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# SWIRE PACIFIC LIMITED

(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)
(Stock Codes: 00019 and 00087)

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The 2013 Annual General Meeting of Swire Pacific Limited (the "Company") will be held at the Island Ballroom A, Level 5, Island Shangri-La Hong Kong, Pacific Place, Supreme Court Road, Central, Hong Kong on Thursday, 9th May 2013 at 10:00 a.m. to receive the report of the Directors and the audited accounts for the year ended 31st December 2012 and:

- 1. To elect / re-elect Directors;
- 2. To re-appoint auditors and authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration.

As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolutions:

### **Ordinary Resolutions**

### 3. THAT:

- subject to paragraph (b), the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period of all the powers of the Company to make on-market share repurchases (within the meaning of the Code on Share Repurchases) be approved;
- (b) the aggregate nominal amount of any class of the Company's shares which may be repurchased pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above shall not exceed 10 per cent of the aggregate nominal amount of the shares of that class in issue at the date of passing this Resolution; and
- (c) for the purpose of this Resolution:
  - "Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this Resolution until 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 law to be held; and



(iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by ordinary resolution of the shareholders in general meeting; and

references to "shares" include securities which carry a right to subscribe for or purchase shares.

#### 4. THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (b), the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares and to make or grant offers, agreements and options which will or might require the exercise of such powers during or after the end of the Relevant Period be approved;
- (b) the aggregate nominal amount of shares of any class 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), otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue or (ii) any scrip dividend or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on shares, shall not exceed the aggregate of 20 per cent of the aggregate nominal amount of the shares of that class in issue at the date of passing this Resolution provided that the aggregate nominal amount of the shares of any class so allotted (or so agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted) pursuant to this Resolution wholly for cash shall not exceed 5 per cent of the aggregate nominal amount of the shares of that class in issue at the date of passing this Resolution; and
- (c) for the purpose of this Resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this Resolution until 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 law to be held; and
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by ordinary resolution of the shareholders in general meeting; and

"Rights Issue" means an offer of shares to holders of shares or any class thereof on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares or class thereof (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 in, any territory outside Hong Kong).



# **Special Resolution**

5. THAT, subject to the approval of the Registrar of Companies of Hong Kong, the name of the Company be changed from "Swire Pacific Limited" to "Swire Pacific Limited 太古股份有限公司", and that any of the directors of the Company be and is hereby authorised to do all such acts and things and execute all documents or make such arrangements as he/she may, in his/her absolute discretion, consider necessary or expedient to effect the abovementioned change of the Company's name.

By order of the Board

David Fu

Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 9th April 2013

#### **Notes:**

- 1. Any member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting convened by the above notice is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote instead of him. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- 2. All proxies must be deposited with the Registrars, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, 17M Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong, not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the meeting or any adjourned meeting thereof.
- 3. The registers of shareholders will be closed from 6th to 9th May 2013, both days inclusive. To be entitled to attend and vote at the 2013 Annual General Meeting, all transfers should be lodged with the Company's Registrars, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong, for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 3rd May 2013.
- 4. The Directors retiring are P A Johansen, R W M Lee, J B Rae-Smith and J R Slosar. Separate resolutions will be proposed for the election / re-election of these Directors.
- 5. Each of the resolutions set out in this notice will be voted on by poll.

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

Executive Directors: C.D. Pratt (Chairman), M. Cubbon, P.A. Kilgour, J.B. Rae-Smith, I.S.C. Shiu, J.R. Slosar, A.K.W. Tang;

Non-Executive Directors: Baroness Dunn, J.W.J. Hughes-Hallett, P.A. Johansen, M.B. Swire: and

Independent Non-Executive Directors: T.G. Freshwater, C.K.M. Kwok, C. Lee, R.W.M. Lee, M.C.C. Sze and M.M.T. Yang.