

## Sa Sa was selected as a constituent member of "Hang Seng Corporate Sustainability Benchmark Index" for the third consecutive year since 2011

(9 September 2013 – HONG KONG) – **Sa Sa International Holdings Limited** ('Sa Sa' or the 'Group', stock code: 0178), Asia's leading cosmetics retailing group, announced that it is selected by Hang Seng Indexes Company Limited as a constituent member of "Hang Seng Corporate Sustainability Benchmark Index" (the "Index") for the third consecutive year since 2011. Being selected as a constituent member of the index is a testimony to Sa Sa's outstanding performance in terms of sustainable development, including corporate governance, corporate social responsibility, environmental protection, and staff development and training.



The Index, which is reviewed annually, evaluates and selects its constituents based on the market value, daily trading volume and sustainability performance of eligible listed companies (the top 20% with the highest score).

Dr. Simon Kwok, *BBS, JP*, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Group, said, "Sa Sa will continue to adhere to its belief in sustainable development, and strive for the continuous improvement of the Company. We aim to add chapter after chapter to our growth story while proactively being socially responsible."

## **About "Hang Seng Corporate Sustainability Benchmark Index"**

The Hang Seng Corporate Sustainability Index Series is the first of its kind in Hong Kong to focus on corporate sustainability level. The selection process of its constituents has been very strict based on the rating framework devised by an independent consultancy. It aims to include the most outstanding enterprises in order to provide an objective benchmark for sustainability investments.