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### 美高域集團有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock code: 1985)

#### GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND TO BUY BACK SHARES, RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening the annual general meeting of the Company (the "Annual General Meeting") to be held at Room Four, 8/F, The Wave, 4 Hing Yip Street, Kwun Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong on Monday, 24 August 2020 at 11:00 a.m. is set out on pages 13 to 17 of this circular. A form of proxy for use at the Annual General Meeting is also enclosed. Such form of proxy is also published on the websites of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (<a href="www.hkexnews.hk">www.hkexnews.hk</a>) and the Company (<a href="www.hkexnews.hk">www.hkexnews.hk</a>) and the Company (<a href="www.microware1985.com">www.microware1985.com</a>).

If you intend to appoint proxy(ies) to attend the Annual General Meeting, you are requested to complete the form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it to the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong as soon as possible but in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the Annual General Meeting or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude Shareholders from attending and voting at the Annual General Meeting or any adjournment thereof if you so wish, and in such event, the form of proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

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#### **DEFINITIONS**

In this circular, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions shall have the following meanings:

"2020 Final Dividend" the proposed final dividend of HK\$0.08 per Share for the year

ended 31 March 2020 to Shareholders whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on Monday,

31 August 2020

"Annual General Meeting" the annual general meeting of the Company to be held at Room

Four, 8/F, The Wave, 4 Hing Yip Street, Kwun Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong on Monday, 24 August 2020 at 11:00 a.m. or any adjournment thereof, the notice of which is set out on pages

13 to 17 of this circular

"Articles of Association" the amended and restated articles of association of the

Company which was adopted on 15 February 2017 and became effective on 8 March 2017, as amended from time to time

"Board" the board of Directors

"Cayman Companies Law" the Companies Law, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as consolidated

and revised) of the Cayman Islands

"Company" Microware Group Limited (美高域集團有限公司), an

exempted company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability on 20 January 2016, whose Shares are listed on

the Main Board of the Stock Exchange

"Director(s)" the director(s) of the Company

"General Mandate" a general and unconditional mandate to be granted to the

Directors to allot, issue and deal with Shares with a total number not exceeding 20% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing of the relevant resolution

granting such mandate

"Group" the Company and its subsidiaries

"Hong Kong" the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's

Republic of China

"HK\$" Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong

"Latest Practicable Date" 16 July 2020, being the latest practicable date prior to the

printing of this circular for the purpose of ascertaining certain

information contained in this circular

#### **DEFINITIONS**

"Listing Date" 8 March 2017, the date on which dealings in Shares on the

Main Board of the Stock Exchange first commenced

"Listing Rules" the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock

Exchange

"SFO" the Securities and Futures Ordinance of Hong Kong (Chapter

571 of the Laws of Hong Kong), as amended, supplemented or

otherwise modified from time to time

"Share(s)" ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.01 each of the Company

"Shares Buy-back Mandate" a general and unconditional mandate to be granted to the

Directors to exercise the power of the Company to buy back Shares up to a maximum of 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing the relevant resolution

granting such mandate

"Shareholder(s)" the holder(s) of the Share(s)

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"Takeovers Code" the Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share Buy-backs

issued by the Securities and Futures Commission in Hong

Kong, as amended from time to time

"%" per cent



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Executive Directors:

Mr. Chu Ming Ho

(Chairman and chief executive officer)

Mr. Yang Peter Shun Tsing

Non-executive Director:

Mr. Wan Yiu Hon

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Ms. Li Wai Man

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23 July 2020

To the Shareholders

Dear Sir or Madam,

# GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND TO BUY BACK SHARES, RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

#### INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this circular is to give you the notice of the Annual General Meeting and the information in respect of the resolutions to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting including (i) the grant to the Directors the General Mandate and the Shares Buy-back Mandate; (ii) the extension of the General Mandate to include Shares bought back pursuant to the Shares Buy-back Mandate; and (iii) the re-election of the retiring Directors.

#### GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE AND TO BUY BACK SHARES

At the annual general meeting held on 22 August 2019, resolutions were passed by the Shareholders granting general mandates to the Directors (i) to allot, issue and deal with Shares with a total number not exceeding 20% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing such resolution; (ii) to buy back Shares up to a maximum of 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing such resolution; and (iii) to extend the general mandate of (i) above to include Shares bought back pursuant to the general mandate of (ii) above. Such general mandates will expire at the conclusion of the Annual General Meeting.

At the Annual General Meeting, separate ordinary resolutions will be proposed:

- (a) to grant the General Mandate to the Directors to exercise all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with Shares with a total number not exceeding 20% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing the resolution. Based on 300,000,000 Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date and assuming no further Shares will be issued or bought back or cancelled prior to the date of the Annual General Meeting, the Directors will be authorised to issue up to 60,000,000 Shares under the General Mandate, being 20% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing the resolution in relation thereto. The General Mandate will end on the earliest of the date of the next annual general meeting of the Company, the date by which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required to be held by law or the Articles of Association or the date upon which such authority is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders at a general meeting of the Company;
- (b) to grant the Shares Buy-back Mandate to the Directors to exercise all the powers of the Company to buy back issued Shares subject to the criteria set out in this circular. Under such Shares Buy-back Mandate, the maximum number of Shares that the Company may buy back shall not exceed 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing the resolution. Based on 300,000,000 Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date and assuming no further Shares will be issued or bought back or cancelled prior to the date of the Annual General Meeting, the Company will be allowed under the Shares Buy-back Mandate to buy back a maximum of 30,000,000 Shares, being 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing the resolution in relation thereto. The Shares Buy-back Mandate will end on the earliest of the date of the next annual general meeting of the Company, the date by which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required to be held by law or the Articles of Association or the date upon which such authority is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders at a general meeting of the Company; and
- (c) subject to the passing of the aforesaid ordinary resolutions approving the grant of the General Mandate and the Shares Buy-back Mandate, to extend the number of Shares to be issued and allotted under the General Mandate by an additional number representing such number of Shares bought back under the Shares Buy-back Mandate.

In accordance with the Listing Rules, an explanatory statement is set out in Appendix I to this circular to provide you with requisite information reasonably necessary to enable you to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the proposed resolution approving the grant of the Shares Buy-back Mandate at the Annual General Meeting.

#### RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS

In accordance with Article 84 of the Articles of Association, Mr. Chu Ming Ho ("Mr. Chu") and Mr. Yang Peter Shun Tsing ("Mr. Yang") shall retire and being eligible, have offered themselves for re- election at the Annual General Meeting.

At the Annual General Meeting, ordinary resolutions will be proposed to re-elect Mr. Chu Ming Ho and Mr. Yang Peter Shun Tsing as executive Directors.

The biographical details of the above named Directors who are subject to re-election at the Annual General Meeting are set out in Appendix II to this circular in accordance with the relevant requirements of the Listing Rules.

#### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Set out on pages 13 to 17 of this circular is the notice of Annual General Meeting at which, inter alia, ordinary resolutions will be proposed to Shareholders to consider and approve (i) the grant to the Directors the General Mandate and the Shares Buy-back Mandate; (ii) the extension of the General Mandate to include Shares bought back pursuant to the Shares Buy-back Mandate; and (iii) the re-election of the retiring Directors.

A form of proxy for use at the Annual General Meeting is enclosed. Such form of proxy is also published on the websites of the Stock Exchange (<a href="www.hkexnews.hk">www.hkexnews.hk</a>) and the Company (<a href="www.microware1985.com">www.microware1985.com</a>). If you intend to appoint proxy(ies) to attend the Annual General Meeting, you are requested to complete the form of proxy and return it to the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong in accordance with the instructions printed thereon as soon as possible but in any event not less than 48 hours before the time fixed for the holding of the Annual General Meeting or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting at the Annual General Meeting or any adjournment thereof if you so wish, and in such event, the proxy form shall be deemed to be revoked.

All resolutions will be put to vote by way of poll at the Annual General Meeting pursuant to Rule 13.39 of the Listing Rules. An announcement on the poll results will be made by the Company after the Annual General Meeting in the manner prescribed under Rule 13.39(5) of the Listing Rules.

#### **CLOSURE OF REGISTER OF MEMBERS**

For the purpose of determining the Shareholders' rights to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Wednesday, 19 August 2020 to Monday, 24 August 2020, both days inclusive, during which period no Share transfers can be registered. In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting, unregistered holders of Shares should ensure that all Share transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, 18 August 2020.

For the purpose of determining the Shareholders' entitlement to the 2020 Final Dividend, if approved by the Shareholders at the Annual General Meeting, the register of members of the Company will be closed on Monday, 31 August 2020, on which day no Share transfers can be registered. In order to be eligible for the entitlement to the 2020 Final Dividend upon the approval by the Shareholders at the Annual General Meeting, unregistered holders of Shares should ensure that all Share transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 28 August 2020.

#### RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

This circular, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Group. The Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that to the best of their knowledge and belief, the information contained in this circular is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this circular misleading.

#### RECOMMENDATION

The Directors consider that (i) the granting of the General Mandate and the Shares Buy-back Mandate to the Directors to issue and to buy back Shares; (ii) the extension of the General Mandate to include Shares bought back pursuant to the Shares Buy-back Mandate; and (iii) the re-election of the retiring Directors are in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. The Directors therefore recommend the Shareholders to vote in favour of all the resolutions to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

Yours faithfully
By order of the Board
Microware Group Limited
Chu Ming Ho

Chairman, executive Director and chief executive officer

This is an explanatory statement given to all Shareholders relating to a resolution to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting for approving the Shares Buy-back Mandate. This explanatory statement contains all the information required pursuant to Rule 10.06(1)(b) of the Listing Rules and other relevant provisions of the Listing Rules which is set out as follows:

#### 1. SHARES IN ISSUE

As at the Latest Practicable Date, there was a total of 300,000,000 Shares in issue. Subject to the passing of the resolution granting the Shares Buy-back Mandate and on the basis that no further Shares will be issued, bought back or cancelled during the period from the Latest Practicable Date to the date of the Annual General Meeting, the Company will be allowed under the Shares Buy-back Mandate to buy back a maximum of 30,000,000 Shares, being 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of the passing of the relevant resolution at the Annual General Meeting. The Shares Buy-back Mandate will end on the earliest of the date of the next annual general meeting of the Company, the date by which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required to be held by law or the Articles of Association or the date upon which such authority is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders at a general meeting of the Company.

#### 2. REASONS FOR SHARE BUY-BACK

The Directors have no present intention to buy back any Shares but consider that the ability to do so would give the Company additional flexibility that would be beneficial to the Company and the Shareholders as such buy-back may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net assets value of the Company and/or its earning per Share and will only be made when the Directors believe that such a buy-back will benefit the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

As compared with the financial position of the Company as at 31 March 2020 (as disclosed in its latest audited financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2020), the Directors consider that there would not be any material adverse impact on the working capital and on the gearing position of the Company in the event that the proposed buy-back were to be carried out in full during the proposed buy-back period. In the circumstances, the Directors do not propose to exercise the Shares Buy-back Mandate to such an extent as would have a material adverse impact on the working capital or gearing ratio of the Company.

#### 3. FUNDING OF BUY-BACK

The Company is empowered by its memorandum of association and the Articles of Association to buy back its Shares. In buying back Shares, the Company may only apply funds legally available for such purpose in accordance with its memorandum of association and Articles of Association and laws of the Cayman Islands. The laws of the Cayman Islands provide that payment for a share buy-back may only be made out of profits, share premium account or the proceeds of a new issue of Shares made for such purpose or subject to the Cayman Companies Law, out of capital of the Company. The amount of premium payable on buy-back of Shares may only be paid out of either or both of the profits or from sums standing to the credit of the share premium account of the Company or subject to the Cayman Companies Law, out of capital of the Company.

In addition, under the laws of the Cayman Islands, payment out of capital by a company for the purchase by a company of its own shares is unlawful unless immediately following the date on which the payment is proposed to be made, the company shall be able to pay its debts as they fall due in the ordinary course of business. In accordance with the laws of the Cayman Islands, the shares so bought back would be treated as cancelled but the aggregate amount of authorised share capital would not be reduced.

#### 4. DIRECTORS, THEIR CLOSE ASSOCIATES AND CORE CONNECTED PERSONS

None of the Directors nor, to the best of their knowledge and belief having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their close associates (as defined under the Listing Rules), has any present intention to sell any Shares to the Company in the event that the Shares Buy-back Mandate is granted by the Shareholders.

No core connected person of the Company (as defined in the Listing Rules) has notified the Company that he/she/it has a present intention to sell Shares to the Company nor has he/she/it undertaken not to sell any of the Shares held by him/her/it to the Company in the event that the Shares Buy-back Mandate is granted by the Shareholders.

#### 5. UNDERTAKING OF THE DIRECTORS

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange that, so far as the same may be applicable, they will exercise the powers of the Company to make buy-backs pursuant to the Shares Buy-back Mandate and in accordance with the Listing Rules, the Articles of Association and the laws of the Cayman Islands.

#### 6. EFFECT OF TAKEOVERS CODE

A buy-back of Shares by the Company may result in an increase in the proportionate interests of a substantial Shareholder in the voting rights of the Company, which could give rise to an obligation to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code.

To the best of the knowledge and belief of the Company and as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company under Section 336 of the SFO, as at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Yang Peter Shun Tsing, an executive Director, together with Microware International Holdings Limited, a controlling Shareholder which is wholly owned by Mr. Yang Peter Shun Tsing, were beneficially interested in 204,880,000 Shares, representing approximately 68.29% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date. In the event that the Directors exercise in full the power to buy back the Shares pursuant to the Shares Buy-back Mandate which is proposed to be granted, the shareholding of Mr. Yang Peter Shun Tsing and his associates would be increased to approximately 75.88% of the then total number of Shares in issue and such increase would not give rise to an obligation to make a mandatory offer under the Takeovers Code. The Directors will not exercise the Shares Buy-back Mandate to such an extent that it would give rise to an obligation to make a mandatory offer under the Takeovers Code or result in the amount of Shares held by the public being reduced to less than 25% of the issued share capital of the Company.

#### 7. SHARE BUY-BACKS MADE BY THE COMPANY

The Company had not bought back any Shares (whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise) in the six months preceding the Latest Practicable Date.

#### 8. SHARE PRICES

During each of the previous 12 months prior to the Latest Practicable Date, the highest and lowest prices at which the Shares were traded on the Stock Exchange were as follows:

	Highest HK\$	Lowest HK\$
2019		
July	0.99	0.85
August	0.95	0.81
September	0.86	0.81
October	0.84	0.80
November	0.84	0.79
December	0.80	0.74
2020		
January	0.79	0.71
February	0.85	0.68
March	0.80	0.60
April	0.79	0.70
May	0.80	0.73
June	1.08	0.75
July (up to the Latest Practicable Date)	1.43	0.95

#### **APPENDIX II**

### DETAILS OF THE DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE RE-ELECTED AT THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The biographical details of the Directors proposed to be re-elected at the Annual General Meeting are set out below:

#### **Executive Directors**

Mr. Chu Ming Ho (朱明豪), aged 50, was appointed as a Director on 20 January 2016 and was re-designated as an executive Director on 25 May 2016. He has been the chairman and chief executive officer of the Group since 25 May 2016 and a director of all subsidiaries of the Company. From January 2006 to May 2016, Mr. Chu was the managing director of Microware Limited ("Microware Ltd."), an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, and he has been primarily responsible for the overall management, strategic planning and leading the management team. Mr. Chu received a bachelor's degree in business (economics and finance) from Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology University in Australia in September 2004.

Mr. Chu has entered into a service contract with the Company for a term of three years commencing from 8 March 2020, which may be terminated by not less than three months' notice in writing served by either party on the other. Mr. Chu is entitled to receive a remuneration of HK\$115,800 per month which was determined by the Board with reference to his experience, job responsibility and the prevailing market rate, together with discretionary bonus and commission as may be decided by the Board.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Chu was interested in 11,500,000 Shares pursuant to Part XV of the SFO, representing approximately 3.83% of the entire issued share capital of the Company.

Mr. Yang Peter Shun Tsing (楊純青), aged 69, was appointed as a Director on 20 January 2016 and was re-designated as an executive Director on 25 May 2016. He has over 28 years of experience in the information technology industry. From 1 March 1989 and to the present, Mr. Yang is the president of Microware Ltd. and has been primarily responsible for the overall management and strategic planning of the businesses of the Group. He is a director of all subsidiaries of the Company. From March 1989 to February 2008 and from February 2008 to July 2012, he was the president and chairman of Microware Ltd., respectively, where he was responsible for the overall management and strategic planning of its businesses. Mr. Yang received a Bachelor of Science degree with specialisation in physics from the University of Alberta in Canada in May 1971. From 1974 to 1984, Mr. Yang was a chartered accountant of The Institute of Chartered Accountants and Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants.

Mr. Yang was also the director of Microware Service Centre Limited, Gemini Technology Solutions Limited and Hong Kong PC Dealers Association Limited which were solvent companies incorporated in Hong Kong prior to their respective dissolution. Microware Service Centre Limited and Gemini Technology Solutions Limited had not commenced any business since incorporation and were dissolved by deregistration by the Registrar of Companies in Hong Kong as defunct companies pursuant to section 291AA of the predecessor Companies Ordinance (Chapter 32 of the Laws of Hong Kong) as in force from time to time before 3 March 2014 (the "Predecessor Companies Ordinance") on 13 December 2002 and 4 March 2011, respectively. Hong Kong PC Dealers

# APPENDIX II DETAILS OF THE DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE RE-ELECTED AT THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Association Limited, a computer association, was dissolved by striking off by the Registrar of Companies in Hong Kong as defunct company pursuant to section 291 of the Predecessor Companies Ordinance on 19 February 2010. Mr. Yang has confirmed that, as at the Latest Practicable Date, no claims has been made against him and he was not aware of any threatened and potential claims made against him and there are no outstanding claims and/or liabilities as a result of the dissolution of Microware Service Centre Limited, Gemini Technology Solutions Limited and Hong Kong PC Dealers Association Limited.

Mr. Yang has entered into a service contract with the Company for a term of three years commencing from 8 March 2020, which may be terminated by not less than three months' notice in writing served by either party on the other. Mr. Yang is entitled to receive a remuneration of HK\$50,000 per month which was determined by the Board with reference to his experience, job responsibility and the prevailing market rate, together with discretionary bonus as may be decided by the Board.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Microware International held 164,804,000 Shares. As Microware International is beneficially and wholly owned by Mr. Yang, he is deemed to be interested in the Shares held by Microware International for the purposes of the SFO. Together with the 40,076,000 Shares held by Mr. Yang as at the Latest Practicable Date, he was interested in an aggregate of 204,880,000 Shares pursuant to Part XV of the SFO, representing approximately 68.29% of the entire issued share capital of the Company. Mr. Yang is a director of Microware International.

Save as disclosed herein, none of the above Directors (i) held any directorships in other listed public companies in Hong Kong or overseas in the last three years; (ii) held any other positions with the Company and its subsidiaries; (iii) held any relationship with any Directors, senior management, substantial or controlling Shareholders of the Company; and (iv) had any interest in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO as at the Latest Practicable Date.

In addition, there is no other matter that needs to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders in respect of the re-election of the above Directors and there is no information relating to the above Directors which is required to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements under Rule 13.51(2) (h) to (v) of the Listing Rules.



### Microware Group Limited 美高域集團有限公司

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#### NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the annual general meeting (the "**Annual General Meeting**") of Microware Group Limited (the "**Company**") will be held at Room Four, 8/F, The Wave, 4 Hing Yip Street, Kwun Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong on Monday, 24 August 2020 at 11:00 a.m. for the following purposes:

#### **As Ordinary Business**

To consider and if thought fit, passing the following resolutions (with or without modification) as ordinary resolutions of the Company:

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company and the reports of the directors (the "**Director(s)**") and auditors of the Company (the "**Auditors**") for the year ended 31 March 2020.
- 2. To declare a final dividend of HK\$0.08 per ordinary share of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2020.
- 3. To re-elect the following persons as the Directors:
  - (a) Mr. Chu Ming Ho as an executive Director; and
  - (b) Mr. Yang Peter Shun Tsing as an executive Director.
- 4. To authorise the board of the Directors to fix the remuneration of the Directors.
- 5. To re-appoint Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu as the Auditors and authorise the board of the Directors to fix their remuneration.

#### **As Special Business**

#### 6. "That:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares of the Company (the "Share(s)") or securities convertible into Shares, or options, warrants or similar rights to subscribe for Shares or such convertible securities of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and/or options (including bonds, warrants and debentures convertible into Shares) which may require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) above shall be in addition to any other authorisation given to the Directors and shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) to make or grant offers, agreements and/or options which may require the exercise of such power after the end of the Relevant Period;
- the total number of Shares allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to (c) be allotted (whether pursuant to options or otherwise) by the Directors during the Relevant Period pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined) or (ii) the grant or exercise of any option under the share option scheme of the Company or any other option, scheme 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 of Shares or rights to acquire Shares; or (iii) any scrip dividend or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of Shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on Shares in accordance with the articles of association of the Company in force from time to time; or (iv) any issue of Shares upon the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any existing convertible notes issued by the Company or any existing securities of the Company which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into Shares, shall not exceed the aggregate of 20% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing this resolution, and if any subsequent consolidation or subdivision of Shares is conducted, the maximum number of Shares that may be issued under the mandate in paragraph (a) above as a percentage of the total number of issued Shares at the date immediately before and after such consolidation and subdivision shall be the same, and the said approval shall be limited accordingly;

(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;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by any applicable law or the articles of association of the Company to be held; and
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting; and

"Rights Issue" means an offer of Shares, or offer or issue of warrants, options or other securities giving rights to subscribe for Shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of Shares whose names appear on the register of members on a fixed record date in proportion to their holdings of Shares (subject to such exclusion 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, or the requirements of, or the expense or delay which may be involved in determining the exercise or extent of any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of, any jurisdiction applicable to the Company, any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange applicable to the Company)."

#### 7. "**That**:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to buy back issued Shares, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and the requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited as amended from time to time, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) 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 (as hereinafter defined) to procure the Company to buy back its Shares at a price determined by the Directors;

- (c) the total number of Shares which are authorised to be bought back by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above shall not exceed 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing this resolution, and if any subsequent consolidation or subdivision of Shares is conducted, the maximum number of Shares that may be bought back under the mandate in paragraph (a) above as a percentage of the total number of issued Shares at the date immediately before and after such consolidation and subdivision shall be the same, and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (d) for the purposes 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;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by any applicable law or the articles of association of the Company to be held; and
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting."
- 8. "That conditional upon the passing of resolutions nos. 6 and 7 above, the general mandate to the Directors pursuant to resolution no. 6 be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto of the total number of Shares bought back by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to the resolution no. 7, provided that such number of added Shares shall not exceed 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as at the date of passing this resolution."

By order of the board of the Directors

Microware Group Limited

Chu Ming Ho

Chairman, executive Director and chief executive officer

23 July 2020

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#### Notes:

- (i) A shareholder of the Company ("**Shareholder**") entitled to attend and vote at the above meeting is entitled to appoint another person as his/her proxy to attend and vote instead of him/her; a proxy need not be a Shareholder.
- (ii) In the case of joint holders, the vote of the senior who tenders a vote, whether in person or by proxy, will be accepted to the exclusion of the vote(s) of the other joint holder(s), and for this purpose seniority shall be determined as that one of the said persons so present whose name stands first on the register in respect of such share shall alone be entitled to vote in respect thereof.
- (iii) In order to be valid, a form of proxy must be deposited at the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed (or a certified copy thereof) not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the above meeting or any adjournment thereof. The completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude Shareholders from attending and voting in person at the above meeting (or any adjournment thereof) if they so wish, and in such event, the form of proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.
- (iv) For the purpose of determining the Shareholders' rights the entitlement to attend and vote at the above meeting, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Wednesday, 19 August 2020 to Monday, 24 August 2020, both days inclusive, during which period no share transfers can be registered. In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the above meeting, unregistered holders of shares of the Company should ensure that all share transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, 18 August 2020.
- (v) For the purpose of determining the Shareholders' entitlement to the proposed final dividend for the year ended 31 March 2020, if approved by the Shareholders at the Annual General Meeting, the register of members of the Company will be closed on Monday, 31 August 2020, on which day no share transfers can be registered. In order to be eligible for the entitlement to the proposed final dividend upon passing of ordinary resolution no. 2 above, unregistered holders of shares of the Company should ensure that all share transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 28 August 2020.
- (vi) In respect of ordinary resolutions no. 3a and no. 3b above, Mr. Chu Ming Ho and Mr. Yang Peter Shun Tsing shall retire and being eligible, shall offer themselves for re-election at the above meeting. Details of the above Directors are set out in Appendix II to the accompanied circular dated Thursday, 23 July 2020.

As at the date of this notice, the executive Directors are Mr. Chu Ming Ho and Mr. Yang Peter Shun Tsing; the non-executive Director is Mr. Wan Yiu Hon; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. Cheng Tak Chung, Ms. Li Wai Man and Mr. Li Richard King Hang.