

# NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Annual General Meeting (“**AGM**”) of BENG KUANG MARINE LIMITED (the “**Company**”, and together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) will be held at 2 Venture Drive #09-22, Vision Exchange, Singapore 608526 on Monday, 21 April 2025 at 3.00 p.m. for the purposes of transacting the following business:-

## **AS ORDINARY BUSINESS**

1. To receive and adopt the Directors’ Statement and the Audited Financial Statements of the Company and of the Group for the financial year ended 31 December 2024 (“**FY2024**”) together with the Independent Auditor’s Report thereon. **(Resolution 1)**
2. To declare and approve the payment of a first and final tax exempt (one-tier) dividend of S\$0.006 per ordinary share in respect of FY2024. **(Resolution 2)**
3. To re-elect Mr. Chua Meng Hua, a Director retiring pursuant to Regulation 115 of the Company’s Constitution. **(Resolution 3)**  
*[See Explanatory Note 1]*
4. To re-elect Mr. Low Wee Siong, a Director retiring pursuant to Regulation 115 of the Company’s Constitution. **(Resolution 4)**  
*[See Explanatory Note 2]*
5. To approve the payment of Directors’ fees of S\$164,000 (FY2023: S\$143,200) for the financial year ended 31 December 2024. **(Resolution 5)**
6. To re-appoint Messrs CLA Global TS Public Accounting Corporation as auditors of the Company and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration. **(Resolution 6)**
7. To transact any other ordinary business which may be properly transacted at an AGM.

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## AS SPECIAL BUSINESS

To consider and if thought fit, to pass the following resolution which will be proposed as Ordinary Resolutions, with or without amendments:

8. **Authority to allot and issue shares**

**(Resolution 7)**

“That pursuant to Section 161 of the Companies Act 1967, and the listing rules of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (“**SGX-ST**”), authority be and is hereby given to the Directors of the Company to allot and issue shares or convertible securities from time to time (whether by way of rights, bonus or otherwise) and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes and to such person as the Directors may in their absolute discretion deem fit, provided that the aggregate number of shares and convertible securities issued pursuant to such authority shall not exceed 50 per centum (50%) of the issued share capital (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) of the Company, of which the aggregate number of shares and convertible securities issued other than on a pro-rata basis to the existing shareholders of the Company shall not exceed 20 per centum (20%) of the issued share capital (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) of the Company (the percentage of issued share capital being based on the issued share capital (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) at the time such authority is given after adjusting for (i) new shares arising from the conversion or exercise of convertible securities which were issued and outstanding or subsisting at the time this Resolution is passed or (ii) new shares arising from the exercise of share options or vesting of awards which were issued and outstanding or subsisting at the time this Resolution is passed, provided the options or awards were granted in compliance with Part VIII of Chapter 8 of the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST and (iii) any subsequent consolidation or subdivision of shares) and, unless revoked or varied by the Company in general meeting, such authority shall continue in force until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting (“AGM”) of the Company or on the date by which the next AGM is required by law to be held, whichever is the earlier.”

*[See Explanatory note 3]*

9. **Authority to issue Shares under Employee Share Option Scheme (“ESOS”)**

**(Resolution 8)**

“That pursuant to Section 161 of the Companies Act, the Directors of the Company be authorised and empowered to offer and grant options under the ESOS and to allot and issue from time to time such number of Shares as may be required to be issued pursuant to the exercise of options granted by the Company under the ESOS, whether granted during the subsistence of this authority or otherwise, provided always that the aggregate number of Shares to be allotted and issued pursuant to the ESOS, the PSP (as defined below) and such other share-based incentive scheme collectively shall not exceed 15% of the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) from time to time and that such authority shall, unless revoked or varied by the Company in a general meeting, continue in force until the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company or the date by which the next AGM of the Company is required by law to be held, whichever is earlier.”

*[See Explanatory note 4]*

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## 10. Authority to issue Shares under the Performance Share Plan (“PSP”)

(Resolution 9)

“That pursuant to Section 161 of the Companies Act, the Directors of the Company be authorised and empowered to offer and grant awards pursuant to the PSP and to allot and issue from time to time such number of Shares as may be required to be issued pursuant to the vesting of awards under the PSP, provided always that the aggregate number of Shares to be allotted and issued pursuant to the ESOS, the PSP and such other share-based incentive scheme collectively shall not exceed 15% of the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) from time to time and that such authority shall, unless revoked or varied by the Company in a general meeting, continue in force until the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company or the date by which the next AGM of the Company is required by law to be held, whichever is earlier.”

*[See Explanatory note 5]*

## 11. Renewal of Share Buyback Mandate

(Resolution 10)

That:

- (a) for the purposes of Sections 76C and 76E of the Companies Act 1967 (the “**Companies Act**”), the exercise by the Directors of the Company of all the powers of the Company to purchase or otherwise acquire ordinary shares (“**Shares**”) in the issued share capital of the Company not exceeding in aggregate the Maximum Buyback Shares (as hereafter defined), at such price or prices as may be determined by the Directors of the Company from time to time up to the Maximum Price (as hereafter defined), whether by way of:
  - (i) on-market purchases (each a “**Market Purchase**”), transacted on the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (“**SGX-ST**”) or any other securities exchange on which the Shares may for the time being be listed and quoted, through one or more duly licensed stockbrokers appointed by the Company for the purpose; and/or
  - (ii) off-market purchases (each an “**Off-Market Purchase**”) effected otherwise than on the SGX-ST in accordance with an “equal access scheme” as defined in Section 76C of the Companies Act, and otherwise in accordance with all other laws, regulations and rules of the SGX-ST as may for the time being be applicable, be and is hereby authorised and approved generally and unconditionally (the “**Share Buyback Mandate**”);
- (b) the authority conferred on the Directors of the Company pursuant to the Share Buyback Mandate may be exercised by the Directors of the Company at any time and from time to time during the period commencing from the passing of this Resolution and expiring on the earliest of:
  - (i) the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company following the passing of this Resolution or the date by which such AGM is required by law to be held;
  - (ii) the date on which the purchase or acquisition of Shares have been carried out to the full extent of the Share Buyback Mandate; or
  - (iii) the date on which the authority conferred by the Share Buyback Mandate is varied or revoked by an ordinary resolution of shareholders of the Company in general meeting.

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(c) In this Resolution:

“**Maximum Buyback Shares**” means the number of Shares representing 10% of the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) of the Company as at the date of the passing of this Resolution, unless the Company has reduced its share capital in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Companies Act, at any time during the Relevant Period (as defined hereinafter), in which event the total number of issued Shares of the Company shall be taken to be the total number of issued Shares as altered (excluding any treasury shares and subsidiary holdings held by the Company);

“**Relevant Period**” means the period commencing from the date of the passing of this Resolution and expiring on the date on which the earliest of the date the next AGM of the Company is held or is required by law to be held, or it is varied or revoked by the Company in general meeting (if so varied or revoked to the next AGM), or the date on which purchases and acquisitions of Shares pursuant to Share Buyback Mandate are carried out to the full extent mandated, whichever is the earlier; and

“**Maximum Price**” in relation to a Share to be purchased, means an amount (excluding brokerage, commissions, stamp duties, applicable goods and services tax and other related expenses) not exceeding:

(i) in the case of a Market Purchase: 105% of the Average Closing Price; and

(ii) in the case of an Off-Market Purchase: 120% of the Average Closing Price, where:

“**Average Closing Price**” is the average of the closing market prices of a Share over the last five (5) Market Days, on which transactions in the Shares were recorded, immediately preceding the date of the 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 for any corporate action that occurs after such five-day market period;

“**day 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 shareholders of the Company stating 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; and

“**Market Day**” means a day on which the SGX-ST is open for trading in securities; and

(d) the Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to complete and do all such acts and things (including executing such documents as may be required) as they may consider expedient or necessary to give effect to the transactions contemplated by this Resolution.

*[See Explanatory note 6]*

## By Order of the Board

Shirley Tan Sey Liy  
Company Secretary

Singapore  
4 April 2025

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## Explanatory Notes:

1. Mr. Chua Meng Hua will, if re-elected as Director of the Company, continue to serve as the Executive Director of the Company. Please refer to the "Information on Directors seeking Re-election" section of the Annual Report for the detailed information required pursuant to Rule 720(6) of the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST.
2. Mr. Low Wee Siong will, upon re-elected as Director of the Company, continue to serve as Lead Independent Director of the Company, Chairman of the Audit Committee and a member of the Remuneration Committee and the Nominating Committee. Further information on Mr. Low Wee Siong can be found in the Annual Report 2024. Mr. Low Wee Siong is considered by the Board to be independent for the purposes of Rule 704(8) of the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST. Please refer to pages 41 to 44 of the Annual Report for the detailed information required pursuant to Rule 720(6) of the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST.
3. The proposed Ordinary Resolution 7, if passed, will authorise the Directors of the Company, effective until the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company, the date by which the next AGM of the Company is required by law to be held or such authority is varied or revoked by the Company at a general meeting, whichever is earliest, to issue shares up to 50% of the Company's issued share capital (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings), with an aggregate sub-limit of 20% of the Company's share capital for any issue of shares not made on a pro-rata basis to shareholders of the Company.
4. The proposed Ordinary Resolution 8, if passed, will authorise the Directors of the Company from the date of this AGM until the date of the next AGM of the Company, or the date by which the next AGM 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 allot and issue Shares pursuant to the exercise of options granted or to be granted under the ESOS and such other share based incentive scheme or share plan up to a number not exceeding in aggregate, 15% of the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) from time to time.
5. The proposed Ordinary Resolution 9, if passed, will authorise the Directors of the Company from the date of this AGM until the date of the next AGM of the Company, or the date by which the next AGM 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 allot and issue Shares pursuant to the exercise of options granted or to be granted under the PSP and such other share based incentive scheme or share plan up to a number not exceeding in aggregate, 15% of the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) from time to time.
6. The proposed Ordinary Resolution 10, if passed, will authorise the Directors of the Company to purchase or otherwise acquire the Maximum Buyback Shares at such price(s) as may be determined by the Directors from time to time up to the Maximum Price and will empower the Directors of the Company, effective until the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company following the passing of Ordinary Resolution granting the said authority or date by which such AGM is required to be held (whereupon it will lapse, unless renewed at such meeting), or it is varied or revoked by the Company in general meeting (if so varied or revoked to the next AGM), or the date on which purchases and acquisitions of Shares pursuant to Share Buyback Mandate are carried out to the full extent mandated, whichever is the earliest. Please refer to Appendix for more details.

## Notes:

- (1) The AGM will be held, in a wholly physical format, at 2 Venture Drive #09-22, Vision Exchange, Singapore 608526 on Monday, 21 April 2025 at 3.00 p.m. **There will be no option for Shareholders to participate virtually.** *The Notice of AGM and Annual Report will be sent to shareholders by electronic means via publication on the Company's corporate website at the URL: <https://www.bkmgroupp.com.sg/> and SGXNet at the URL: <https://www.sgx.com/securities/company-announcements>. Printed copies of this Notice of AGM, Proxy Form for this AGM and Request Form for printed copy of Annual Report will also be sent by post to shareholders. Shareholders who wish to request for printed copies of the Annual Report will need to complete and return the Request Form, by sending it back to the Company no later than 10 April 2025. Please refer to the Request Form for printed copy of Annual Report for further information.*
- (2) **Submission of Questions in Advance of the AGM**
  - (a) All Shareholders may submit substantial and relevant questions relating to the business of the AGM up till 11 April 2025 at 3.00 p.m. either:
    - (i) via post to Company's registered office at 2 Venture Drive #14-15, Vision Exchange, Singapore 608526; or
    - (ii) via electronic mail to [william@bkmgroupp.com.sg](mailto:william@bkmgroupp.com.sg).

Shareholders who submit questions in advance of the AGM should provide their full name, address, contact number, email and the manner in which they hold Shares (if you hold Shares directly, please provide your account number with The Central Depository (Pte) Limited ("CDP"); otherwise, please state if you hold your Shares through the Central Provident Fund ("CPF"), Supplementary Retirement Scheme ("SRS") or other Relevant Intermediary, for our verification purposes.
  - (b) The Company will endeavour to address all substantial and relevant questions:
    - (i) (if received by the deadline set out in section 2(a) above) before the AGM, and in any case by 15 April 2025 (being more than 48 hours prior to the closing date and time for the lodgement of the Proxy Forms), via an announcement on SGXNet and the Company's website; or
    - (ii) (if received by the deadline set out in section 2(a) above) during the AGM.
  - (c) The Company will also, within one (1) month after the date of the AGM, publish the minutes of the AGM on SGXNet and the Company's website, and the minutes will include the responses to the questions referred to above.

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## (3) Voting

Shareholders who wish to exercise their voting rights at the AGM may:

- (a) (where the Shareholder is an individual) attend and vote at the AGM; or
- (b) (where the Shareholder is an individual or a corporate) appoint a proxy to vote on their behalf.

Each of the resolutions to be put to the vote of members at the AGM (and at any adjournment thereof) will be voted on by way of a poll.

Shareholders (including Relevant Intermediaries) who wish to vote on any or all of the resolutions at the AGM via proxy must submit a form of proxy to appoint the proxy (“**Proxy Form**”). The Proxy Form must be submitted to the Company in the following manner:

- (a) if submitted by post, be lodged at the office of the Company’s Share Registrar, B.A.C.S. Private Limited registered office at 77 Robinson Road, #06-03 Robinson 77, Singapore 068896; or
- (b) if submitted electronically, be submitted via email to [main@zicoholdings.com](mailto:main@zicoholdings.com),

in either case **by no later than 3.00 p.m. on 18 April 2025, being 72 hours before the time appointed for the AGM.**

The accompanying Proxy Form for the AGM may be accessed via the Company’s corporate website at the following URL: <http://www.bkmgrou.com.sg>, and will also be made available on the SGX website at the URL: <https://www.sgx.com/securities/company-announcements>.

A member can appoint the Chairman of the AGM as his/her/its proxy, but this is not mandatory. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.

In the case of submission of the Proxy Form appointing the Chairman of the AGM as proxy, it must be under the hand of the appointor or of his attorney duly authorised in writing. Where the instrument appointing the Chairman of the AGM as proxy is executed by a corporation, it must be executed either under its seal or signed on its behalf by an attorney duly authorised in writing or by an authorised officer of the corporation. Where the instrument appointing the Chairman of the AGM as proxy is executed by an attorney on behalf of the appointor, the letter or power of attorney or a duly certified copy thereof must be lodged with the instrument, failing which the instrument may be treated as invalid.

A corporation which is a Shareholder may authorise by resolution of its directors or other governing body such person as it thinks fit to act as its representative at the AGM, in accordance with Section 179 of the Companies Act 1967 of Singapore, and the person so authorised shall upon production of a copy of such resolution certified by a director of the corporation to be a true copy, be entitled to exercise the powers on behalf of the corporation so represented as the corporation could exercise in person if it were an individual.

An investor who holds shares through CPF or SRS and wishes to vote, should approach their respective CPF Agent Banks (i.e. the agent banks approved by CPF) or SRS Operators (i.e. the agent banks included in the SRS) to submit their votes to appoint the Chairman of the AGM as their proxy, at least 7 working days before the AGM (i.e. 9 April 2025).

The name of a Depositor (as defined under Section 81SF of the Securities and Futures Act 2001 of Singapore) must appear on the Depository Register maintained by CDP as at 72 hours before the time fixed for holding the AGM in order for the Depositor to be entitled to vote at the AGM.

The Company shall be entitled to reject the instrument appointing a proxy(ies) if it is incomplete, improperly completed or illegible, or where the true intentions of the appointor are not ascertainable from the instructions of the appointor specified in the instrument appointing a proxy(ies). In addition, in the case of Shares entered in the Depository Register, the Company may reject any instrument appointing a proxy(ies) lodged if the Shareholder, being the appointor, is not shown to have Shares entered against his name in the Depository Register as at 72 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM, as certified by CDP to the Company.

## (4) Voting Results

An independent scrutineer will be appointed by the Company to direct and supervise the counting and validation of all valid votes cast at the AGM. The voting results will be announced during the AGM and the Company will also issue an announcement on SGXNet on the results of the resolutions put to vote at the AGM.

“**Relevant Intermediary**” has the same meaning ascribed to it in Section 181 of the Companies Act 1967 of Singapore.

## PERSONAL DATA PRIVACY

Where a member of the Company submits an instrument appointing a proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) 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) to comply with any applicable laws, listing rules, regulations and/or guidelines (collectively, “**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 of the member’s breach of warranty.