

Monthly Return of Equity Issuer on Movements in Securities

For the month ended
(dd/mm/yyyy) :

31/12/2016

To : Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited

Name of Issuer China Telecom Corporation Limited

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I. Movements in Authorised Share Capital

1. Ordinary Shares

(1) Stock code : <u>728</u>	Description : <u>H shares</u>		
	No. of ordinary shares	Par value (RMB)	Authorised share capital (RMB)
Balance at close of preceding month	<u>13,877,410,000</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>13,877,410,000</u>
Increase/(decrease)	<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>
Balance at close of the month	<u>13,877,410,000</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>13,877,410,000</u>
(2) Stock code : <u>N/A</u>	Description : <u>Domestic shares</u>		
	No. of ordinary shares	Par value (RMB)	Authorised share capital (RMB)
Balance at close of preceding month	<u>67,054,958,321</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>67,054,958,321</u>
Increase/(decrease)	<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>
Balance at close of the month	<u>67,054,958,321</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>67,054,958,321</u>

2. Preference Shares

Stock code : <u> N/A </u> Description : _____			
	No. of preference shares	Par value (<i>State currency</i>)	Authorised share capital (<i>State currency</i>)
Balance at close of preceding month _____	_____	_____	_____
Increase/(decrease) _____	_____	_____	_____
Balance at close of the month _____	_____	_____	_____

3. Other Classes of Shares

Stock code : <u> N/A </u> Description : _____			
	No. of other classes of shares	Par value (<i>State currency</i>)	Authorised share capital (<i>State currency</i>)
Balance at close of preceding month _____	_____	_____	_____
Increase/(decrease) _____	_____	_____	_____
Balance at close of the month _____	_____	_____	_____

Total authorised share capital at the end of the month (*RMB*) : 80,932,368,321

II. Movements in Issued Share Capital

	No. of ordinary shares		No of preference shares	No. of other classes of shares
	(1) H shares	(2) Domestic shares		
Balance at close of preceding month	<u>13,877,410,000</u>	<u>67,054,958,321</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>
Increase/ (decrease) during the month	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
Balance at close of the month	<u>13,877,410,000</u>	<u>67,054,958,321</u>	<u></u>	<u></u>

III. Details of Movements in Issued Share Capital

Share Options (under Share Option Schemes of the Issuer)

Particulars of share option scheme including EGM approval date (dd/mm/yyyy) and class of shares issuable	Movement during the month				No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto	No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month
	Granted	Exercised	Cancelled	Lapsed		
1. N/A						
(/ /) shares						
(Note 1)						
2.						
(/ /) shares						
(Note 1)						
3.						
(/ /) shares						
(Note 1)						
			Total A. (Ordinary shares)			
			(Preference shares)			
			(Other class)			
Total funds raised during the month from exercise of options (State currency)						

Warrants to Issue Shares of the Issuer which are to be Listed

Description of warrants (Date of expiry - dd/mm/yyyy)	Currency of nominal value	Nominal value at close of preceding month	Exercised during the month	Nominal value at close of the month	No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto	No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month
1. N/A						
(/ /) Stock code (if listed) _____ Class of shares issuable (Note 1) _____ Subscription price _____ EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ (/ /)						
2.						
(/ /) Stock code (if listed) _____ Class of shares issuable (Note 1) _____ Subscription price _____ EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ (/ /)						
3.						
(/ /) Stock code (if listed) _____ Class of shares issuable (Note 1) _____ Subscription price _____ EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ (/ /)						
4.						
(/ /) Stock code (if listed) _____ Class of shares issuable (Note 1) _____ Subscription price _____ EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ (/ /)						
Total B. (Ordinary shares) _____ (Preference shares) _____ (Other class) _____						

Convertibles (i.e. Convertible into Shares of the Issuer which are to be Listed)

Class and description	Currency of amount outstanding	Amount at close of preceding month	Converted during the month	Amount at close of the month	No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto	No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month
1. N/A _____ _____ _____						
Stock code (if listed) _____ Class of shares issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) _____ Subscription price _____ EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy) _____	(/ /)					
2. _____ _____ _____						
Stock code (if listed) _____ Class of shares issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) _____ Subscription price _____ EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy) _____	(/ /)					
3. _____ _____ _____						
Stock code (if listed) _____ Class of shares issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) _____ Subscription price _____ EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy) _____	(/ /)					
4. _____ _____ _____						
Stock code (if listed) _____ Class of shares issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) _____ Subscription price _____ EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy) _____	(/ /)					
					Total C. (Ordinary shares) _____ (Preference shares) _____ (Other class) _____	

Other Movements in Issued Share Capital

Type of Issue				No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto	No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month
1. Rights issue	At price :	State currency _____	Class of shares _____ issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /) EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)	N/A	
2. Open offer	At price :	State currency _____	Class of shares _____ issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /) EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)	N/A	
3. Placing	At price :	State currency _____	Class of shares _____ issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /) EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)	N/A	
4. Bonus issue			Class of shares _____ issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /) EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)	N/A	

Type of Issue				No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto	No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month
5.	Scrip dividend	At price : State currency _____	Class of shares _____ issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /) EGM approval date: (/ /) (dd/mm/yyyy)	N/A	
6.	Repurchase of shares		Class of shares _____ repurchased (<i>Note 1</i>) Cancellation date : (/ /) (dd/mm/yyyy) EGM approval date: (/ /) (dd/mm/yyyy)	N/A	
7.	Redemption of shares		Class of shares _____ redeemed (<i>Note 1</i>) Redemption date : (/ /) (dd/mm/yyyy) EGM approval date: (/ /) (dd/mm/yyyy)	N/A	
8.	Consideration issue	At price : State currency _____	Class of shares _____ issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /) EGM approval date: (/ /) (dd/mm/yyyy)	N/A	

Type of Issue		No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto	No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month
9. Capital reorganisation	Class of shares _____ issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /) EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)	N/A	
10. Other (Please specify)	At price : _____ State currency _____ Class of shares _____ issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /) EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)	N/A	
		Total E. (Ordinary shares)	_____
		(Preference shares)	_____
		(Other class)	_____

Total increase / (decrease) in ordinary shares during the month (i.e. Total of A to E):	(1)	<u>NIL</u>
	(2)	<u>NIL</u>
Total increase / (decrease) in preference shares during the month (i.e. Total of A to E):		<u>N/A</u>
Total increase / (decrease) in other classes of shares during the month (i.e. Total of A to E):		<u>N/A</u>
<i>(These figures should be the same as the relevant figures under II above ("Movements in Issued Share Capital").)</i>		

