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MIRAMAR HOTEL AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, LIMITED

(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 71)

CONTINUING CONNECTED TRANSACTIONS REGARDING LEASES AT MIRAMAR TOWER

Reference are made to the announcements of the Company dated 24 July 2009, 2 February 2010 and 22 June 2010 in relation to Miramar Tower 1817-18 Lease, Miramar Tower 1803-07, 1812 Lease, Miramar Tower 1801-02 Lease and Miramar Tower 1808, 1813 Lease which were all entered into between Shahdan as landlord and Union Medical as tenant respectively.

The Board announces that on 17 September 2010, the Two New Leases were entered into between Shahdan as landlord and Union Medical as tenant, which constitute continuing connected transactions of the Company under Chapter 14A of the Listing Rules.

Pursuant to Rule 14A.25 of the Listing Rules, the Miramar Tower 1817-18 Lease, the Miramar Tower 1803-07, 1812 Lease, the Miramar Tower 1801-02 Lease, the Miramar Tower 1808, 1813 Lease and the Two New Leases will be aggregated and treated as if they were one transaction. As the aggregate annual consideration payable under the Transactions, on an annual basis, does not exceed 5% of each of the applicable percentage ratios under the Listing Rules, pursuant to Rule 14A.34 of the Listing Rules, the Company is only subject to the reporting and announcement requirements set out in Rules 14A.45 to 14A.47 of the Listing Rules and no independent shareholders' approval is required.

As at the date of this announcement, so far as the Directors are able to ascertain after making reasonable enquiries, Union Medical is a company indirectly controlled by the private trust of the family of Dr. Lee Shau Kee, Chairman of the Company. Accordingly, Union Medical is a Connected Person of the Company thereby rendering the Two New Leases continuing connected transactions for the Company under Chapter 14A of the Listing Rules.

Reference is made to:

- (i) the announcement dated 24 July 2009 in relation to the Miramar Tower 1817-18 Lease entered into by Shahdan as landlord and Union Medical as tenant in respect of the Miramar Tower 1817-18 Premises for a term of three years commencing from 12 June 2009 to 11 June 2012; and
- (ii) the annoucement dated 2 February 2010 in relation to the Miramar Tower 1803-07, 1812 Lease entered into by the same parties in respect of the Miramar Tower 1803-07, 1812 Premises for a term of three years commencing from 1 February 2010 to 31 January 2013.
- (iii) the annoucement dated 22 June 2010 in relation to the Miramar Tower 1801-02 Lease and Miramar Tower 1808, 1813 Lease entered into by the same parties in respect of the Miramar Tower 1801-02 Premises and Miramar Tower 1808, 1813 Premises for a term of three years commencing from 1 June 2010 to 31 May 2013 and from 15 June 2010 to 14 June 2013 respectively.

The Board announces that Shahdan and Union Medical had on 17 September 2010 entered into the following Two New Leases, particulars of which are set out below:

DETAILS OF THE FIRST NEW LEASE

Signing date : 17 September 2010

Parties : Shahdan as landlord

Union Medical as tenant

First New : Unit 1814, 18th Floor, Miramar Tower, 132 Nathan Road,

Premises Tsimshatsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong

Term : three years, commencing from 16 August 2010 to 15 August

2013

Rent and other

charges

the rent payable on a monthly basis (exclusive of government rates, management fee and air-conditioning charges) during

the term is HK\$31,000.00

the aggregate monthly management fee and air-conditioning charges (subject to the periodic review or revision by Shahdan or its designated property manager) is HK\$5,222.20

Extra chilled water supply costs may be charged by Shahdan to Union Medical for additional chilled water supply required by Union Medical which is beyond the specified normal daily

chilled water supply hours

Rent-free period One month commencing from 16 August 2010 during which

Union Medical shall not be obliged to pay rent but shall pay the management fee, air-conditioning charges, government

rates and utility charges for the First New Premises

User : To be used as a clinic only and staffed by any combination of

the specialist physicians specializing in Internal Medicine

DETAILS OF THE SECOND NEW LEASE

Signing date : 17 September 2010

Parties : Shahdan as landlord

Union Medical as tenant

Second New : Unit 1815, 18th Floor, Miramar Tower, 132 Nathan Road,

Premises Tsimshatsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong

Term : three years, commencing from 16 September 2010 to 15

September 2013

Rent and other

charges

the rent payable on a monthly basis (exclusive of government rates, management fee and air-conditioning charges) during

the term is HK\$21,500.00

the aggregate monthly management fee and air-conditioning charges (subject to the periodic review or revision by Shahdan or its designated property manager) is HK\$3,579.10

Extra chilled water supply costs may be charged by Shahdan to Union Medical for additional chilled water supply required by Union Medical which is beyond the specified normal daily

chilled water supply hours

Rent-free period One month commencing from 16 September 2010 during

which Union Medical shall not be obliged to pay rent but shall pay the management fee, air-conditioning charges, government rates and utility charges for the Second New

Premises

User : To be used as a clinic only and staffed by any combination of

the specialist physicians specializing in Internal Medicine

REASONS FOR ENTERING INTO THE TWO NEW LEASES

Miramar Tower is held by the Group as an investment for rental purposes. The Directors (including the independent non-executive Directors) are of the opinion that the Two New Leases were entered into (i) in the ordinary and usual course of business of the Group; (ii) on normal commercial terms; and (iii) on terms that are fair and reasonable and in the interests of the Company and its shareholders as a whole.

The terms of the Two New Leases were determined after arm's length negotiations between the parties and the rent is determined by reference to market rental of the First New Premises and the Second New Premises endorsed by a valuation certificate dated 13 August 2010 by Savills Valuation and Professional Services Limited, an independent valuer. The other terms of the Two New Leases were determined with reference to a standard tenancy agreement which was also used in relation to other leases with other tenants of Miramar Tower.

As the Two New Leases were entered into in the ordinary and usual course of business of Shahdan and that the rent and other terms of the Two New Leases were determined after arm's length negotiations between the parties with reference to the prevailing market rent endorsed by an independent valuer and with reference to the terms of a standard tenancy agreement which is also used in relation to other leases with other tenants of Miramar Tower, the Directors (including the independent non-executive Directors) are of the opinion that the terms of the Two New Leases were fair and reasonable and in the interests of the Company and its shareholders as a whole.

LISTING RULES IMPLICATIONS

As at the date of this announcement, so far as the Directors are able to ascertain after making reasonable enquiries, Union Medical is a company indirectly controlled by the private trust of the family of Dr. Lee Shau Kee. Accordingly, Union Medical is a Connected Person of the Company thereby rendering the Two New Leases continuing connected transactions for the Company under Chapter 14A of the Listing Rules.

Since both Dr. Lee Shau Kee and Mr. Lee Ka Shing, being Directors, through companies indirectly controlled by the private trust of the family of Dr. Lee Shau Kee, are deemed to be interested in the shares in Union Medical, they have material interest in the Two New Leases. The Board had delegated the power to consider and approve all connected transactions of the Company to the Company's Audit Committee. As both Dr. Lee Shau Kee and Mr. Lee Ka Shing are not members of the Audit Committee, they have not voted on the relevant board resolution(s) in respect of the Two New Leases.

As the Miramar Tower 1817-18 Lease, the Miramar Tower 1803-07, 1812 Lease, the Miramar Tower 1801-02 Lease, the Miramar Tower 1808, 1813 Lease and the Two New Leases are entered into by Shahdan with the same Connected Person, namely, Union Medical and all six leases related to premises in the same floor of the same building, they are regarded as related transaction and therefore are treated as if they were one transaction pursuant to Rule 14A.25 of the Listing Rules. As the aggregate annual consideration payable under the Transactions, on an annual basis, does not exceed 5% of each of the applicable percentage ratios under the Listing Rules, pursuant to Rule 14A.34 of the Listing Rules, the Company is only subject to the reporting and announcement requirements set out in Rules 14A.45 to 14A.47 of the Listing Rules and no independent

shareholders' approval is required.

The aggregate annual rental and other charges payable by Union Medical to Shahdan under the Transactions for each of the financial years ending 31 December 2010, 2011, 2012 and 2013 will be subject to the following cap amounts of HK\$8,694,000, HK\$12,090,000, HK\$11,440,000 and HK\$2,720,000 respectively. The cap amounts are determined with reference to the annual rent, management fees, air-conditioning charges, estimated extra air-conditioning charges, chilled water supply costs (including possible increment of management fees, air-conditioning fees and extra chilled water supply charges), vetting fee and debris removal fee payable by Union Medical under the Transactions.

The breakdown of the cap amounts for the aggregate annual rental and other charges payable by Union Medical to Shahdan under the Transactions are as follows:

	Year ending	Year ending	Year ending	Year ending
	31 December	31 December	31 December	31 December
	2010	2011	2012	2013
	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
Miramar Tower	1,200,000	1,200,000	530,000	
1817-18 Lease				
Miramar Tower	4,400,000	6,300,000	6,300,000	520,000
1803-07, 1812 Lease				
Miramar Tower	2,080,000	1,880,000	1,880,000	790,000
1801-02 Lease				
Miramar Tower	800,000	1,930,000	1,940,000	890,000
1808, 1813 Lease				
First New Lease	140,000	460,000	460,000	290,000
Second New Lease	74,000	320,000	330,000	230,000
Total	8,694,000	12,090,000	11,440,000	2,720,000

GENERAL

The Company's principal activities consist of hotel business, food and beverage operations, travel operation and property business.

The principal business of Shahdan is property rental.

The principal activities of Union Medical and its subsidiaries are operation of a hospital and clinics.

DEFINITIONS

Unless otherwise defined, the following expressions have the following meanings in this announcement:

"Board"	the board of Directors
"Company"	Miramar Hotel and Investment Company, Limited, a company incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability, the shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange
"Connected Person"	has the meaning ascribed thereto under the Listing Rules
"Director(s)"	the director(s) of the Company
"Group"	the Company and its subsidiaries
"HK\$"	Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong
"Listing Rules"	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange
"Miramar Tower 1817-18 Lease"	the lease entered into between Shahdan as landlord and Union Medical as tenant in respect of the Miramar Tower 1817-18 Premises dated 24 July 2009
"Miramar Tower 1803-07, 1812 Lease"	the lease entered into between Shahdan as landlord and Union Medical as tenant in respect of the Miramar Tower 1803-07, 1812 Premises dated 2 February 2010
"Miramar Tower 1801-02 Lease"	the lease entered into between Shahdan as landlord and Union Medical as tenant in respect of the Miramar Tower 1801-02 Premises dated 10 June 2010
"Miramar Tower 1808, 1813 Lease"	the lease entered into between Shahdan as landlord and Union Medical as tenant in respect of the Miramar Tower 1808, 1813 Premises dated 10 June 2010
"Miramar Tower 1817-18 Premises"	Units 1817-18, 18 th Floor, Miramar Tower, 132 Nathan Road, Tsimshatsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong
"Miramar Tower 1803-07, 1812 Premises"	Units 1803-07, 1812, 18 th Floor, Miramar Tower, 132 Nathan Road, Tsimshatsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong
"Miramar Tower 1801-02 Premises"	Units 1801-02, 18 th Floor, Miramar Tower, 132 Nathan Road, Tsimshatsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong
"Miramar Tower 1808, 1813 Premises"	Units 1808, 1813, 18 th Floor, Miramar Tower, 132 Nathan Road, Tsimshatsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong

"First New Lease" the lease entered into between Shahdan as landlord and

Union Medical as tenant in respect of the First New

Premises dated 17 September 2010

"First New Premises" Unit 1814, 18th Floor, Miramar Tower, 132 Nathan Road,

Tsimshatsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong

"Second New Lease" the lease entered into between Shahdan as landlord and

Union Medical as tenant in respect of the Second New

Premises dated 17 September 2010

"Second New Premises" Unit 1815, 18th Floor, Miramar Tower, 132 Nathan Road,

Tsimshatsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong

"Shahdan" Shahdan Limited, a company incorporated in Hong Kong

with limited liability, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the

Company

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"subsidiary" has the meaning ascribed thereto under the Listing Rules

"Two New Leases" collectively, the First New Lease and the Second New

Lease

"Transactions" collectively, the transactions contemplated under the

Miramar Tower 1817-18 Lease, the Miramar Tower 1803-07, 1812 Lease, the Miramar Tower 1801-02 Lease, the Miramar Tower 1808, 1813 Lease and the

Two New Leases

"Union Medical" Union Medical Centre Limited, a company incorporated

in Hong Kong with limited liability, the principal activity

of which is the operation of a hospital

"%" per cent

By Order of the Board Chu Kwok Sun Corporate Secretary

Hong Kong, 17 September 2010

As at the date of this announcement, (i) the executive directors of the Company are: Dr. Lee Shau Kee, Mr. Lee Ka Shing, Mr. Richard Tang Yat Sun, Mr. Colin Lam Ko Yin, Mr. Norman Ho Hau Chong and Mr. Eddie Lau Yum Chuen; (ii) the non-executive directors of the Company are: Dr. Patrick Fung Yuk Bun, Mr. Dominic Cheng Ka On, Mr. Tony Ng, Mr. Howard Yeung Ping Leung, Mr. Thomas Liang Cheung Biu and Mr. Alexander Au Siu Kee; (iii) the independent non-executive directors of the Company are: Dr. David Sin Wai Kin, Mr. Wu King Cheong and Mr. Timpson Chung Shui Ming.