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JIADING INTERNATIONAL GROUP HOLDINGS LIMITED 嘉鼎國際集團控股有限公司

(Formerly known as Farnova Group Holdings Limited 法諾集團控股有限公司) (Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)

(Stock code: 08153)

APPLICATIONS FOR THE RIGHTS SHARES AND NUMBER OF UNSUBSCRIBED RIGHTS SHARES AND NQS UNSOLD RIGHTS SHARES SUBJECT TO THE COMPENSATORY ARRANGEMENTS

Reference is made to the prospectus (the "**Prospectus**") of the Company dated 13 January 2023 in relation to the Rights Issue on the basis of one (1) Rights Share for every two (2) Shares held on the Record Date. Unless the context otherwise requires, capitalised terms used in this announcement shall have the same meanings as those defined in the Prospectus.

APPLICATIONS FOR THE RIGHTS SHARES

The Board announces that as at 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, 1 February 2023, being the Latest Time for Acceptance, the Company had received seven (7) valid acceptances for a total of 281,026,670 Rights Shares provisionally allotted under the Rights Issue (representing approximately 55.16% of the total number of Rights Shares offered under the Rights Issue). Accordingly, the Rights Issue was approximately 55.16% subscribed.

The remaining 228,458,765 Unsubscribed Rights Shares and NQS Unsold Rights Shares (the "**Placing Shares**"), representing approximately 44.84% of the total number of Rights Shares offered under the Rights Issue, will be subject to the Compensatory Arrangements.

THE COMPENSATORY ARRANGEMENTS

According to Rule 10.31(1)(b) of the GEM Listing Rules, the Company has made arrangements to dispose of the Placing Shares by offering the Placing Shares to independent placees for the benefit of the Shareholders to whom they were offered by way of the Rights Issue.

It was disclosed in the Prospectus that on 28 December 2022 (after trading hours), the Company entered into the Placing Agreement with the Placing Agent in relation to the placing of the Placing Shares to independent placees on a best effort basis. Pursuant to the Placing Agreement, the Company has appointed the Placing Agent to place the Placing Shares during the Placing Period to independent placees on a best effort basis, and any premium over the Subscription Price for those Rights Shares that is realised will be paid to those No Action Shareholders on a pro-rata basis. The Placing Agent will, on a best effort basis, procure, by not later than 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, 9 February 2023, acquirers for all (or as many as possible) of those Placing Shares. Any Placing Shares which are not placed under the Compensatory Arrangements will not be issued by the Company and the size of the Rights Issue will be reduced accordingly.

Net Gain (if any) will be paid (without interest) to the No Action Shareholders as set out below on pro rata basis (but rounded down to the nearest cent):

- A. the relevant Qualifying Shareholders (or such persons who hold any nil-paid rights at the time such nil-paid rights are lapsed) whose nil-paid rights are not validly applied for in full, by reference to the extent that Shares in his/her/its nil-paid rights are not validly applied for; and
- B. the relevant Non-Qualifying Shareholders with reference to their shareholdings in the Company on the Record Date.

If and to the extent in respect of any Net Gain, any No Action Shareholders become entitled on the basis described above to an amount of HK\$100 or more, such amount will be paid to the relevant No Action Shareholder(s) in Hong Kong Dollars only and the Company will retain individual amounts of less than HK\$100 for its own benefit. Any Placing Shares which are not placed under the Compensatory Arrangements will not be issued by the Company and the size of the Rights Issue will be reduced accordingly. Further announcement will be made by the Company on 13 February 2023 with regard to the results of the Rights Issue, including the results of the placing of the Placing Shares and the amount of Net Gain per Placing Shares under the Compensatory Arrangements, according to the expected timetable for the Rights Issue and the Placing as set out in the Prospectus.

By Order of the Board JIADING INTERNATIONAL GROUP HOLDINGS LIMITED Mou Zhongwei

Chairman

Hong Kong, 3 February 2023

As of the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. Mou Zhongwei, Ms. Liu Ching Man and Mr. Li Guangying; the non-executive Directors are Ms. Wang Dongmei and Mr. Ye Wenxue; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. Luo Ji, Mr. Lui Chi Kin and Ms. Cai Ying.

This announcement, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on GEM of the Exchange 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 announcement 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 announcement misleading.

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