

### **AEM HOLDINGS LTD.**

(Company Registration No. 200006417D) (Incorporated in the Republic of Singapore)

### NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the 2018 Annual General Meeting of the Company will be held at Serangoon Gardens Country Club (Casuarina room), 22 Kensington Park Road Singapore 557271 on Thursday, 26 April 2018 at 3:00 p.m. to transact the following businesses:

# **AS ORDINARY BUSINESS**

- 1. To receive and consider the Directors' Statement and Audited Financial Resolution 1 Statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2017 with the Auditors' Report thereon.
- 2. To declare a final exempt (one-tier) dividend of 6.50 cents per ordinary share for Resolution 2 the year ended 31 December 2017.
- 3. To re-elect the following Director retiring pursuant to the Company's Constitution: Resolution 3

Mr Basil Chan (Regulation 109)

Note: Mr Basil Chan shall, upon re-election as Director of the Company, remain as Chairman of the Audit & Risk Management Committee and Remuneration Committee and as a member of the Nominating Committee. Mr Basil Chan shall be considered independent for the purpose of Rule 704(8) of the Listing Manual of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited.

4. To re-elect the following Director retiring pursuant to the Company's Constitution: Resolution 4

Mr Adrian Chan Pengee (Regulation 119)

Note: Mr Adrian Chan Pengee shall, upon re-election as Director of the Company, remain as Chairman of the Nominating Committee and as a member of the Audit & Risk Management Committee and Remuneration Committee. Mr Adrian Chan Pengee shall be considered independent for the purpose of Rule 704(8) of the Listing Manual of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited.

5. To re-elect the following Director retiring pursuant to the Company's Constitution: Resolution 5

Mr James Toh Ban Leng (Regulation 119)

Note: Mr James Toh Ban Leng shall, upon re-election as Director of the Company, remain as a member of the Audit & Risk Management Committee and Remuneration Committee.

- 6. To approve the Directors' fees of \$287,000 for the financial year ending 31 Resolution 6 December 2018, payable quarterly in arrears.
- 7. To re-appoint KPMG LLP as the Auditors for the ensuing year and to authorise the Resolution 7 Directors to fix their remuneration.

### **AS SPECIAL BUSINESS**

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following Resolutions as Ordinary Resolutions, with or without amendments:

## 8. Proposed Share Issue Mandate

Resolution 8

"That pursuant to Section 161 of the Companies Act, Cap. 50. and the listing rules of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited ("SGX-ST"), the Directors of the Company be authorized and empowered to:

- (a) (i) allot and issue shares in the Company ("shares") whether by way of rights, bonus or otherwise; and/or
  - (ii) make or grant offers, agreements or options (collectively, "Instruments") that might or would require shares to be issued, including but not limited to the creation and issue of (as well as adjustments to) options, warrants, debentures or other instruments convertible into shares,

at any time and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes and to such persons as the Directors of the Company may in their absolute discretion deem fit; and

(b) (notwithstanding the authority conferred by this Resolution may have ceased to be in force) issue shares in pursuance of any Instrument made or granted by the Directors of the Company while this Resolution was in force.

# provided that:

- (A) the aggregate number of shares (including shares to be issued in pursuance of the Instruments, made or granted pursuant to this Resolution) to be issued pursuant to this Resolution shall not exceed fifty per centum (50%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) in the capital of the Company (as calculated in accordance with subparagraph (B) below), of which the aggregate number of shares and Instruments to be issued other than on a pro rata basis to existing shareholders of the Company shall not exceed twenty per centum (20%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) in the capital of the Company (as calculated in accordance with sub-paragraph (B) below);
- (B) (subject to such calculation as may be prescribed by the SGX-ST) for the purpose of determining the aggregate number of shares that may be issued under sub-paragraph (A) above, the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) shall be based on the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) in the capital of the Company at the time of the passing of this Resolution, after adjusting for:
  - new shares arising from the conversion or exercise of any convertible securities:
  - (ii) new shares arising from exercising share options or vesting of share awards which are outstanding or subsisting at the time of the passing of this Resolution; and
  - (iii) any subsequent bonus issue, consolidation or subdivision of shares;
- (C) in exercising the authority conferred by this Resolution, the Company shall comply with the provisions of the listing rules of the SGX-ST for the time being

in force (unless such compliance has been waived by the SGX-ST) and the Constitution of the Company; and

(D) unless revoked or varied by the Company in a general meeting, such authority shall 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."

[See Explanatory Note (i)]

 Grant of options and/or shares awards and issue of additional shares pursuant to AEM Holdings Employee Share Option Scheme 2014 and AEM Performance Share Plan 2017

Resolution 9

#### "That:

- (a) approval be and is hereby given to the Directors to offer and grant options in accordance with the provisions of the AEM Holdings Employee Share Option Scheme 2014 and/or grant awards in accordance with the provisions of the AEM Performance Share Plan 2017; and
- (b) approval be and is hereby given to the Directors to exercise full powers of the Company to issue and allot shares in the capital of the Company as may be required to be issued and allotted, in connection with or pursuant to the exercise of the options granted under the AEM Holdings Employee Share Option Scheme 2014 and/or the vesting of awards under the AEM Performance Share Plan 2017:

provided that the aggregate number of shares to be issued and allotted pursuant to the AEM Holdings Employee Share Option Scheme 2014 and the AEM Performance Share Plan 2017 shall not exceed fifteen per centum (15%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) in the capital of the Company from time to time."

[See Explanatory Note (ii)]

### 10. Share Purchase Mandate Renewal

Resolution 10

## "That:

- (a) for the purposes of the Companies Act of Singapore, Chapter 50 (the "Companies Act"), the exercise by the Directors of all the powers of the Company to purchase or otherwise acquire fully paid issued ordinary shares in the capital of the Company (the "Shares") not exceeding in aggregate the Maximum Limit (as hereafter defined), at such price(s) as may be determined by the Directors from time to time up to the Maximum Price (as hereafter defined), whether by way of:-
  - (i) market purchase(s) on the SGX-ST and/or any other stock exchange on which the Shares may from the time being be listed and quoted ("Other Exchange"); and/or
  - (ii) off-market purchase(s) if effected otherwise than on the SGX-ST or, as the case may be, other Exchange in accordance with any equal access scheme(s) as may be determined or formulated by the Directors as they consider fit, which scheme(s) shall satisfy all the conditions prescribed by the Companies Act;

and otherwise in accordance with all other laws, regulations and rules of the SGX-ST or, as the case may be, Other Exchange as may for the time being be applicable, be and is hereby authorised and approved generally and unconditionally (the "Share Purchase Mandate");

- (b) unless varied or revoked by the Company in general meeting, the authority conferred on the Directors of the Company pursuant to the Share Purchase Mandate may be exercised by the Directors at any time and from time to time during the period commencing from the date of the passing of this Resolution and expiring on the earlier of:-
  - (i) the date on which the next annual general meeting of the Company is held; and
  - (ii) the date by which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by law to be held; and
- (c) the Directors of the Company and each of them be and are hereby authorised and empowered to complete and to do all such other acts and things as they may consider necessary, desirable or expedient in the interests of the Company in connection with or for the purposes of giving full effect to the Share Purchase Mandate.

#### In this Resolution:

"Maximum Limit" means that number of issued Shares representing ten per centum (10%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) of the Company as at the date of the passing of this Resolution; and

"Maximum Price", in relation to a Share to be purchased or acquired, means the purchase price (excluding brokerage, commission, applicable goods and services tax and other related expenses) which shall not exceed:

- (i) in the case of a market purchase of a Share, one hundred and five per centum (105%) of the Average Closing Price of the Shares; and
- (ii) in the case of an off-market purchase of a Share pursuant to an equal access scheme, one hundred and ten per centum (110%) of the Average Closing Price of the Shares.

#### where:-

"Average Closing Price" means the average of the last dealt prices of a Share for the five consecutive market days on which the Shares are transacted on the SGX-ST immediately preceding the date of market purchase by the Company or, as the case may be, the date of the making of the offer pursuant to the off-market purchase, and deemed to-be adjusted in accordance with the listing rules of the SGX-ST for any corporate action which occurs after the relevant five day period; and

"date of the making of the offer" means the date on which the Company announces its intention to make an offer for the purchase or acquisition of Shares from holders of Shares, stating therein 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."

# [See Explanatory Note (iii)]

11. To transact any other business which may be properly transacted at an Annual General Meeting.

# **Explanatory Notes:**

- (i) The proposed Resolution 8 above, 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, make or grant instruments convertible into shares and to issue shares pursuant to such instruments, up to a number not exceeding, in total, 50% of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) in the capital of the Company, of which up to 20% may be issued other than on a prorata basis to shareholders.
- (ii) The proposed Resolution 9 above, if passed, will empower the Directors to take certain actions relating to the AEM Holdings Employee Share Option Scheme 2014 and the AEM Performance Share Plan 2017. Directors may exercise their power to issue and allot shares in the Company pursuant to the exercise of options under the AEM Holdings Employee Share Option Scheme 2014 or the vesting of the awards under the AEM Performance Share Plan 2017, provided that the aggregate number of shares to be issued and allotted shall not exceed 15% of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) in the capital of the Company from time to time. This authority is in addition to the general authority to issue shares sought under Ordinary Resolution No. 7.
- (iii) The proposed Resolution 10 above, if passed, will empower the Directors of the Company from the date of above Meeting until the date of the next Annual General Meeting, or the date by which the next Annual General Meeting is required by law to be held or when varied or revoked by the Company in general meeting, whichever is the earlier, to make on-market and off-market purchases or acquisitions of ordinary shares of the Company up to 10% of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) in the capital of the Company as at the date of this Resolution at a Maximum Price (as defined in Resolution 9 above). Detailed information on the Share Purchase Mandate (as defined in Resolution 9 above) is set out in the Letter to Shareholders dated 11 April 2018.

# NOTICE OF BOOK CLOSURE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of AEM Holdings Ltd. (the "Company") will be closed on 23 May 2018 for the purpose of determining members' entitlements to a final exempt (one-tier) dividend of 6.50 cents per ordinary share in respect of the financial year ended 31 December 2017 ("Proposed Final Dividend"). The Proposed Final Dividend, if approved by shareholders at the 2018 Annual General Meeting, will be paid on 31 May 2018.

Duly completed transfers received by the Company's Share Registrar, Intertrust Singapore Corporate Services Pte Ltd at 77 Robinson Road #13-00, Robinson 77, Singapore 068896 up to the close of business at 5:00 p.m. on 22 May 2018 will be registered to determine members' entitlements to the Proposed Final Dividend.

Members whose Securities Accounts with The Central Depository (Pte) Limited ("CDP") are credited with ordinary shares in the capital of the Company as at 5:00 p.m. on 22 May 2018 will be entitled to the Proposed Final Dividend.

In respect of shares in Securities Accounts with CDP, the Proposed Final Dividend will be paid by the Company to CDP which will in turn distribute the dividend entitlements to such holders of shares in accordance with its practice.

## By Order of the Board

Soh Wai Kong Company Secretary

Date: 11 April 2018

#### Notes:

- a) A member entitled to attend and vote at a general meeting is entitled to appoint not more than two proxies to attend and vote on his behalf. Where a member appoints more than one proxy, he shall specify the proportion of his shares to be represented by each proxy.
- b) Pursuant to Section 181 of the Companies Act, Cap. 50 of Singapore, any member who is a relevant intermediary is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote at a general meeting. Relevant intermediary is either:
  - (i) a banking corporation licensed under the Banking Act (Cap. 19) or its wholly-owned subsidiary which provides nominee services and holds shares in that capacity;
  - (ii) a capital market services license holder which provides custodial services for securities under the Securities and Futures Act (Cap. 289) and holds in that capacity; or
  - (iii) the Central Provident Fund ("CPF") Board established by the Central Provident Fund Act (Cap. 36), in respect of shares purchased on behalf of CPF investors.
- c) If a proxy is to be appointed, the form must be deposited at the registered office of the Company at 52 Serangoon North Avenue 4 Singapore 555853 not less than 72 hours before the meeting.
- d) A proxy need not be a member of the Company.

# **Personal Data Privacy:**

By submitting an instrument appointing a proxy(ies) and/or representatives to attend, speak and vote at the AGM 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) for the purpose of the processing and administration by the Company (or its agents) of proxies and representatives appointed for the AGM (including any adjournment thereof) and the preparation and compilation of the attendance lists, minutes and other documents relating to the AGM (including any adjournment thereof), and in order for the Company (or its agents) 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), 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) of the personal data of such proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) for the Purposes, and (iii) agrees that the member will indemnify the Company in respect of any penalties, liabilities, claims, demands, losses and damages as a result