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# Zhongtian Construction (Hunan) Group Limited 中天建設(湖南)集團有限公司 (Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability) (Stock Code: 2433)

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the annual general meeting (the "**Meeting**") of Zhongtian Construction (Hunan) Group Limited (the "**Company**") will be held at Meeting Room of the Operation Department, 3rd Floor, Zhongtian Building, No. 1197, East Xinhua Road, Hetang District, Zhuzhou City, Hunan Province, PRC, the PRC on 28 May 2024 at 10:00 a.m., to consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without amendments, the following resolutions:

### **ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS**

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries and the report of the directors of the Company (the "**Directors**") and the independent auditor of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2023.
- 2. To re-appoint BDO Limited as the auditor of the Company and to authorise the board of Directors (the "**Board**") of the Company to fix their remuneration.
- 3. (a) To re-elect Mr. Yang Zhongjie as an executive director of the Company;
  - (b) To re-elect Mr. Liu Xiaohong as an executive director of the Company;
  - (c) To re-elect Mr. Min Shixiong as an executive director of the Company;
- 4. To authorise the Board to fix the remuneration of the Directors of the Company.
- 5. To consider as special business, and if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

### "THAT:

(a) subject to paragraph (c) of this resolution, and pursuant to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities (the "Listing Rules") of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange"), the exercise by the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the share capital of the Company or securities convertible into such shares or options, warrants, or similar rights to subscribe for any shares or convertible securities of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including bonds, warrants and debentures convertible into shares of the Company) which would or might require the exercise of such power be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be in addition to any other authorization given to the Directors of the Company and shall authorise the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including bonds, warrants and debentures convertible into shares of the Company) which would or might require the exercise of such powers (including but not limited to the power to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the share capital of the Company) during or after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the total number of shares of the Company allotted, issued or dealt with or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted, issued or dealt with (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this resolution, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined); (ii) the exercise of any options granted under any share option scheme adopted by the Company 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 and/or any eligible persons thereunder of shares or rights to subscribe for shares in the capital of the Company; (iii) any scrip dividend scheme or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares of the Company in lieu of the whole or part a dividend pursuant to the articles of association of the Company from time to time; or (iv) an 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 of the Company, shall not exceed 20% of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the time of passing this resolution, and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (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 memorandum and the articles of association or the laws of the Cayman Islands of the Company from time to time or any applicable laws to be held; or
- (iii) the date on which the authority given under this resolution is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in a general meeting.

"**Rights Issue**" means an offer of shares of the Company or offer or issue of options, warrants or other securities giving rights to subscribe for shares of the Company, open for a period fixed by the Company or the Directors to holders of shares of the Company 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 as at that date (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 any relevant jurisdiction, or the requirements of any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange) and an offer, allotment or issue of shares by way of rights shall be construed accordingly."

6. To consider as special business, and if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

#### "THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) of this resolution, the exercise by the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to repurchase issued shares in the share capital of the Company on the Stock Exchange or on any other stock exchange on which the shares of the Company may be listed and which is recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong and the Stock Exchange for this purpose, and that the exercise by the Directors of all powers to repurchase such shares are subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and requirements of the Listing Rules or of any other stock exchange as amended from time to time, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution above shall be in addition to any other authorisation given to the Directors and shall authorise the Directors on behalf of the Company during the Relevant Period to procure the Company to repurchase its shares at a price determined by the Directors;

- (c) the total number of shares of the Company repurchased or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution during the Relevant Period shall not exceed 10% of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the time of the passing of this resolution, and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (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 memorandum and the articles of association of the Company from time to time or the laws of the Cayman Islands or any applicable laws to be held; or
  - (iii) the date on which the authority given under this resolution is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in a general meeting."
- 7. To consider as special business, and if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"THAT conditional upon the passing of the ordinary resolutions nos. 5 and 6 as set out in this notice convening the Meeting of which this resolution forms part, the general and unconditional mandate granted to the Directors pursuant to resolution no. 5 as set out in this notice above be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto of an amount representing the total number of shares of the Company repurchased by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to resolution no. 6 as set out in this notice above, provided that such amount shall not exceed 10% of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing resolution no. 6."

> By Order of the Board Zhongtain Construction (Hunan) Group Limited Yang Zhongjie Chairman

Hong Kong, 7 May 2024

#### Notes:

- 1. Any member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the Meeting is entitled to appoint another person as his/her proxy to attend and vote instead of him/her. A member who is the holder of two or more shares of the Company may appoint more than one proxy to represent him/her and vote on his/her behalf at the Meeting. A proxy need not be a member of the Company. On a poll, votes may be given either personally or by proxy.
- 2. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing under the hand of the appointer or his/her attorney duly authorised in writing, or if the appointer is a corporation, either under its seal or under the hand of an officer or attorney or other person duly authorized to sign the same on its behalf.
- 3. Where there are joint registered holders of any shares, any one of such joint holders may vote at the above Meeting (or any adjournment thereof), either personally or by proxy, in respect of such share as if he/she were solely entitled thereto; but if more than one of such joint holders by present at the above Meeting personally or by proxy, that one of the said joint holders, whether in person or by proxy, so present whose name stands first on the register of members of the Company in respect of such share shall alone be entitled to vote in respect thereof.
- 4. In order to be valid, the form of proxy, and (if required by the Board) the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy thereof, must be deposited at the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Boardrom Share Registrars (HK) Limited, at 2103B, 21st Floor, 148 Electric Road, North Point, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the Meeting or any adjournment thereof.
- 5. Completion and delivery of an instrument appointing a proxy shall not preclude a member from attending and voting in person at the Meeting if the member so wish and, in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.
- 6. No instrument appointing a proxy shall be valid after expiration of 12 months from the date named in it as the date of its execution, except at an adjourned meeting or on a poll demanded at the Meeting or any adjournment thereof in cases where the Meeting was originally held within 12 months from such date.
- 7. An explanatory statement as required by the Listing Rules in connection with the repurchase mandate under resolution no. 6 above is set out in Appendix I in this circular.
- 8. Details of the retiring directors proposed to be re-elected as the directors of the Company are set out in Appendix II to the circular of the Company dated 7 May 2024.
- 9. The transfer books and register of members of the Company will be closed from 23 May 2024 to 28 May 2024, both days inclusive. During such period, no share transfers will be effected. In order to qualify for attending the Meeting, all transfer documents, accompanied by the relevant share certificates, must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Boardroom Share Registrars (HK) Limited, at 2103B, 21st Floor 148 Electric Road, North Point, Hong Kong for registration no later than 4:30 p.m. on 22 May 2024.
- 10. A form of proxy for use by shareholders at the Meeting is enclosed.
- 11. Members of the Company or their proxies shall produce documents of their proof of identity when attending the Meeting.

12. If typhoon signal number 8 or above, or a "black" rainstorm warning is in effect at any time after 7:00 a.m. on the date of the Meeting, the Meeting will be postponed. The Company will post an announcement on the website of the Company at www.ztcon.com and on the HKExnews website of the Stock Exchange at www.hkexnews.hk to notify shareholders of the Company of the date, time and place of the rescheduled meeting.

As at the date of this notice, the board of directors of the Company comprises Mr. Yang Zhongjie as Chairman and executive Director; Mr. Liu Xiaohong, Mr. Min Shixiong, Mr. Shen Qiang and Mr. Chen Weiwu as executive Directors; and Dr. Liu Jianlong, Ms. Deng Jianhua and Mr. Lau Kwok Fai Patrick as independent non-executive Directors.