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## **CHINA ENVIRONMENTAL INVESTMENT HOLDINGS LIMITED**

### **中國環保投資股份有限公司**

*(incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)*

(Stock Code: 260)

### **NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an annual general meeting of China Environmental Investment Holdings Limited (the “**Company**”) will be held at Units 2805-6, 28/F, Bank of America Tower, 12 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong on Friday, 21 June 2013 at 11:00 a.m. for the following purposes:

#### **AS ORDINARY BUSINESSES:**

1. To receive and consider the audited consolidated financial statements and the reports of the directors (the “**Directors**”) and auditors of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2012;
2.
  - (a) To re-elect Mr. Ji Guirong as non-executive Director;
  - (b) To re-elect Mr. Xiao Wei as executive Director;
  - (c) To re-elect Mr. Wang Zhonghua as independent non-executive Director;
  - (d) To re-elect Mr. Hu Xiaowen as independent non-executive Director;
  - (e) To authorise the board of Directors to fix the Directors’ remuneration;
3. To re-appoint Messrs. Ernst & Young as the auditors of the Company and to authorise the board of Directors to fix their remuneration;

## AS ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS:

4. To, as special business, consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

**“THAT:**

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, pursuant to the Rules (the “**Listing Rules**”) Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “**Stock Exchange**”), the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with unissued shares of the Company (the “**Shares**”) and to make or grant offers, agreements and options, including warrants to subscribe for Shares, which might require the exercise of such powers be and the same is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) above shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such powers 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 options or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as defined below); or (ii) the exercise of any options granted under the existing share option scheme of the Company; or (iii) any scrip dividend or similar arrangements providing for the allotment and issue of Shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on Shares in accordance with the articles of association of the Company in force from time to time; or (iv) any issue of Shares upon the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any warrants of the Company or any securities which are convertible into Shares, shall not exceed the aggregate of:
  - (aa) 20 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue on the date of the passing of this resolution; and
  - (bb) (if the Directors are so authorised by a separate ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company) the nominal amount of any share capital of the Company repurchased by the Company subsequent to the passing of this resolution (up to a maximum equivalent to 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue on the date of the passing of resolution no. 5),

and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be limited accordingly; and

(d) for the purposes of this resolution:

“**Relevant Period**” means the period from the date of 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 articles of association of the Company, the Companies Ordinance (Chapter 32 of the Laws of Hong Kong) (the “**Companies Ordinance**”) or any applicable laws to be held; and
- (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the Directors by this resolution;

“**Rights Issue**” means an offer of Shares, or offer or issue of warrants, options or other securities giving rights to subscribe for Shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of Shares on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of Shares (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, or the expense or delay which may be involved in determining the existence or extent of any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of, any jurisdiction outside Hong Kong or any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange outside Hong Kong).”

5. To, as special business, consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

“**THAT:**

- (a) the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as defined below) of all powers of the Company to purchase the Shares on the Stock Exchange or any other stock exchange on which the Shares may be listed and recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission and the Stock Exchange for such purpose, and otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Securities and Futures Commission, the Stock Exchange, the Companies Ordinance and all other applicable laws in this regard, be and the same is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (b) the aggregate nominal amount of Shares which may be purchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) during the Relevant Period shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of the passing of this resolution and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be limited accordingly; and
  - (c) for the purposes of this resolution, “**Relevant Period**” means the period from the date of 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 articles of association of the Company, the Companies Ordinance or any applicable laws to be held; and
    - (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the Directors by this resolution.”
6. To, as special business, consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:
- “**THAT** the Directors be and they are hereby authorised to exercise the authority referred to in paragraph (a) of resolution no. 4 above in respect of the share capital of the Company referred to in sub-paragraph (bb) of paragraph (c) of such resolution.”
7. To, as special business, consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:
- “**THAT** subject to the Stock Exchange granting the listing of, and permission to deal in, the Shares to be issued pursuant to the exercise of options which may be granted under the Scheme Mandate Limit (as defined below) and pursuant to the share option scheme of the Company conditionally adopted on 15 April 2005 (the “**Share Option Scheme**”), approval be and is hereby generally and unconditionally granted for refreshing and renewing the Scheme Mandate Limit under the Share Option Scheme provided that (i) the total number of Shares which may be allotted and issued upon the exercise of the options to be granted under the Share Option Scheme and other share option schemes of the Company shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of the passing of this resolution (the “**Scheme Mandate Limit**”); and (ii) the overall limit on the number of Shares which may be issued upon the exercise of all options to be granted and yet to be exercised under the Share Option Scheme and other share

option schemes of the Company must not exceed 30 per cent. of the Shares in issue from time to time and that the Directors be and are hereby authorized, at their absolute discretion, to grant options under the Share Option Scheme up to the Scheme Mandate Limit and to exercise all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with the shares of the Company pursuant to the exercise of such options.”

Yours faithfully  
For and on behalf of the board of directors of  
**China Environmental Investment Holdings Limited**  
**Ji Hui**  
*Chief Executive Officer*

Hong Kong, 21 May 2013

***Registered office and principal  
place of business:***

Units 2805-6, 28/F  
Bank of America Tower  
12 Harcourt Road  
Hong Kong

*Notes:*

1. A member entitled to attend and vote at the annual general meeting convened by the above notice is entitled to appoint one or more proxy to attend and, subject to the provisions of the articles of association of the Company, to vote on his behalf. A proxy need not be a member of the Company but must be present in person at the annual general meeting to represent the member. If more than one proxy is so appointed, the appointment shall specify the number and class of Shares in respect of which each such proxy is so appointed.
2. In order to be valid, the form of proxy must be deposited together with a power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a certified copy of that power or authority, at the offices of the Company's share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited at 26th Floor, Tesbury Centre, 28 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time for holding the annual general meeting or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of a form of proxy will not preclude a shareholder of the Company from attending in person and voting at the annual general meeting or any adjournment thereof, should he so wish.
3. In relation to proposed resolutions nos. 4 and 6 above, approval is being sought from the shareholders for the grant to the Directors of a general mandate to authorise the allotment and issue of shares of the Company under the Listing Rules. The Directors have no immediate plans to issue any new shares of the Company other than Shares which may fall to be issued under the share option scheme of the Company or any scrip dividend scheme which may be approved by shareholders.

4. In relation to proposed resolution no. 5 above, the Directors wish to state that they will exercise the powers conferred thereby to repurchase Shares in circumstances which they deem appropriate for the benefit of the shareholders of the Company. An explanatory statement containing the information necessary to enable the shareholders to make an informed decision to vote on the proposed resolution as required by the Listing Rules is set out in Appendix I to the circular of the Company dated 21 May 2013.

*As of the date of this announcement, the Board comprises nine Directors, of which Mr. Ji Guirong (Chairman) is the non-executive Director; Mr. Ji Hui (Chief Executive Officer), Mr. Zang Zheng, Mr. Zhang Chuanjun, Mr. Zhang Ning (Chief Financial Officer) and Mr. Xiao Wei are the executive Directors; Mr. Wang Zhonghua, Mr. Zhong Qiang and Mr. Hu Xiaowen are the independent non-executive Directors.*