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## **CHINA INVESTMENTS HOLDINGS LIMITED**

**中國興業控股有限公司\***

*(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)*

**(Stock code: 132)**

### **DISCLOSEABLE TRANSACTION ENTERING INTO A FINANCE LEASE AS THE LESSOR**

On 2 July 2020, Greengold Leasing, a subsidiary of the Company, entered into the Finance Lease with the Lessees, to acquire the ownership of the Asset from the Lessees for RMB30,000,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$32,910,000), which would be leased back to the Lessees for their use and possession for a term of 5 years.

Reference is made to the announcement of the Company dated 8 January 2020 in relation to the entering into of the Existing Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation which was itself a discloseable transaction of the Company under the Listing Rules. As the Lessees of the Finance Lease are the same parties as those in the Existing Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation, the transactions contemplated under the Finance Lease are required to be aggregated with the transactions contemplated under the Existing Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation pursuant to Rule 14.22 of the Listing Rules.

As the applicable percentage ratios for the transactions contemplated under the Finance Lease and the Incidental Documentation, when calculated on a standalone basis or an aggregated basis with the transactions contemplated under the Existing Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation, exceed 5% but are less than 25%, the entering into of such transactions constitute a discloseable transaction for the Company under the Listing Rules.

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## **THE FINANCE LEASE AND THE INCIDENTAL DOCUMENTATION**

The Board is pleased to announce that Greengold Leasing entered into the Finance Lease and the Incidental Documentation, the principal terms of which are as follows:–

### **Date of the Finance Lease:**

2 July 2020

The Finance Lease would be effective upon compliance of the applicable requirements of the Listing Rules by the Company.

### **Parties:**

- (1) Greengold Leasing, a subsidiary of the Company, as the lessor;
- (2) the Lessees; and
- (3) the Guarantor (in relation to the relevant guarantee).

To the best of the Directors' knowledge, information and belief having made all reasonable enquiry, each of the Lessees, the Guarantor and their ultimate beneficial owners are Independent Third Parties.

### **Transfer of Asset and consideration**

Greengold Leasing will acquire the unencumbered ownership of the Asset from the Lessees on an "as-is" basis for RMB30,000,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$32,910,000) in cash and, payable within 1 month from the date of the Finance Lease to any of the Lessees as the Lessees may decide pursuant to the Finance Lease and the incidental transfer agreement. The transfer agreement was entered into between Greengold Leasing and the Lessees on the date of the Finance Lease, effecting the terms of the Finance Lease in relation to the transfer of the Asset from the Lessees to Greengold Leasing above.

Such consideration amount was determined following arm's length negotiations by the parties with reference to the original cost of the Asset of RMB40,503,443 (equivalent to approximately HK\$44,432,277), and its state, which was reviewed by Greengold Leasing's experienced leasing team. The consideration amount for the acquisition of the Asset will be funded through the internal resources of the Group and/or external banking facilities.

## **Lease period**

Greengold Leasing will lease back the Asset to the Lessees for their use and possession for a term of 5 years commencing from the day the consideration for the Asset transfer has been paid by Greengold Leasing.

## **Payments under the Finance Lease**

The total amount of lease payments for the Finance Lease is approximately RMB36,428,297 (equivalent to approximately HK\$39,961,842), comprising (a) the lease principal payment of RMB30,000,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$32,910,000) and (b) the aggregate lease interest and other fees and expenses under the Incidental Documentation of approximately RMB6,428,297 (equivalent to approximately HK\$7,051,842). Both the lease principal and the interest shall be payable every three months in twenty (20) installments during the lease period in which the first installment is expected to be payable on 18 September 2020.

The terms of the Finance Lease, including the lease principal, lease interest, and other fees and expenses under the Incidental Documentation, were determined after arm's length negotiations between the parties to the Finance Lease with reference to the principal amount of the lease, the interest risk of financing, the loan prime rate published by the National Interbank Funding Center from time to time, the credit risks associated with the Finance Lease and the targeted overall return of the Finance Lease of the Group.

## **Termination and purchase option**

The Lessees may terminate the Finance Lease provided that all outstanding amounts due thereunder have been settled by them. All payment obligations of the Lessees towards Greengold Leasing are joint and several, regardless of whether any of them may have actual possession and/or usage of the Asset. At the end of the lease period or in the event of an early termination of the Finance Lease, subject to the settlement of all outstanding amounts due, the Lessees will have the right to purchase the Asset at a nominal purchase price of RMB100 (equivalent to approximately HK\$109.7).

## **Guarantee deposit**

The Lessees will pay an interest-free deposit of RMB900,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$987,300) to Greengold Leasing on the same day the consideration for the Asset transfer has been paid by Greengold Leasing to secure their payment obligations under Finance Lease.

## **Guarantee**

The Guarantor had executed a guarantee on the date of the Finance Lease guaranteeing Greengold Leasing, effectively on a joint and several basis with the Lessees, the due and punctual settlement of any or all amounts payable by the Lessees under the Finance Lease.

## **REASONS FOR AND BENEFITS OF ENTERING INTO THE FINANCE LEASE AND THE INCIDENTAL DOCUMENTATION**

The entering into of the Finance Lease and the Incidental Documentation is part of Greengold Leasing's ordinary and usual course of business which is expected to provide a stable revenue and cashflow to the Group.

The Directors consider that the Finance Lease and the Incidental Documentation and the transactions contemplated thereunder are on normal commercial terms which are made on an arm's length basis and are fair and reasonable and in the best interests of the Group and the Shareholders as a whole.

## **INFORMATION ON THE ASSET**

The Asset comprises the ancillary pipeline network for Dali Town Chengxi Sewage Treatment Plant (Phase 1) – Taiping District Pipeline Project.

The Lessees will bear any maintenance, taxation and other costs and levies associated with the Asset.

## **LISTING RULES IMPLICATION**

As the applicable percentage ratios for the transactions contemplated under the Finance Lease and the Incidental Documentation, when calculated on a standalone basis or an aggregated basis with the transactions contemplated under the Existing Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation, exceed 5% but are less than 25%, the entering into of such transactions constitute a discloseable transaction for the Company under the Listing Rules.

## **PRINCIPAL BUSINESSES OF THE PARTIES**

### **The Group**

The Group is principally engaged in hotel investment, management and operation, property investments in both properties held for sale and investment properties, wellness elderly care, finance leasing and big data businesses. Through its joint ventures and associates, the Group also participates and invests in fast growing sectors, including electric utilities, civil explosives and finance leasing in the PRC.

### **Greengold Leasing**

Greengold Leasing is a subsidiary of the Company, which is principally engaged in the provision of finance, including through finance leasing, with a focus on environmental protection projects in the PRC.

## **The Lessees**

Lessee 1 is a limited liability company established in the PRC and is principally engaged in the business of property leasing in the PRC.

Lessee 2 is a limited liability company established in the PRC and is principally engaged in the investment, construction and operation management of sewage treatment and its ancillary facilities in the PRC.

Lessee 3 is a collective enterprise established in the PRC and is principally engaged in the business of property leasing in the PRC.

## **The Guarantor**

The Guarantor is a state-owned enterprise established in the PRC and is principally engaged in the business of property leasing in the PRC.

## **DEFINITIONS**

In this announcement, unless the context requires otherwise, the following terms have the meanings as respectively ascribed below:

“Asset”	shall have the meaning as disclosed in the section headed “INFORMATION ON THE ASSET” in this announcement
“Board”	the board of Directors of the Company
“Company”	China Investments Holdings Limited (中國興業控股有限公司), a company incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability, the shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange (Stock Code: 132)
“Director(s)”	the director(s) of the Company
“Existing Finance Lease and Incidental Documentation”	being the finance lease agreement and incidental documentation dated 6 January 2020 entered into between Greengold Leasing and the Lessees, the details of which have been disclosed in the announcement of the Company dated 8 January 2020

“Finance Lease”	the finance lease agreement dated 2 July 2020 entered into between Greengold Leasing and the Lessees in relation to the transfer of ownership and lease back of the Asset
“Greengold Leasing”	Canton Greengold Financial Leasing Ltd.* (廣東綠金融資租賃有限公司) (formerly known as Canton Risen Financial Leasing Co., Ltd.* (廣東粵盛科融資租賃有限公司)), a company incorporated in the PRC with limited liability and a subsidiary of the Company
“Group”	the Company and its subsidiaries
“Guarantor”	Foshan City Nanhai District Dali Land Resources Development Co.* (佛山市南海區大瀝土地資源開發公司), a state-owned enterprise incorporated in the PRC, which is ultimately controlled by the People’s Government of Dali Town, Nanhai District, Foshan City, and an Independent Third Party
“Hong Kong”	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People’s Republic of China
“HK\$”	Hong Kong Dollar, the lawful currency of Hong Kong
“Incidental Documentation”	the agreements incidental to the Finance Lease, including the transfer agreement and the consultancy agreement
“Independent Third Party(ies)”	(an) independent third party(ies) not connected with the Group and any Director, chief executive or substantial shareholder of the Group or any of its subsidiaries or their respective associate of any of them as defined in the Listing Rules
“Lessee 1”	Foshan City Nanhai Hengyuan Property Management Co., Ltd.* (佛山市南海恒源物業管理有限公司), a limited liability company incorporated in the PRC, which is ultimately controlled by the People’s Government of Yanbu Town, Nanhai District, Foshan City, and an Independent Third Party
“Lessee 2”	Foshan City Nanhai District Dali Town Yuansheng Water Treatment Co., Ltd.* (佛山市南海區大瀝鎮源生水處理有限公司), a limited liability company incorporated in the PRC, which is ultimately controlled by the People’s Government of Dali Town, Nanhai District, Foshan City, and an Independent Third Party

“Lessee 3”	Foshan City Nanhai District Dali Agricultural Machinery Co.* ( 佛山市南海區大瀝農業機械公司 ), a collective enterprise incorporated in the PRC, which is ultimately controlled by the People’s Government of Dali Town, Nanhai District, Foshan City, and an Independent Third Party
“Lessees”	collectively, Lessee 1, Lessee 2 and Lessee 3
“Listing Rules”	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange
“PRC”	the People’s Republic of China which, for the purpose of this announcement, excludes Hong Kong, the Macau Special Administrative Region of the People’s Republic of China and Taiwan
“RMB”	Renminbi, the lawful currency of the PRC
“Shareholder(s)”	shareholder(s) of the Company
“Stock Exchange”	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited
“%”	per cent

On behalf of  
**China Investments Holdings Limited**  
**HE Xiangming**  
*Chairman*

Hong Kong, 3 July 2020

*As at the date of this announcement, the Board consists of five executive Directors, namely Mr. HE Xiangming (Chairman), Mr. LIN Pingwu (Managing Director), Mr. YOU Guang Wu (Director), Mr. HUANG Zhihe (Deputy Managing Director) and Ms. WANG Xin (Deputy Managing Director) and three independent non-executive Directors, namely Mr. CHAN Kwok Wai, Mr. CHEN Da Cheng and Mr. DENG Hong Ping.*

*For the purpose of this announcement, amounts denominated in RMB have been translated into HK\$ at the exchange rate of RMB1 = HK\$1.097. Such translations should not be construed as a representation that the amounts in question have been, could have been or could be converted at any particular rate at all.*

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