IMS GROUP HOLDINGS LIMITED

英馬斯集團控股有限公司

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CORPORATE INFORMATION

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Mr. Lee Pui Chung

COMPLIANCE OFFICER

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Dr. Wilson Lee (Chairman)
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FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- 1. The Group has recorded an unaudited total revenue of approximately HK\$25.6 million for the three months ended 30 June 2023, which represented an increase of approximately 4.9% as compared to the three months ended 30 June 2022.
- 2. The Group recorded an unaudited profit attributable to owners of the Company for the three months ended 30 June 2023 of approximately HK\$8.8 million, which represented an increase of approximately 46.7% as compared to the three months ended 30 June 2022.
- 3. The Board does not recommend the payment of interim dividend for the three months ended 30 June 2023.

FIRST QUARTERLY RESULTS

The board of Directors (the "Board") of the Company is pleased to announce the unaudited condensed consolidation results of the Group for the three months ended 30 June 2023, together with the comparative unaudited figures for the corresponding period in 2022 as follows:

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

For	the	three	months	ended
		30.	June	

	Notes	2023 (unaudited) HK\$'000	2022 (unaudited) HK\$'000
Revenue	4	25,641	24,357
Cost of sales		(10,366)	(10,647)
Gross profit		15,275	13,710
Other income Other gains and losses, net Administrative expenses		325 (4) (6,011)	373 (614) (6,185)
Profit from operation		9,585	7,284
Finance costs	5(a)	(47)	(42)
Profit before income tax expense	5	9,538	7,242
Income tax expense	7	(713)	[1,238]
Profit attributable to owners of the Company		8,825	6,004
Other comprehensive loss Item that are or may be reclassified to profit or loss: Exchange differences on translating			
foreign operations		(600)	(759)
Other comprehensive loss for the period	t	(600)	(759)
Total comprehensive income for the period attributable to		0 225	E 2/E
owners of the Company		8,225	5,245
Earnings per share Basic and diluted	8	HK cents 0.88	HK cents 0.60

FIRST QUARTERLY RESULTS

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

Attributable to owners of the Company

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	Share capital HK\$'000	Share premium ⁽¹⁾ HK\$'000	Merger reserve ^[2] HK\$'000	Exchange reserve ^[3] HK\$'000	Statutory surplus reserve ^[4] HK\$'000	Proposed dividends HK\$'000	Retained profits ^[5] HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
As at 1 April 2022 (audited)	1,000	50,946	8	[191]	1,324	4,000	18,223	75,310
Profit for the period Other comprehensive loss: Items that are or may be reclassified to profit or loss: Exchange differences on translating	-	-	-	(000)	-	-	6,004	6,004
foreign operations				(759)				(759
Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the period				(759)			6,004	5,245
As at 30 June 2022 (unaudited)	1,000	50,946	8	(950)	1,324	4,000	24,227	80,555
As at 1 April 2023 (audited)	1,000	50,946	8	(1,210)	1,324	-	24,349	76,417
Profit for the period Other comprehensive loss: Items that are or may be reclassified to profit or loss: Exchange differences on translating foreign operations	-	-	-	- (600)	-	-	8,825	8,825
ioreign operations				(000)				(000)
Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the period				(600)			8,825	8,225
As at 30 June 2023 (unaudited)	1,000	50,946	8	(1,810)	1,324	_	33,174	84,642

FIRST QUARTERLY RESULTS

Notes:

- (1) Share premium account of the Group represents the excess of the proceeds received over the nominal value of the Company's shares issued.
- (2) Merger reserve represents the difference between the Company's investment costs in subsidiaries and the aggregated share capital of the subsidiaries whose shares were transferred to the Company pursuant to the reorganisation.
- (3) Exchange reserve comprises all foreign exchange differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operation.
- In accordance with the relevant regulation in the People's Republic of China (the "PRC"), a subsidiary operating in the PRC is required to transfer 10% of its profits after tax, as determined under the accounting regulations in the PRC, to the statutory surplus reserve, until the balance of the fund reaches 50% of its usage of its respective registered capital. The accumulated statutory surplus reserve has reached 50% of the registered capital of the PRC subsidiary. The statutory surplus reserve is non-distributable and is subject to certain restrictions set out in the relevant regulations in the PRC. This reserve can be used either to offset against accumulated losses or be capitalised as paid-up capital. However, such balance of the statutory surplus reserve must be maintained at a minimum of 25% of paid-up capital after the above usage.
- [5] Retained profits represents cumulative net profits recognised in the consolidated statements of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. GENERAL

The Company was incorporated in the Cayman Islands on 15 February 2017, as an exempted company with limited liability under the Companies Law, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands. The registered office of the Company is located at the offices of Cricket Square, Hutchins Drive, P.O. Box 2681, Grand Cayman KY1-1111, Cayman Islands. The principal place of business is located at Unit 1201, 12/F, Block C, Seaview Estate, North Point, Hong Kong.

The Company, an investment holding company, and its subsidiaries are principally engaged in the sale of light-emitting diode ("**LED**") lighting fixtures and visual-audio system, provision of integrated LED lighting solution services, project consultancy and LED lighting system maintenance services, sale of 3D printing materials and provision of 3D printing services.

In the opinion of the directors of the Company, the Company's immediate and ultimate holding company is The Garage Investment Limited, a company incorporated in British Virgin Islands (the "BVI").

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

The unaudited condensed consolidated results have been prepared in accordance with all applicable Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards, Hong Kong Accounting Standards and Interpretations (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "HKFRSs") issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA"), the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance and the GEM Listing Rules.

The unaudited condensed consolidated results have been prepared under historical cost convention.

The principal accounting policies used in the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements for the three months ended 30 June 2023 are the same as those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2023, except for the new and revised HKFRSs issued by the HKICPA that are adopted for the first time for the current accounting period of the Group.

The adoption of these new and revised HKFRSs has had no material effect on the amounts reported in these condensed consolidated results and/or disclosures set out in these condensed consolidated results. The Group has not early adopted any new HKFRSs that have been issued but are not yet effective.

For the three months ended

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

3. **SEGMENT INFORMATION**

During the period, the Group was principally engaged in sale of LED lighting fixtures and visual-audio system, provision of integrated LED lighting solution services, project consultancy and LED lighting system maintenance services, sales of 3D printing materials and provision of 3D printing services. Information reported to the Group's chief operating decision maker, for the purpose of resources allocation and performance assessment, focuses on the operating results of the Group as a whole. The Group's resources are integrated and as a result, no discrete operating segment financial information is available. Accordingly, no operating segment information is presented.

REVENUE 4.

Revenue includes the net invoiced value of goods sold, project consultancy and maintenance services rendered and contracts on LED lighting solution projects earned by the Group. The amounts of each significant category of revenue recognised during the respective periods are as follows:

	30 June	
	2023 (unaudited) HK\$'000	2022 (unaudited) HK\$'000
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HK\$'000	HK\$'000
13,998 196 344	11,629 63 1,216
506 10,597 25.641	884 10,565 24,357
	13,998 196 344 506 10,597

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NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

5. PROFIT BEFORE INCOME TAX EXPENSE

The Group's profit before income tax expense is arrived at after charging:

For the three months ended 30 June

		30 Julie		
		2023 (unaudited) HK\$'000	2022 (unaudited) HK\$'000	
(a)	Finance costs			
	Interest on lease liabilities	47	42	
(b)	Other items			
	Costs of inventories recognised as expenses Auditor's remuneration Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	7,485 152	7,648 150	
	- Administrative expenses - Cost of sales Amortisation of intangible assets Depreciation of right-of-use assets Leases expenses of other premises	460 9 30 698	523 225 36 680	
	under short term leases	32	36	

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

6. EMPLOYEE BENEFIT EXPENSES, INCLUDING DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION

For the three months ended 30 June

	55525		
	2023 (unaudited) HK\$'000	2022 (unaudited) HK\$'000	
Fees, wages and salaries Post-employment benefits – payment to defined contribution retirement plan Other benefits	4,767 231 30	5,057 244 6	
	5,028	5,307	

7. INCOME TAX EXPENSE

The amount of income tax expense in the condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income represents:

For the three months ended 30 June

	2023 (unaudited) HK\$'000	2022 (unaudited) HK\$'000
Current tax Hong Kong profits tax – current period	613	595
PRC enterprise income tax (" EIT ") - current period	115	659
Deferred income tax	(15)	(16)
	100	643
Total Income tax expense	713	1,238

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NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

7. INCOME TAX EXPENSE (Continued)

Hong Kong profits tax

Under the two-tiered profits tax rates regime introduced in 2018, the first HK\$2,000,000 of profits of qualifying group entity are taxed at 8.25% and profits above HK\$2,000,000 are taxed at 16.5%. The profits of other group entities in Hong Kong not qualifying for the two-tiered profits tax rates regime continue to be taxed at a flat rate of 16.5%.

PRC EIT

Under the Law of the PRC on EIT (the "**EIT Law**") and Implementation Regulation of the EIT Law, the tax rate of the PRC subsidiaries is 25% for both periods.

For the period ended 30 June 2023, Shenzhen CH Alliance Trading Co., Limited and Bluelite Illumination (Zhongshan) Limited, subsidiaries of the Company, complies with the provisions of the Notice on Applying Inclusive Tax Relief Policies to Small and Micro Enterprises (Cai Shui [2019] No.13), pursuant to which for the period from 1 January 2019 to 31 December 2021, for small and micro enterprises, the portion of annual taxable income not exceeding RMB1,000,000 is subject to a corporate tax rate of 20% on the basis of 25% (further reduce to 12.5% for the period from 1 January 2021 to 31 December 2022) of this portion of its taxable income, and the portion of annual taxable income exceeding RMB1,000,000 but not exceeding RMB3,000,000 is subject to corporate tax rate of 20% on the basis of 50% of this portion of its taxable income.

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

8. EARNINGS PER SHARE

The calculation of the basic earnings per share attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Company is based on the following data:

	For the three months ended 30 June		
	2023 (unaudited) HK\$'000	2022 (unaudited) HK\$'000	
Earnings Earnings for the purpose of basic earnings per share	8,825	6,004	
Number of shares Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purpose of basic earnings per share (Note)	1,000,000,000	1,000,000,000	

Note:

Diluted earnings per share is same as basic earnings per share as there was no potential dilutive ordinary shares for the three months ended 30 June 2023 and 2022.

9. DIVIDENDS

The Board does not recommend the payment of interim dividend for the three months ended 30 June 2023 (three months ended 30 June 2022: nil).

BUSINESS REVIEW

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The Group is principally engaged in provision of light-emitting diode ("**LED**") lighting fixtures and integrated LED lighting solution services for retail stores of world-renowned end-user luxury brands mainly in the Asia market, and sales of 3D printing materials and provision of 3D printing services.

For the three months ended 30 June 2023, the Group recorded revenue of approximately HK\$25.6 million and profit attributable to the owners of the Company of approximately HK\$8.8 million, as compared to revenue of approximately HK\$24.4 million and profit attributable to owners of the Company of approximately HK\$6.0 million for the three months ended 30 June 2022. The Group considers that the increase in sale of LED lighting fixtures, which contributed to the increase in revenue and profit attributable to the owners of the Company as compared to the three months ended 30 June 2022.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Revenue

Our revenue increased by approximately HK\$1.2 million or 4.9%, from approximately HK\$24.4 million for the three months ended 30 June 2022 to approximately HK\$25.6 million for the three months ended 30 June 2023, as revenue from sale of LED lighting fixture has increased due to the effect of recovery of economy from the COVID-19.

Cost of Sales and Gross Profit

Our cost of sales comprise of components, staff costs, subcontracting fee and labour costs and overhead. The cost of sales decreased by approximately HK\$0.2 million or 1.9%, from approximately HK\$10.6 million for the three months ended 30 June 2022 to approximately HK\$10.4 million for the three months ended 30 June 2023, which was remaining stable.

With the increase in revenue, our gross profit increased by approximately HK\$1.6 million or 11.7%, from approximately HK\$13.7 million for the three months ended 30 June 2022 to approximately HK\$15.3 million for the three months ended 30 June 2023, and the gross profit margin increased from approximately 56.3% for the three months ended 30 June 2022 to approximately 59.6% for the three months ended 30 June 2023.

Administrative Expenses

Our administrative expenses decreased by approximately HK\$0.2 million or 3.2%, from approximately HK\$6.2 million for the three months ended 30 June 2022 to approximately HK\$6.0 million for the three months ended 30 June 2023. No material fluctuation was noted.

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Income Tax Expense

Income tax expense has decreased by approximately HK\$0.5 million or 41.7%, from approximately HK\$1.2 million for the three months ended 30 June 2022 to approximately HK\$0.7 million for the three months ended 30 June 2023. It is because the PRC subsidiaries enjoy the benefit from the Tax Relief Policies to Small and Micro Enterprises.

Profit for the period

Profit for the period was approximately HK\$8.8 million for the three months ended 30 June 2023, compared to the profit for the period of approximately HK\$6.0 million for the three months ended 30 June 2022.

Dividend

The Board does not recommend the payment of interim dividend for the three months ended 30 June 2023 (three months ended 30 June 2022; nil).

OUTLOOK

Future Development and Outlook

The Group will continue its efforts to be one of the leading LED lighting solutions providers in Asia. During the three months ended 30 June 2023, approximately 78.1% of our sales originates from the PRC and we believe that the domestic demand from luxury renowned brands will remain active in the PRC market which will therefore require more renovation of retail stores in the PRC's shopping mall. The Group will continue to look for new luxury renowned brands' customers to expand our customer base through our existing network.

Looking ahead, we believe that the recovery brought about by the resumption of crossborder travel will certainly drive the economy growth again, however, there is still uncertainty and with new challenges. We will continue to focus on strengthening our core businesses, and at the same time explore for new business opportunities. 16

OTHER INFORMATION

DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

(a) Interests and short positions of Directors and chief executive in the shares (the "Share(s)"), underlying Shares and debentures of the Company and our associated corporations

As at the date of this report, the interests and short positions of the Directors and chief executive of the Company in the Shares, underlying Shares or debentures of the Company or its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Future Ordinance ("SFO")), which were required (a) to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including any interests or short positions which they are taken or deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO); or (b) pursuant to section 352 of the SFO, to be entered in the register referred to therein; or (c) to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the required standards of dealing by Directors as referred to in Rules 5.46 to 5.67 of the GEM Listing Rules were as follows:

Long position in the Shares of the Company

Name of Directors	Nature of interest	Number of Shares	Approximate percentage of shareholding in our Company	
Mr. Tam Yat Ming Andrew	Interest in controlled corporation ^[1]	510,000,000	51%	

Note:

(1) 510,000,000 Shares are held by Mr. Tam Yat Ming Andrew ("Mr. Tam") indirectly through The Garage Investment Limited ("Garage Investment"), which is wholly-owned by Mr. Tam.

Long position in the Shares of associated corporations

Name of Directors	Name of associated Name of Directors corporation		Number of Shares	Approximate percentage of shareholding	
Mr. Tam	Garage Investment	Beneficial owner	1	100.00%	

Save as disclosed above and so far as is known to the Directors, as at the date of this report, none of the Directors nor chief executive of the Company had or was deemed to have any other interests or short positions in the Shares, underlying Shares or debentures of the Company or its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO) which were required (a) to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including any interests or short positions which they are taken or deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO); or (b) pursuant to section 352 of the SFO, to be entered in the register referred to therein; or (c) to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the required standards of dealing by Directors as referred to in Rules 5.46 to 5.67 of the GEM Listing Rules.

(b) Interests and short positions of substantial shareholders in the Shares, Underlying Shares and debentures of the Company

As at the date of this report, so far as is known to the Directors, the following entities and individuals (not being Directors or chief executive of the Company) had, or were deemed to have, interests or short positions (directly or indirectly) in the Shares or underlying Shares of the Company that would fall to be disclosed to the Company and the Stock Exchange under the provision of Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO, or which were recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to section 336 of the SFO were as follows:

Long position in the Shares

Name	Nature of interest	Number of Shares	Percentage of shareholding
Garage Investment	Beneficial owner	510,000,000	51.00%
Mr. Wan Man Hung (" Mr. Wan ")	Beneficial owner and interest of spouse ^[1]	56,550,000	5.66%
Ms. Yeung Ngai	Beneficial owner and interest of spouse ^[1]	56,550,000	5.66%
Ms. Ng Wing Sze	Interest of spouse ⁽²⁾	510,000,000	51.00%

Notes:

- (1) Ms. Yeung Ngai is the spouse of Mr. Wan by virtue of the SFO, Ms. Yeung Ngai is deemed to be interested in the shares in which Mr. Wan is interested.
- (2) Ms. Ng Wing Sze is the spouse of Mr. Tam. By virtue of the SFO, Ms. Ng Wing Sze is deemed to be interested in the Shares in which Mr. Tam is interested.

Save as disclosed above and so far as is known to the Directors, as at the date of this report, none of the substantial or significant shareholders or other persons, other than the Directors and chief executive of the Company whose interests are set out in the section "Disclosure of interests – Interests and short positions of Directors and chief executive in Shares, underlying Shares and debentures of the Company and our associated corporations" above, had any interest or a short position in the Shares or underlying Shares as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to Section 336 of the SFO.

SHARE OPTION SCHEME

A share option scheme (the "**Share Option Scheme**") was approved and conditionally adopted by the then shareholders of the Company by way of written resolutions on 22 December 2017.

No share options have been granted by the Company under the Share Option Scheme since its adoption.

DIRECTORS' SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS

The Company has adopted a code of conduct regarding securities transactions by the Directors (the "Code of Conduct") on terms no less exacting than the required standard of dealings set out in Rules 5.46 to 5.67 of the GEM Listing Rules (the "Required Standard Dealings"). The Company had also made specific enquiry of all the Directors and each of them was in compliance with the Code of Conduct and Required Standard Dealings up to the date of this report.

COMPETING INTERESTS

None of the Directors or the controlling shareholders of the Company or any of their respective associates (as defined in the GEM Listing Rules) has any business or interest in a business that compete or may compete with the business of the Group and any other conflicts of interest which any such person has or may have with the Group during the three months ended 30 June 2023.

PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF LISTED SECURITIES

Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has purchased, sold or redeemed any of the Company's listed securities for the three months ended 30 June 2023.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The Board is committed to maintaining high standards of corporate governance in order to uphold the transparency of the Group and safeguard interests of the shareholders.

The Company has adopted the Corporate Governance Code (the "**CG Code**") as stated in Appendix 15 of the GEM Listing Rules except for the deviation from code provision A.2.1 of the CG Code

Pursuant to code provision A.2.1 of the CG Code, the responsibilities between the chairman and the chief executive officer should be segregated and should not be performed by the same individual. In view of Mr. Tam Yat Ming Andrew, being the founder of the Group and his experience and his roles in the Group, the Board considers it beneficial to the business prospect and operational efficiency of the Group that Mr. Tam Yat Ming Andrew acts as the chairman of the Board (the "Chairman") and continues to act as the CEO.

The Directors consider that the current structure does not impair the balance of power and authority between the Board and the management of the Company given the appropriate delegation of the power of the Board and the effective functions of the independent non-executive Directors. The Board will continue to review the effectiveness of the corporate governance structure of the Group in order to assess whether separation of the roles of Chairman and CEO is necessary.

The Chairman is responsible for the Group's strategic planning and the management of the operations of the Board, while the CEO takes the lead in the Group's operations and business development. There is a clear division of responsibilities between the Chairman and CEO of the Company which provides a balance of power and authority.

EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

The Group does not have any material subsequent events after the reporting period and up to the date of this report.

SUFFICIENCY OF PUBLIC FLOAT

Based on information that is publicly available to the Company and within the knowledge of the Directors, the Company has maintained a sufficient public float as at the date of this report.

AUDIT COMMITTEE

The financial information in this report has not been audited by the auditor of the Company, Pursuant to Rule 5.28 of the GEM Listing Rules, the Company established the audit committee (the "Audit Committee") with written terms of reference aligned with the provision of the code provisions set out in Appendix 15 of the GEM Listing Rules. The primary duties of the Audit Committee are to review and supervise the financial reporting process and internal control procedures of the Group. As at the date of this report, the Audit Committee comprises Mr. Li Chun Hung (Chairman), Mr. Ha Yiu Wing and Dr. Wilson Lee, all being the independent non-executive Directors.

The Audit Committee has reviewed the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements of the Company for the three months ended 30 June 2023 and is of the opinion that such results complied with the applicable accounting standards and the requirements under the GEM Listing Rules, and that adequate disclosures have been made.

> By Order of the Board IMS Group Holdings Limited Tam Yat Ming Andrew Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Hong Kong, 9 August 2023

As at the date of this report, the Board comprises Mr. Tam Yat Ming Andrew (Chairman and Chief Executive Officer) and Mr. Lo King Shun as Executive Directors, Mr. Li Chun Hung, Mr. Ha Yiu Wing and Dr. Wilson Lee as Independent Non-executive Directors.