

# NGAI HING HONG COMPANY LIMITED

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 1047)
Website: http://www.nhh.com.hk

## **NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of Ngai Hing Hong Company Limited (the "Company") will be held at Caine Room, Level 7, Conrad Hotel, Pacific Place, 88 Queensway, Hong Kong, on Thursday, 1st December 2005 at 10:00 a.m. for the following purposes:

- 1. To receive and approve the audited consolidated financial statements and the reports of the directors and auditors for the year ended 30th June 2005;
- 2. To declare a final dividend for the year ended 30th June 2005;
- To re-elect the retiring directors and to authorise the Board of Directors to fix the remuneration of the Board of Directors and any committee of the Board of Directors;
- 4. To re-appoint auditors and to authorise the Board of Directors to fix their remuneration;
- 5. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolutions as Ordinary Resolutions:

#### A. "THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the exercise by the directors during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the capital of the Company and to make and grant offers, agreements and options which would or might require the exercise of such power 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 and grant offers, agreements and options which would or might require the exercise of such power during or after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the aggregate nominal amount of share capital 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 rights of subscription under the terms of any warrants or other securities issued by the Company as at the date of this resolution carrying a right to subscribe for or purchase shares of the Company; or (iii) the exercise of the subscription rights under the share option schemes of the Company,

shall not exceed 20 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and

(d) 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 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 the Bye-Laws of the Company or any applicable law to be held; or
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting; and

"Rights Issue" means an offer of shares open for a period fixed by the directors to holders of shares 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 of the Company may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements or legal or practical problems under the laws of, or the requirements of any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange in, any territory)."

## B. "THAT:

- (a) the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all powers of the Company to repurchase shares of HK\$0.10 each in the capital of the Company on the Stock Exchange, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the aggregate nominal amount of shares of the Company to be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above during the Relevant Period shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (c) 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 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 the Bye-laws of the Company or any applicable law to be held; or
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting."
- C. "THAT conditional upon resolution no.5B above being passed, the aggregate nominal amount of the number of shares in the capital of the Company which

are repurchased by the Company under the authority granted to the directors as mentioned in resolution no.5B above shall be added to the aggregate nominal amount of share capital that may be allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted by the directors of the Company pursuant to resolution no.5A above, provided that such amount shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing this Resolution."

6. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as a Special Resolution:

"**THAT** the Bye-laws of the Company be and are hereby amended in the following manner:-

- (a) Bye-law 86(1) be amended by deleting the words "and shall hold office until the next appointment of Directors or until their successors are elected or appointed. Any general meeting may authorise the Board to fill any vacancy in their number left unfilled at a general meeting" in the fifth line;
- (b) Bye-law 86(2) be deleted in its entirety and replacing it with the following new Bye-law 86(2):

"The Directors shall have the power from time to time and at any time to appoint any person as a Director either to fill a casual vacancy on the Board or, subject to authorisation by the Members in general meeting, as an addition to the existing Board but so that the number of Directors so appointed shall not exceed any maximum number determined from time to time by the Members in general meeting. Any Director so appointed by the Board shall hold office only until the next following general meeting of the Company (in the case of filling a casual vacancy) or until the next following annual general meeting of the Company (in the case of an addition to their number) and shall then be eligible for re-election at that meeting.";

- (c) Bye-law 86(5) be amended by deleting the words "appointment of Directors or until their successors are elected or appointed or, in the absence of such election or appointment such general meeting may authorise the Board to fill any vacancy in the number left unfilled" in the third line and replacing them with the words "following general meeting of the Company";
- (d) Bye-law 86(6) be amended by adding the following sentences at the end of Bye-law 86(6):

"Subject to the provisions of these Bye-laws, the Company may by ordinary resolution elect any person to be a Director either to fill a casual vacancy or as an addition to the existing Directors. Any Director so appointed shall hold office only until the next following general meeting of the Company (in the case of filling a casual vacancy) or until the next following annual general meeting of the Company (in the case of an addition to their number) and shall then be eligible for re-election, but

shall not be taken into account in determining the Directors who are to retire by rotation at such meeting.";

- (e) Bye-law 87(1) be deleted in its entirety and replacing with the following new Bye-law 87(1):
  - "87(1) Subject to the manner of retirement by rotation of Directors as from time to time prescribed under the Listing Rules, and notwithstanding any contractual or other terms on which any Director may be appointed or engaged, at each annual general meeting, one-third of the Directors for the time being (or if their number is not a multiple of three (3), the number nearest to but not less than one-third) shall retire from office by rotation, provided that every Director (including those appointed for a specific term) shall be subject to retirement by rotation at least once every three years. A retiring Director shall retain office until the close of the meeting at which he retires, and shall be eligible for re-election thereat.""

By order of the Board
CHING Yu Lung
Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 24th October 2005

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### Notes:

- 1. A member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting convened by the above notice is entitled to appoint one or more than one proxy to attend and vote in his stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- 2. In order to be valid, a form of proxy and (if required by the Board of Directors) the power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a certified copy of that power of attorney or authority, must be deposited at the Company's principal office not less than 48 hours before the time for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting.
- 3. The Register of Members of the Company will be closed from Monday, 28th November 2005 to Thursday, 1st December 2005 (both dates inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares will be registered. In order to qualify for the proposed final dividend to be approved at the meeting, all properly completed transfer forms accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Branch Registrars in Hong Kong, Abacus Share Registrars Limited, G/F, Bank of East Asia Harbour View Centre, 56 Gloucester Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong not later than 4:00 p.m. on Friday, 25th November 2005.

- 4. The Bye-Laws of the Company are written in English. There is no official Chinese translation in respect thereof. Therefore, the Chinese version of the Resolution No. 6 on amendments to the Bye-Laws of the Company is a translation for reference only. Should there be any discrepancies between the English and Chinese versions, the English version shall prevail.
- 5. The existing Board of Directors comprises six Executive Directors, namely, Mr HUI Sai Chung, Mr HUI Kwok Kwong, Dr WONG Chi Ying, Anthony, Mr LAI Kam Wah, Mr CHING Yu Lung and Madam LIU Sau Lai and three Independent Non-executive Directors, namely, Mr HO Wai Chi, Paul, Mr FONG Pong Hing and Mr CHAN Dit Lung.