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## **ETERNITY INVESTMENT LIMITED**

*(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)*

**(Stock Code: 764)**

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The principal terms and conditions of the Loan Agreement are set out in the section headed “The Loan Agreement” in this announcement.

The Directors consider that the granting of the Facilities is fair and reasonable and in the interests of the Company and its shareholders as a whole.

#### **LISTING RULES IMPLICATIONS**

As one of the relevant applicable percentage ratios (calculated in accordance with the Listing Rules) in respect of the granting of the Facilities is more than 5% but less than 25%, the granting of the Facilities constitutes a discloseable transaction of the Company under Chapter 14 of the Listing Rules and is only subject to the announcement requirement of the Listing Rules.

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### **The Loan Agreement**

The principal terms and conditions of the Loan Agreement are summarised as follows:

Date	:	27 December 2018
Lender	:	Hong Kong Builders, a licensed money lender in Hong Kong
Borrower	:	Customer AR
Principal amount of the Facilities	:	Up to HK\$100.00 million
Interest rate	:	12.00% per annum, payable quarterly
Default interest rate	:	12.00% per annum on overdue sums from the due date until payment in full.
Security	:	No security is provided by Customer AR.
Availability period	:	12 months commencing from the date on which the Loan Agreement becoming unconditional.

If (i) Customer AR has not made the first drawing for 90 days (or such other number of days as Customer AR and Hong Kong Builders may agree in writing) after the commencement of the availability period; or (ii) Customer AR has not made a drawing for 15 days (or such other number of days as Customer AR and Hong Kong Builders may agree in writing) after Customer AR has repaid all the principal amount of the Loan, the interest accrued thereon and all other outstanding amounts under the Loan Agreement to Hong Kong Builders, the Facilities shall automatically be cancelled and no longer be available for drawing.

Final repayment date	:	The date falling 12 months after the date on which the Loan Agreement becoming unconditional.
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- Repayment : Customer AR shall repay the outstanding principal amount of the Loan in full together with any accrued and unpaid interest in one lump sum on the final repayment date.
- Prepayment : Customer AR may prepay to Hong Kong Builders the whole or any part of the outstanding principal amount of the Loan before the final repayment date provided that (i) Customer AR shall have given to Hong Kong Builders prior written notice specifying the amount to be prepaid and the date on which prepayment is to be made, and (ii) Customer AR shall, on the date of prepayment, pay to Hong Kong Builders all accrued interest on the amount prepaid.
- Re-borrowing and drawing : Any amounts prepaid by Customer AR before the final repayment date shall be available for re-borrowing and drawing provided that the aggregate outstanding principal amount of the Loan shall not exceed HK\$100.00 million.
- Conditions precedent : The Loan Agreement is conditional upon the fulfillment of the following conditions:
- (a) the publication of an announcement of the Company in relation to the Loan Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder in compliance with Chapter 14 of the Listing Rules;
  - (b) all representations and warranties made by Customer AR in the Loan Agreement or in connection therewith being true and correct with the same effect as though made on and as of the date of drawing with reference to the facts and circumstances then subsisting;
  - (c) no event of default having occurred and no potential event of default having occurred (or being likely to occur as a result of the Loan being made); and
  - (d) Hong Kong Builders having received and found satisfactory such additional information and documents relating to Customer AR of the Loan Agreement as Hong Kong Builders may reasonably require.
- Long stop date : 11 January 2019 (or such later date as Hong Kong Builders and Customer AR may agree in writing).

## **Funding of the Facilities**

The Facilities will be financed by the internal resources of the Company and borrowings.

## **Information on Customer AR**

Customer AR is an individual, who is a merchant.

To the best of the knowledge, information and belief of the Directors, having made all reasonable enquires, Customer AR is a third party independent of the Company and its connected persons (as defined in the Listing Rules).

## **Information on the Group and Hong Kong Builders**

The Company is an investment holding company and its subsidiaries are principally engaged in sale of financial assets, property investment, money lending, and design and sale of jewelry products.

Hong Kong Builders is a licensed money lender in Hong Kong under the Money Lenders Ordinance. Hong Kong Builders conducts money lending business in Hong Kong through the provision of secured and unsecured loans to customers.

## **Reasons for and benefits of the granting of the Facilities**

As money lending is one of the principal activities of the Group, the granting of the Facilities is in the ordinary and usual course of business of the Group.

The terms of the Loan Agreement are negotiated on an arm's length basis between Hong Kong Builders and Customer AR. The Directors are of the view that the terms of the Loan Agreement are on normal commercial terms. Given that a stable interest income is generated from the Loan during the term of the Loan Agreement, the Directors consider that the granting of the Facilities is fair and reasonable and in the interests of the Company and its shareholders as a whole.

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## DEFINITIONS

In this announcement, the following words and expressions shall, unless the context otherwise requires, have the same meanings when used herein:

“Board”	the board of Directors
“Company”	Eternity Investment Limited, a company incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability and the issued shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange under stock code: 764
“Customer AR”	an individual
“Director(s)”	the director(s) of the Company
“Facilities”	the Loan to be made available by Hong Kong Builders to Customer AR under the Loan Agreement
“Group”	the Company and its subsidiaries
“Hong Kong”	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People’s Republic of China
“Hong Kong Builders”	Hong Kong Builders Finance Limited, a company incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability and a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company
“Listing Rules”	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange
“Loan”	the principal amount of up to HK\$100.00 million to be advanced by Hong Kong Builders to Customer AR subject to and upon the terms and conditions of the Loan Agreement or any part thereof and for the time being outstanding
“Loan Agreement”	the conditional loan agreement dated 27 December 2018 entered into between Hong Kong Builders as lender and Customer AR as borrower relating to the granting of the Facilities
“Money Lenders Ordinance”	the Money Lenders Ordinance (Chapter 163 of the laws of Hong Kong) as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time
“Stock Exchange”	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

“HK\$” Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong

“%” per cent.

By Order of the Board  
**Eternity Investment Limited**  
**Lei Hong Wai**  
*Chairman*

Hong Kong, 27 December 2018

*As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises four executive Directors, namely, Mr. Lei Hong Wai, Mr. Cheung Kwok Wai Elton, Mr. Chan Kin Wah Billy and Mr. Cheung Kwok Fan; and three independent non-executive Directors, namely, Mr. Wan Shing Chi, Mr. Ng Heung Yan and Mr. Wong Tak Chuen.*