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# ASIA STANDARD HOTEL GROUP LIMITED

泛海酒店集團有限公司\*

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability) (Stock Code: 292)

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the annual general meeting of the shareholders (the "**Shareholders**") of Asia Standard Hotel Group Limited (the "**Company**") will be held at Empire Grand Room, 1st Floor, Empire Hotel Hong Kong, 33 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong on Wednesday, 4 September 2024 at 10:00 a.m. for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolutions (the "**Resolutions**"):

### **ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS**

- 1. To receive and consider the audited financial statements of the Company and the reports of the directors of the Company (the "**Director**(s)") and auditors for the year ended 31 March 2024;
- 2. (a) To re-elect Mr. Poon Hai as an executive Director;
  - (b) To re-elect Mr. Poon Yeung, Roderick as an executive Director;
  - (c) To re-elect Mr. Leung Wai Keung (who has served for more than nine years) as an independent non-executive Director; and
  - (d) To authorise the board of Directors (the "**Board**") to fix the remuneration of the Directors;
- 3. To re-appoint PricewaterhouseCoopers as auditors of the Company for the ensuing year and to authorise the Board to fix their remuneration;

<sup>\*</sup> For identification purposes only

4. As special business to consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following Resolutions as ordinary resolutions:

### A. **"THAT**

- subject to (i) paragraph 4A(c) of this Resolution; (ii) the passing of resolution (a) 5A as set out in the notice dated 13 August 2024 convening the annual general meeting of Asia Standard International Group Limited to be held on 4 September 2024 (the "ASIGL AGM Notice"); and (iii) the passing of resolution 6A as set out in the notice dated 13 August 2024 convening the annual general meeting of Asia Orient Holdings Limited to be held on 4 September 2024 (the "AO AGM Notice") and without prejudice to Resolution 4C set out in the notice of this meeting (the "Notice"), the Directors be and are generally and unconditionally authorised to exercise during the Relevant Period (as defined in paragraph 4A(d) of this Resolution) all the powers of the Company to issue, allot or otherwise deal with the Shares and to issue, allot or grant securities convertible into Shares or options, warrants or similar rights to subscribe for any Shares or such convertible securities and to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including bonds, warrants, and debentures convertible into Shares) which might require the exercise of such powers, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws;
- (b) the approval in paragraph 4A(a) of this Resolution shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options which would or might require the exercise of such power after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the aggregate number of Shares to be allotted or agreed conditionally, or unconditionally, to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraphs 4A(a) and 4A(b) of this Resolution, otherwise than pursuant to:
  - (i) a Rights Issue (as defined in paragraph 4A(d) of this Resolution);
  - (ii) the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any securities or notes for the time being in force which are convertible into Shares;
  - (iii) the exercise of subscription or conversion right under the terms of any warrants of the Company or any option granted under any share option scheme or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the grant or issue to officers and/or employees of the Company and/or any of its subsidiaries of options to subscribe for or rights to acquire Shares; and

 (iv) any scrip dividend or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of Shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on Shares in accordance with the bye-laws of the Company (the "Bye-Laws");

shall not exceed 20 per cent of the share capital of the Company in issue (excluding treasury shares, if any) at the date of passing of this Resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly;

(d) for the purpose 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; or
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Bye-Laws or any applicable laws of Bermuda to be held; or
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in general meeting.

"**Rights Issue**" means the allotment, issue or grant of Shares pursuant to an offer of Shares open for a period fixed by the Directors made to holders of Shares whose names appear 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 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, or in any territory outside, Hong Kong).

Any reference to an allotment, issue, grant, offer or disposal of Shares shall include the sale or transfer of Treasury Shares in the capital of the Company (including to satisfy any obligation upon the conversion or exercise of any convertible securities, options, warrants or similar rights to subscribe for Shares) to the extent permitted by, and subject to the provisions of, the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "**Stock Exchange**") and applicable laws and regulations."

#### B. **"THAT**

- (a) subject to paragraph 4B(b) of this Resolution, the Directors be and are generally and unconditionally authorised to exercise during the Relevant Period (as defined in paragraph 4B(c) of this Resolution) all powers of the Company to repurchase Shares listed on the Stock Exchange or any other stock exchange on which the securities of the Company may be listed and recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong and the Stock Exchange under The Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share Buy-backs, for this purpose subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and in accordance with the provisions of, and in the manner specified in, the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange or that of any other stock exchange as amended from time to time;
- (b) the aggregate number of Shares to be repurchased or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph 4B(a) of this Resolution during the Relevant Period shall not exceed 10 per cent of the share capital of the Company in issue (excluding treasury shares, if any) at the date of passing of this Resolution and the said approvals shall be limited accordingly;
- (c) for the purpose 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; or
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Bye-Laws or any applicable laws of Bermuda to be held; or
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders in general meeting."

C. "THAT conditional upon (i) the passing of Resolutions 4A and 4B in the Notice of which this Resolution forms part; (ii) the passing of resolution 5B as set out in the ASIGL AGM Notice; and (iii) the passing of resolution 6B as set out in the AO AGM Notice, the aggregate number of Shares that may be allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to and in accordance with the approval given in Resolution 4A set out in the Notice be and is hereby increased and extended by the addition of the aggregate number of Shares which may be repurchased by the Company pursuant to and in accordance with the approval given in Resolution 4B set out in the Notice provided that such amount shall not exceed the aggregate number of the Shares repurchased pursuant to the said Resolution 4B and the said approval shall be limited accordingly."

By Order of the Board of Asia Standard Hotel Group Limited Lee Tai Hay, Dominic Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 13 August 2024

Registered Office: Victoria Place, 5th Floor 31 Victoria Street Hamilton HM 10 Bermuda Head office and principal place of business in Hong Kong: 30th Floor YF Life Tower 33 Lockhart Road Wanchai Hong Kong

#### Notes:

- 1. Every Shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the above meeting is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote instead of him. A proxy need not be a Shareholder.
- 2. A form of proxy for use at the above meeting is enclosed herewith.
- 3. Where there are joint holders of any Shares, any one of such persons may vote at the meeting, either personally or by proxy or by a duly authorised corporate representative (as defined in the Bye-Laws), in respect of such Shares as if he was solely entitled thereto, provided that if more than one of such joint holders be present at the meeting personally or by proxy or by a duly authorised corporate representative, that one of the said persons so present whose name stands first on the register of members of the Company in respect of such Shares shall alone be entitled to vote in respect thereof. For the avoidance of doubt, any holders of treasury shares (if any) have no right to vote at the Company's general meetings.
- 4. To be valid, a form of proxy, together with the power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy of that power of attorney or authority, must be deposited at the Company's Hong Kong branch share registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, at 17M Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting (or any adjournment thereof).
- 5. Shareholders are recommended to read the circular of the Company dated 13 August 2024 containing information concerning the Resolutions proposed in this Notice.
- 6. The register of members of the Company will be closed from Friday, 30 August 2024 to Wednesday, 4 September 2024 (both days inclusive) for the purpose of identifying the Shareholders who are entitled to attend and vote at the annual general meeting and no transfer of Shares will be registered during such period. In order to qualify for the right to attend the annual general meeting, completed transfer forms with the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Hong Kong branch share registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, at Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, 29 August 2024.
- 7. The Shareholders should decide themselves whether they will attend the physical meeting in bad weather conditions bearing in mind their personal circumstances. In case Typhoon Signal No. 8 or above is hoisted, or a Black Rainstorm Warning Signal or "extreme conditions caused by a super typhoon" announced by the Hong Kong Government is in force in Hong Kong at any time on the date of the meeting, the meeting may be adjourned or the time and/or place of the meeting may be changed. If the Company chooses to adjourn or change the time and/or place of the meeting, it will publish an announcement on its website at www.asiastandardhotelgroup.com and the HKEx news website at www.hkexnews.hk to notify the shareholders of the date, time and place of the adjourned or postponed Meeting. The Meeting will be held as scheduled when an Amber or a Red Rainstorm Warning Signal and/or a Typhoon Warning Signal No. 3 or below is in force.

As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. Poon Jing, Dr. Lim Yin Cheng, Mr. Poon Hai, Mr. Poon Yeung, Roderick, Mr. Fung Siu To, Clement and Mr. Woo Wei Chun, Joseph; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. Leung Wai Keung, Mr. Wong Chi Keung and Mr. Koon Bok Ming, Alan.