options or similar rights to subscribe for new Shares or securities convertible into new Shares for cash consideration; and

(e) for the purposes of this resolution:

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

- (i) the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next AGM of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company or any applicable laws to be held; and
- (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by 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 open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of shares whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares (subject to such exclusions 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 any relevant jurisdiction or the requirements of the Stock Exchange); and

"Benchmarked Price" means the higher of: (a) the closing price on the date of the relevant placing agreement or other agreement involving the proposed issue of securities under the Issue Mandate; and (b) the average closing price in the 5 trading days immediately prior to the earlier of: (i) the date of announcement of the placing or the proposed transaction or arrangement involving the proposed issue of securities under the Issue Mandate; (ii) the date of the placing agreement or other agreement involving the proposed issue of securities under the Issue Mandate; and (iii) the date on which the placing or subscription price is fixed."

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

## "THAT:

(a) subject to paragraph (b) below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all powers of the Company to repurchase the Shares on the Stock Exchange for this purpose, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and the requirements of the Listing Rules be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (b) the aggregate number of Shares which may be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above during the Relevant Period shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate number of the issued shares of the Company as at the date of this resolution and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) above shall be limited accordingly; and
- (c) for the purpose of this resolution, "**Relevant Period**" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:
  - (i) the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company;
  - (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next AGM of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company or by any applicable laws to be held; and
  - (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by 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 nos. 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 of the Company pursuant to resolution no. 4 above be and is hereby extended by the addition thereon of a number representing the aggregate number of the shares of the Company repurchased by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to resolution no. 5, provided that such number shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate number of the issued shares of the Company on the date of the passing of resolution no. 5."

For and on behalf of the Board of International Genius Company
Dr. Lin Feng

Executive Director

Hong Kong, 31 October 2023

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#### Notes:

- 1. In order to determine the eligibility of shareholders to attend and vote at the AGM, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Monday, 11 December 2023 to Friday, 15 December 2023, both days inclusive, during which no transfer of shares will be registered. In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the AGM, all transfer of shares accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Hong Kong branch share registrar, Tricor Investor Services Limited at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong, for registration no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 8 December 2023.
- 2. Any member entitled to attend and vote at the AGM is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and, on a poll, vote on his/her behalf. A proxy need not be a member of the Company. A member who is the holder of two or more shares of the Company may appoint more than one proxy to represent him or her to attend and vote on his or her behalf. In case of a recognised clearing house (or its nominees(s) and in each case, being a corporation), it may authorise such persons as it thinks fit to act as its representatives at the meeting and vote in its stead.
- 3. To be valid, a form of proxy and the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed or materially certified copy of such powers of attorney or authority, must be deposited with the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services limited, at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM or any adjourned AGM.
- 4. If two or more persons are jointly registered as holders of a share, the vote of the senior person who tenders a vote, whether in person or by proxy, shall be accepted to the exclusion of the votes of other joint holders. For this purpose seniority shall be determined by the order in which the names stand on the Company's register of shareholders in respect of the relevant shares.
- 5. A shareholder holding more than one share entitled to attend and vote at the AGM need not cast the votes in respect of such shares in the same way on any resolution and therefore may vote a share or some or all such shares either for or against a resolution and/or abstain from voting a share or some or all of the shares and, subject to the terms of the instrument appointing any proxy, a proxy appointed under one or more instruments may vote a share or some or all of the shares in respect of which he is appointed either for or against a resolution and/or abstain from voting.
- 6. If a typhoon signal No. 8 or above or "extreme conditions" caused by super typhoons or a black rainstorm warning signal is/are or is/are expected to be in force at any time after 12:00 p.m. on the date of the AGM, the AGM will be adjourned. The Company will post an announcement on the respective websites of the Stock Exchange and the Company to notify the members of the date, time and venue of the rescheduled meetings.