

25 September 2024

Guan Chao Holdings Limited Room 5705, 57/F The Center 99 Queen's Road Central Hong Kong

Attention: Board of Directors

## PROPOSED RIGHTS ISSUE ON THE BASIS OF FOUR (4) RIGHTS SHARES FOR EVERY ONE (1) SHARE HELD ON THE RECORD DATE ON A NON-UNDERWRITTEN BASIS

Dear Sirs,

We refer to the circular of the Company dated 25 September 2024 (the "Circular") to be issued to the shareholders of the Company in connection with the captioned transactions. Defined terms used herein shall have the same meanings as those contained in the Circular. We hereby give and have not withdrawn our consent to the issue of the Circular with the inclusion of a copy of our letter of advice dated 25 September 2024 given to the Independent Board Committee and the Independent Shareholders and the references to our name in the form and context in which it appears.

## We also confirm that:

- (i) we or our respective holding companies or subsidiaries do not have any interest or have not dealt in the securities of the Company;
- (ii) we do not have any direct or indirect interests in any assets which have been, since 31 December 2023 (being the date which the latest published audited consolidated accounts of the Group were made up), acquired or disposed of by or leased to any members of the Group, or are proposed to be acquired or disposed of by or leased to any member of the Group; and
- (iii) we do not have any shareholding in any member of the Group or any rights (whether legally enforceable or not) to subscribe for or to nominate persons to subscribe for any shares, convertible securities, warrants, options or derivatives which carry voting rights in any member of the Group.

Yours faithfully, For and on behalf of

Pelican Financial Limited

Charles Li

Managing Director