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## VEEKO INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

# 威高國際控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 1173)

## **SCRIP DIVIDEND SCHEME**

Reference is made to the Announcement dated 23 July 2008 and the Circular dated 31 July 2008.

By the Announcement, it was announced that the Directors had resolved to recommend the Final Dividend by way of the Scrip Dividend Scheme to the Qualifying Shareholders.

The Board is pleased to announce that the Final Dividend and the Scrip Dividend Scheme were approved by the Shareholders at the Annual General Meeting held on 5 September 2008.

This announcement serves to advise the Qualifying Shareholders as to how the entitlements under the Scrip Dividend Scheme were arrived at.

Reference is made to the announcement ("Announcement") of Veeko International Holdings Limited ("Company") dated 23 July 2008 and the circular ("Circular") of the Company dated 31 July 2008. Terms used in this announcement have the same meanings as defined in the Circular, unless the context otherwise requires.

### **SCRIP DIVIDEND SCHEME**

By the Announcement, it was announced that the Directors had resolved to recommend a final dividend ("**Final Dividend**") for the year ended 31 March 2008 of HK0.9 cent per Share by way of the Scrip Dividend Scheme to the Qualifying Shareholders whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on 5 September 2008. At the AGM held on 5 September 2008, the Final Dividend and the Scrip Dividend Scheme were approved by the Shareholders.

As at the Record Date, there was one Shareholder with registered address in Taiwan as appeared on the register of members of the Company. The Board has made enquiries with its legal adviser as to Taiwan laws as to whether there is any legal restriction under the applicable securities legislation of Taiwan or requirement of any relevant regulatory body or stock exchange with respect to the offer of Scrip Shares to such Shareholder in Taiwan. The Company has been advised by its legal adviser as to Taiwan laws that there is no legal restriction under the applicable legislation of Taiwan or requirement of any relevant regulatory body or stock exchange with respect to the offer of the Scrip Shares to the Shareholder in Taiwan. Based on the advice of the Company's legal adviser as to Taiwan laws, the Directors believe that the documents regarding the Scrip Dividend Scheme would not be required to be registered under the relevant laws and regulations of Taiwan and may be despatched to the Shareholder with registered address in Taiwan without any restrictions. In view of this, the Directors have decided to extend the offer of the Scrip Shares to the Shareholder with registered address in Taiwan and such Shareholder, together with the Shareholders with registered addresses in Hong Kong, are Qualifying Shareholders for the purpose of the Scrip Dividend Scheme. The Company will send the documents regarding the Scrip Dividend Scheme to such Qualifying Shareholders and accordingly, all Shareholders whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on the Record Date fall within the definition of Qualifying Shareholders and are therefore eligible to participate in the Scrip Dividend Scheme.

For the purpose of calculating the number of Scrip Shares, the value of the Scrip Shares has been fixed by the Board at its discretion with reference to the average of the closing prices of the Shares on the Stock Exchange for the five consecutive trading days ending on (and including) the Record Date of HK\$0.1654 less a discount of 5% of such average closing price. The Board has therefore fixed the price per Scrip Share at HK\$0.15713.

Qualifying Shareholders are entitled to elect to have the Final Dividend to be made payable to them wholly in cash or in Scrip Shares, or partly in cash and partly in Scrip Shares.

The number of Scrip Shares to be allotted and issued will be rounded down to the nearest whole number of Scrip Shares and no Qualifying Shareholder is entitled to be allotted and issued any fraction of a Scrip Share under the Scrip Dividend Scheme. Fractional entitlements to the Scrip Shares will be aggregated and sold for the benefit of the Company.

The Scrip Shares will rank pari passu in all respects with the Shares in issue on the date of allotment and issue of the Scrip Shares save that they will not be entitled to the Final Dividend.

Qualifying Shareholders who wish to receive the Final Dividend wholly or partly in Scrip Shares should complete the form of election and lodge it with the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Secretaries Limited, at 26th Floor, Tesbury Centre, 28 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not later than 4:30 p.m. on 6 October 2008.

Application will be made to the Listing Committee of the Stock Exchange for the listing of and permission to deal in the Scrip Shares. Subject to the Scrip Shares being admitted to listing, it is expected that certificates for the Scrip Shares and dividend cheques will be posted at the risk of those entitled to them on or about 15 October 2008.

A circular containing further details of the Scrip Dividend Scheme and the basis of allotment of the Scrip Shares pursuant to the Scrip Dividend Scheme and a form of election (to be sent to the Qualifying Shareholders only) will be despatched to the Shareholders shortly.

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises two executive Directors, namely, Cheng Chung Man, Johnny (Chairman) and Lam Yuk Sum and three independent non-executive Directors, namely, Cheng Chung Hoo, Yang Wei Tak and Yeung Wing Kay.

For and on behalf of the Board

Veeko International Holdings Limited

Cheng Chung Man, Johnny

Chairman

Hong Kong, 5 September 2008