

## MARCO POLO MARINE LTD

(Incorporated in the Republic of Singapore) Company Registration No. 200610073Z

## **NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Twelfth Annual General Meeting of the Company will be held at 87 Science Park Drive Oasis Singapore Science Park I Singapore 118260 (Palm Room) on Tuesday, 27 February 2018 at 10:30 a.m. to transact the following business

#### **AS ORDINARY BUSINESS**

- To receive and adopt the Audited Financial Statements for the financial year ended 30 September 2017 together with the Directors' Statement and the Independent Auditor's Report (Resolution 1)
- To approve the payment of Directors' Fees of S\$213,400 for the financial year ending 30 September 2018. (2017: S\$180,000)
  - To re-elect the following Directors who are retiring by rotation pursuant to Regulation 103 of the Constitution of the Company:

Resolution 4)

Ms Lie Ly @Liely Lee,

(Resolution 3)

Mr Peter Sim Swee Yam. To re-appoint Mazars LLP as Independent Auditor of the Company and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration. (Resolution 5)

(Resolution 2)

### AS SPECIAL BUSINESS

To consider, and if thought fit, to pass the following Ordinary Resolutions (with or without any modifications):

Authority to allot and issue shares and/or convertible securities (Resolution 6) "That pursuant to Rule 806 of the Listing Manual of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited, authority be and is hereby given to the Directors of the Company to issue:-

shares in the capital of the Company whether by way of rights, bonus or otherwise or;

convertible securities; or

additional convertible securities arising from adjustments made to the number of convertible securities previously issued in the event of rights, bonus or capitalisation issues; or

- shares arising from the conversion of convertible securities, at any time and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes as the Directors may in their absolute discretion deem fit provided that:-
- the aggregate number of shares and convertible securities that may be issued shall not be more than 50% of the issued shares in the capital of the Company or such other limit as may be prescribed by the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "SGX-ST") as at the date the general mandate is passed;
- the aggregate number of shares and convertible securities to be issued other than on a pro-rata basis to existing shareholders shall not be more than 20% of the issued shares in the capital of the Company or such other limit as may be prescribed by the SGX-ST as at the date the general mandate is passed;
- for the purpose of determining the aggregate number of shares that may be issued under sub-paragraphs (i) and (ii) above, the percentage of issued shares shall be calculated based on the issued shares in the capital of the Company as at the date the general mandate is passed after adjusting for new shares arising from the conversion or exercise of any convertible securities or employee stock options in issue as at the date the general mandate is passed and any subsequent consolidation or subdivision of the Company's
- shares; and unless earlier revoked or varied by the Company in general meeting, such authority shall continue in force until the next Annual General Meeting or the date by which the next Annual General Meeting is required by law to be held, whichever is earlier.
- Authority to allot and issue shares under the Marco Polo Marine Ltd Restricted Share Scheme and Performance Share Scheme

(Resolution 7)

That the Directors of the Company be hereby authorised to offer and grant awards ("Awards") in accordance with the provisions of the Marco Polo Marine Ltd Restricted Share Scheme and Performance Share Scheme (collectively, the "ESAS Schemes") and to allot and issue or deliver from time to time such number of fully-paid shares as may be required to be issued or delivered pursuant to the vesting of the Awards under the ESAS Schemes, provided that:

- the aggregate number of shares to be issued pursuant to the ESAS Schemes shall not exceed three point-five per cent (3.5%) of the total issued share capital of the Company as at 30 September 2017; and the aggregate number of shares to be issued pursuant to the ESAS Schemes, when added to the number of shares issued and/or issuable under other share-based incentive schemes of the Company, shall not exceed fifteen per cent (15%) of the total number of the issued shares (excluding treasury shares) in the capital of the Company from time to
- time and that such authority shall, unless revoked or varied by the Company in a general meeting, continue in force until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company or the date by which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law to be held, whichever is earlier. Authority to allot and issue shares under the Marco Polo Marine Ltd Employee Share Option Scheme That the Directors of the Company be hereby authorised and empowered to offer and grant options in accordance with the rules of the Marco Polo Marine Ltd Employee Share Option Scheme (the "ESOS Scheme") and to issue from time to time such number of shares in the capital of the Company as may be required to be issued pursuant to the exercise of options
- granted by the Company under the ESOS Scheme, whether granted during the subsistence of this authority or otherwise, provided always that the aggregate number of additional ordinary shares to be issued pursuant to the ESOS Scheme, when added to the number of shares issued and/or issuable under other share-based incentive schemes of the Company, shall not exceed fifteen per cent (15%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) in the capital of the Company from time to time and that such authority shall, unless revoked or varied by the Company in a general meeting, continue in force until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company or the date by which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law to be held, whichever is earlier. Proposed Renewal of the Share Buyback Mandate

That:

(Resolution 9)

- pursuant to the Companies Act, Chapter 50 and the Listing Manual of the SGX, approval be and is hereby given for the renewal of the Share Buyback Mandate (as hereinafter defined) and the Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to exercise all the powers of the Company to purchase or otherwise acquire the issued ordinary shares fully paid in the capital of the Company (the "Shares") not exceeding in aggregate the Prescribed Limit (as hereafter defined) during the Relevant Period, at such price(s) as may be determined by the Directors of the Company from time to time up to the Maximum Price (as hereafter defined), whether by way of: (a)
  - on-market purchases ("Market Purchase"), transacted on the SGX-ST through its ready market or, as the case may be, any other stock exchange on which the Shares may for the time being be listed and quoted, through one or more duly licensed stockbrokers appointed by the Company for the purpose; and/or
- off-market purchases ("Off-Market Purchase") (if effected otherwise than on the SGX-ST) in accordance with an equal access scheme(s) as may be determined or formulated by the Directors as they may consider fit, which scheme(s) shall satisfy all the conditions prescribed by the Companies Act, Chapter 50 and the Listing Manual;
- any share that is purchased or otherwise acquired by the Company pursuant to the proposed Share Buyback Mandate shall, at the discretion of the Directors, either be cancelled or held in treasury and dealt with in accordance with the Companies Act, Chapter 50;
- unless varied or revoked by the Company in general meeting, the authority conferred on the Directors of the Company pursuant to the Share Buyback Mandate may be exercised by the Directors at any time and from time to time during the period commencing from the passing of this Resolution and expiring on the earlier of:
- the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company or the date by which such Annual General Meeting is required by law to be held;
- the date on which the purchases or acquisitions of Shares by the Company pursuant to the Share Buyback Mandate are carried out to the full extent mandated; or
  - (iii) the date on which the authority contained in the Share Buyback Mandate is varied or revoked by ordinary resolution of the Company in general meeting;
  - in this Resolution:
- the Company has effected a reduction of its share capital in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Companies Act, at any time during the Relevant Period or within any one financial year of the Company, whichever is the earlier, in which event the issued ordinary share capital of the Company shall be taken to be the amount of the issued ordinary

share capital of the Company as altered; "Relevant Period" means the period commencing from the date on which the Annual General Meeting at which this Resolution is passed is held and expiring on the date the next Annual General Meeting is held or is required by law or the regulations of the Company's Constitution to be held, whichever is the earlier, after the date of this Resolution; and

"Prescribed Limit" means that number of issued Shares representing 10% of the issued ordinary Share capital of the Company as at the date of passing of this Resolution unless

"Maximum Price" in relation to a Share to be purchased, means an amount (excluding brokerage, stamp duties, applicable goods and services tax and other related expenses) not exceeding:-

in the case of an Off-Market Purchase: 120% of the Highest Last Dealt Price, where: "Average Closing Price" means the average of the closing market prices of a Share over the last five market days, on which transactions in the Shares were recorded, preceding the day of the Market Purchase, and deemed to be adjusted for any corporate action that occurs after the relevant five-day period;

"Highest Last Dealt Price" means the highest price transacted for a Share as recorded on the market day on which there were trades in the Shares immediately preceding the day of the making of the offer pursuant to the Off-Market Purchase; and "day of the making of the offer" means the day on which the Company announces its intention to make an offer for the purchase of Shares from shareholders of the Company

stating the purchase price (which shall not be more than the Maximum Price calculated on the foregoing basis) for each Share and the relevant terms of the equal access scheme for effecting the Off-Market Purchase; and

any of the Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to complete and do all such acts and things (including executing such documents as may be required) as they may consider expedient or necessary to give effect to the transactions contemplated by this Resolution.

Proposed Renewal of the IPT General Mandate That:

in the case of a Market Purchase: 105% of the Average Closing Price;

(Resolution 10)

- approval be and is hereby given for the renewal of the mandate for the purpose of Chapter 9 of the Listing Manual of the SGX, for the Company, its subsidiaries and its associated (a) companies, or any of them, to enter into any of the transactions falling within the types of Interested Person Transactions, as set out in Annex to the Appendix dated 12 February 2018 to the Annual Report (the "Appendix"), with any party who falls within the classes of Interested Persons as described in the Annex to the Appendix and that such approval shall, unless revoked or varied by the Company in general meeting, continue in force until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company; the Audit Committee of the Company be and is hereby authorised to take such action as it deems proper in respect of procedures and to implement such procedures as may be
  - necessary to take into consideration any amendment to Chapter 9 of the Listing Manual which may be prescribed by the SGX-ST from time to time; any of the Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to complete and do all such acts and things (including executing all such documents as may be required) as
  - they may consider expedient or necessary or in the best interest of the Company to give effect to the transactions contemplated by this Resolution; and
  - such approval shall, unless earlier revoked or varied by the Company in general meeting, continue to be in force until the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is held or is required by law to be held, whichever is earlier.

By Order of the Board

Lawrence Kwan Secretary

Singapore, 12 February 2018 Explanatory notes on Ordinary Business to be transacted:

#### The proposed Directors' fee is payable to the Independent Directors and Non-Executive Directors of the Company including the additional appointed ones with their Resolution 2.

respective appointments to take effect from 1 March 2018. Ms Lie Ly @Liely Lee will, upon re-election as a Director of the Company, continue to serve as Executive Director of the Company. Resolution 3.

Mr Peter Sim Swee Yam will, upon re-election as a Director of the Company, continue to serve as Independent Director, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, and Member Resolution 4.

of Remuneration Committee and Audit Committee. Mr Peter Sim Swee Yam is considered independent for the purposes of Rule 704(8) of the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST. Resolution 5. This resolution is to re-appoint Mazars LLP as Independent Auditor of the Company for the ensuing financial year and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration.

Explanatory notes on Special Business to be transacted: Is to empower the Directors of the Company to issue shares and convertible securities in the Company up to an amount not exceeding in aggregate 50% of the issued Resolution 6.

share capital (excluding treasury shares) of the Company of which the total number of shares and convertible securities issued other than on a pro-rata basis to existing

11,779,201 shares.

instrument appointing the proxies.

shareholders shall not exceed 20% of the issued share capital (excluding treasury shares) of the Company at the time that Resolution 6 is passed, for such purposes as they consider would be in the interests of the Company. Rule 806(3) of the Listing Manual of Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited currently provides that the issued share capital (excluding treasury shares) of the Company for this purpose shall be the issued share capital (excluding treasury shares) at the time this resolution is passed (after adjusting for new shares arising from the conversion of convertible securities or share options on issue at the time this resolution is passed and any subsequent consolidation or subdivision of the Company's shares). This authority will, unless revoked or varied at a general meeting, expire at the next Annual General Meeting of the Resolution 7. If passed, is to authorise the Directors to offer and grant Awards under the ESAS Schemes and to allot and issue shares pursuant to the vesting of Awards under the ESAS

Schemes, provided that the number of shares issued and issuable in respect of such Awards: shall not exceed three point-five per cent (3.5%) of the total issued share capital (excluding treasury shares) of the Company as at 30 September 2017; and

the aggregate number of shares to be issued pursuant to the ESAS Schemes, when added to the number of shares issued and/or issuable under other share-based incentive schemes of the Company, shall not exceed fifteen per cent (15%) of the issued shares of the Company from time to time.

Based on the issued share capital of the Company as at 30 September 2017, the total number of shares, which may be issued or issuable in respect of such Awards, is

Resolution 8. If passed, will empower the Directors of the Company, effective until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company, or the date by which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law to be held or such authority is varied or revoked by the Company in a general meeting, whichever is the earlier, to issue shares in the Company pursuant to the exercise of options granted or to be granted under the ESOS Scheme up to a number not exceeding in aggregate, when added to the number of shares issued and/or issuable under other share-based incentive schemes of the Company, fifteen per centum (15%) of the total number of issued shares

(excluding treasury shares) in the capital of the Company from time to time.

If passed, renews the General Mandate authorising the Directors of the Company to enter into certain interested person transactions with persons who are considered Resolution 10. "interested persons" (as defined in Chapter 9 of the Listing Manual of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited).

Notes: A Member (other than a Relevant Intermediary\*) entitled to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting may appoint not more than two (2) proxies to attend and vote in his/her

- stead. A Member which is a corporation is entitled to appoint its authorised representative or proxy to vote on its behalf. A proxy need not be a Member. Where a Member (other than a Relevant Intermediary\*) appoints two (2) proxies, he or she shall specify the proportion of his or her shareholding to be represented by each proxy in the
- A Relevant Intermediary\* may appoint more than two (2) proxies, but each proxy must be appointed to exercise the rights attached to a different share or shares held by him (which number and class of shares shall be specified).
- If a proxy is to be appointed, the instrument appointing a proxy must be duly deposited at the registered office of the Company's share registrar, B.A.C.S. Private Limited, at 8 Robinson Road, #03-OO ASO Building, Singapore 048544, not later than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the Annual General Meeting. The instrument appointing a proxy must be signed by the appointor or his attorney duly authorised in writing. Where the instrument appointing a proxy is executed by a corporation, it
- must be executed either under its common seal or under the hand of any officer or attorney duly authorised. A Depositor's name must appear on the Depository Register maintained by The Central Depository (Pte) Limited as at 72 hours before the time fixed for holding the Annual General
- Meeting in order for the Depositor to be entitled to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting. \* A Relevant Intermediary is:
- a banking corporation licensed under the Banking Act (Chapter 19) of Singapore or a wholly-owned subsidiary of such a banking corporation, whose business includes the provision of nominee services and who holds shares in that capacity; or
- the Central Provident Fund Board established by the Central Provident Fund Act (Chapter 36) of Singapore, in respect of shares purchased under the subsidiary legislation made under that Act providing for the making of investments from the contributions and interest standing to the credit of members of the Central Provident Fund, if the Board holds those shares in the capacity of an intermediary pursuant to or in accordance with that subsidiary legislation.

a person holding a capital markets services licence to provide custodial services for securities under the Securities and Futures Act (Chapter 289) of Singapore and who holds shares in

# Personal data privacy:

member's breach of Warranty

By submitting an instrument appointing a proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) to attend, speak and vote at the Annual General Meeting and/or any adjournment thereof, a member of the Company (i) consents to the collection, use and disclosure of the member's personal data by the Company (or its agents or service providers) for the purpose of the processing and administration by the Company (or its agents or service providers) of proxies and representatives appointed for the Annual General Meeting (including any adjournment thereof) and the preparation and compilation of the attendance lists, minutes and other documents relating to the Annual General Meeting (including any adjournment thereof), and in order for the Company (or its agents or service providers) to comply with any applicable laws, listing rules, regulations and/ or guidelines (collectively, the "Purposes"), (ii) warrants that where the member discloses the personal data of the member's proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) to the Company (or its agents or service providers), the member has obtained the prior consent of such proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) for the collection, use and disclosure by the Company (or its agents or service providers) of the personal data of such proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) for the Purposes (the "Warranty"), and (iii) agrees that the member will indemnify the Company in respect of any penalties, liabilities, claims, demands, losses and damages as a result of the