## ASSET ACQUISITIONS AND DISPOSALS::INCREASE OF SHAREHOLDINGS IN SUBSIDIARY **COMPANIES**

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## **INCREASE OF SHAREHOLDINGS IN SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES**

Pursuant to Rule 706A of the Listing Manual of Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited, the Board of Directors of Hong Leong Asia Ltd. ("**HLA**" or the "**Company**" and together with its subsidiaries, the "**HLA**" **Group**") wishes to announce the following acquisitions of shares in subsidiary companies:

I. <u>Increase of Shareholding in China Yuchai International Limited ("CYI")</u>

Well Summit Investments Limited, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, had on 8 May 2020, purchased in the open market 52,000 ordinary shares of US\$0.10 each in the capital of CYI (a company listed on the New York Stock Exchange), representing approximately 0.13% of the share capital of CYI, for a cash consideration of US\$618,321.60.

Following the said purchase, the HLA Group holds in aggregate 17,508,061 ordinary shares and one special share of US\$0.10 in CYI, representing approximately 42.85% of the share capital of CYI.

II. Increase of Shareholding in Tasek Corporation Berhad ("**Tasek**")

The Board of Directors of the Company refers to the announcement by the Company dated 12 May 2020 on the unconditional voluntary take-over offer for all the remaining ordinary shares ("**Tasek Ordinary Shares**") and preference shares in the capital of Tasek at the cash offer price of RM5.80 per share ("**Offer Price**"), by HL Cement (Malaysia) Sdn Bhd and Ridge Star Limited (both companies are wholly-owned subsidiaries of the Company and collectively, the "**Joint Offerors**") ("**Offer**") and the subsequent announcement by the Company dated 3 August 2020 on the close of the Offer.

Following the close of the Offer on 3 August 2020, the Joint Offerors have between 6 August 2020 and 13 August 2020 acquired an aggregate of 117,193 Tasek Ordinary Shares at a cash price of RM5.80 per share (which is based on the Offer Price) pursuant to Section 223 of the Capital Markets and Services Act 2007, thereby increasing the HLA Group's interest in Tasek to 117,906,781 Tasek Ordinary Shares representing approximately 97.33% (excluding treasury shares).

This announcement excludes transactions which were separately announced prior to the release of the unaudited half-year financial statements for the period ended 30 June 2020, namely, those announced by way of:

- (a) the announcement dated 22 April 2020 relating to the increase of shareholding in CYI; and
- (b) the announcements from 20 May 2020 to 10 July 2020 relating to the increase of shareholdings in Tasek, and the announcement dated 3 August 2020 relating to the close of the Offer.

By Order of the Board HONG LEONG ASIA LTD.

Ng Siew Ping, Jaslin Company Secretary