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If you have sold or transferred all your shares (the "Shares") of HK\$0.01 each in the capital of Wah Yuen Holdings Limited, you should at once hand this circular and the accompanying form of proxy to the purchaser or the transferee or to the bank, stockbroker or other agent through whom the sale or the transfer was effected for transmission to the purchaser or the transferee.

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# WAH YUEN HOLDINGS LIMITED

華園控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 2349)

- (1) PROPOSED GRANT OF GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE NEW SHARES AND REPURCHASE BY THE COMPANY OF ITS OWN SHARES; (2) PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS;
  - (3) PROPOSED REFRESHMENT OF SCHEME MANDATE LIMIT; AND (4) NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening an annual general meeting of the Company to be held at 2nd Floor, On Shing Industrial Building, Nos. 2-16 Wo Liu Hang Road, Fo Tan, Shatin, New Territories, Hong Kong on Wednesday, 18 June 2008 at 9:30 a.m. is set out on pages 17 to 21 of this circular of the Company. A form of proxy for use at the annual general meeting is enclosed with this circular. Such form of proxy is also published on the website of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited at www.hkex. com.hk.

Whether or not you are able to attend the annual general meeting, you are requested to complete the form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and deposit the same at the offices of the Company's branch share registrar and transfer office in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited at 26th, Tesbury Centre, 28 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong as soon as possible and in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the annual general meeting or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the annual general meeting or any adjournment thereof should you so wish.

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# **DEFINITIONS**

In this circular, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions shall have the following meanings:

"AGM" the annual general meeting of the Company to be convened and

held to consider and, if thought fit, to approve, among other things, the proposed grant of the General Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate; the proposed re-election of Directors and

the proposed Refreshment of Scheme Mandate Limit

"Articles of Association" the articles of association of the Company, and "Article" shall

mean an Article of the Articles of Association

"associate" has the meaning ascribed to this term under the Listing Rules

"Board" the board of Directors

"Company" Wah Yuen Holdings Limited, a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability and the issued Shares of

which are listed on the main board of the Stock Exchange

"Directors" the directors of the Company

"Eligible Participant(s)" any full-time or part-time employees of the Company or

its subsidiaries (including any executive, non-executive and independent non-executive directors of the Company or its subsidiaries) and any suppliers, consultants and distributors of the Group who, in the sole discretion of the Board, have contributed or may contribute to the Group, eligible for Options under the

Share Option Scheme

"General Mandate" the general mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors at

the AGM to issue further new Shares not exceeding 20% of the issued share capital of the Company at the date of the passing

of such resolution

"Group" the Company and all of its subsidiaries

"Hong Kong" the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's

Republic of China

"Latest Practicable Date" 25 April 2008, being the latest practicable date prior to the

printing of this circular for the purpose of ascertaining certain

information contained in this circular

# **DEFINITIONS**

"Listing Rules" the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange "Options" the options granted under the Share Option Scheme to subscribe for Shares in accordance with the Share Option Scheme "Refreshment of Scheme the proposed refreshment of the Scheme Mandate Limit under Mandate Limit" the Share Option Scheme "Repurchase Mandate" the repurchase mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors at the AGM to repurchase up to 10% of the issued share capital of the Company at the date of the passing of such resolution "Scheme Mandate Limit" the maximum number of Shares which may be allotted and issued upon the exercise of all options which initially shall not in aggregate exceed 10% of the Shares in issue as at the date of adoption of the Share Option Scheme and thereafter, if refreshed shall not exceed 10% of the Shares in issue as at the date of approval of the refreshed limit by the Shareholders "SFO" the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of Laws of Hong Kong) "Share Option Scheme" the share option scheme adopted by the Company pursuant to the written resolutions of the Company on 3 June 2003 "Share(s)" ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.01 each in the share capital of the Company "Shareholder(s)" holder(s) of the Share(s) "Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited "Takeovers Code" the Hong Kong Code on Takeovers and Mergers

per cent.

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# WAH YUEN HOLDINGS LIMITED

# 華園控股有限公司

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Executive Directors:

Mr But Ching Pui (Honorary Chairman)

Mr But Ka Wai (Chairman)

Mr But Chai Tong (Vice Chairman)

Non-executive Directors:

Ms Leung Wai Ling

Mr Ngai Chun Kong, Stephen

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Mr Cheung Yu Yan, Tommy

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30 April 2008

To the Shareholders

Dear Sir or Madam

# (1) PROPOSED GRANT OF GENERAL MANDATES TO ISSUE NEW SHARES AND REPURCHASE BY THE COMPANY OF ITS OWN SHARES; (2) PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS;

(3) PROPOSED REFRESHMENT OF SCHEME MANDATE LIMIT; AND (4) NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

#### INTRODUCTION

At the AGM to be held at 2nd Floor, On Shing Industrial Building, Nos. 2-16 Wo Liu Hang Road, Fo Tan, Shatin, New Territories, Hong Kong on Wednesday, 18 June 2008 at 9:30 a.m., resolutions will be proposed, among other matters:

(a) to re-elect the Directors;

- (b) to grant the General Mandate to the Directors;
- (c) to grant the Repurchase Mandate to the Directors;
- (d) to increase the number of Shares to be allotted and issued under the General Mandate by an additional number representing such number of Shares repurchased under the Repurchase Mandate; and
- (e) to refresh the Scheme Mandate Limit.

The purpose of this circular is to provide you with information in relation to the resolutions to be proposed at the AGM for the grant of the General Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate, the re-election of Directors and the Refreshment of Scheme Mandate Limit; and to give you the notice of the AGM.

#### GENERAL MANDATE AND REPURCHASE MANDATE

The General Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate shall be effective until whichever is the earliest of:

- (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company; or
- (b) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the Articles of Association, or any other applicable law of the Cayman Islands to be held; or
- (c) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the Shareholders in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the Directors.

Under the Listing Rules, the Company is required to give to the Shareholders all information which is reasonably necessary to enable Shareholders to make an informed decision as to whether to vote for or against the resolution to renew the grant to the Directors of the Repurchase Mandate. The explanatory statement required by the Listing Rules to be included in this circular is set out in Appendix I.

### **General Mandate**

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Company has an aggregate of 691,937,500 Shares in issue. Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution for the approval of the General Mandate and in accordance with the terms therein, the Company would be allowed to allot and issue up to a maximum of 138,387,500 Shares, representing 20% of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued Shares at the time of the passing of the resolution approving the General Mandate on the basis that no further Shares will be issued or repurchased by the Company prior to the AGM.

The Directors have no immediate plans to issue any new Shares other than any Shares which may fall to be issued under the share option scheme or any scrip dividend scheme which may be approved by the Shareholders.

#### Repurchase Mandate

On pages 17 to 21 of this circular is the notice of the AGM. At the AGM, and as part of the special business of the AGM, an ordinary resolution will be proposed to grant the Repurchase Mandate to the Directors.

#### RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

According to Article 108, one-third of the Directors for the time being, or if their number is not three or a multiple of three, then the number nearest to but not less than one-third shall retire from office by rotation at every annual general meeting. A retiring Director shall be eligible for reelection.

In accordance with Article 108, Mr. But Ka Wai, Mr. But Chai Tong, Mr. Ngai Chun Kong, Stephen, Mr. Cheung Yu Yan, Tommy and Mr. Ku Siu Fung, Stephen shall retire from office by rotation at the AGM. Being eligible, each of Mr. But Ka Wai and Mr. But Chai Tong will offer himself for re-election as executive Director; Mr. Ngai Chun Kong, Stephen will offer himself for re-election as non-executive Director; and each of Mr. Cheung Yu Yan, Tommy and Mr. Ku Siu Fung, Stephen will offer himself for re-election as independent non-executive Director. At the AGM, ordinary resolutions will be proposed to re-elect Mr. But Ka Wai, Mr. But Chai Tong, Mr. Ngai Chun Kong, Stephen, Mr. Cheung Yu Yan, Tommy and Mr. Ku Siu Fung, Stephen as executive / non-executive / independent non-executive Directors (as the case may be).

Particulars relating to each of Mr. But Ka Wai, Mr. But Chai Tong, Mr. Ngai Chun Kong, Stephen, Mr. Cheung Yu Yan, Tommy and Mr. Ku Siu Fung, Stephen are set out in Appendix III to this circular.

#### REFRESHMENT OF SCHEME MANDATE LIMIT

The Share Option Scheme was adopted by the Company pursuant to the written resolutions of the Company on 3 June 2003. The Scheme Mandate Limit was set at 10% of the Shares in issue as at the date of adoption of the Share Option Scheme in compliance with the Listing Rules. Subject to prior Shareholders' approval, the Company may, at any time thereafter, refresh the Scheme Mandate Limit to the extent not exceeding 10% of the Shares in issue as at the date of the aforesaid Shareholders' approval.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Options carrying rights to subscribe for a total of 56,937,500 Shares were granted to certain Eligible Participants in accordance with the terms of the Share Option Scheme since its adoption and the refreshed Scheme Mandate Limit on 13 June 2007. Of these, a total of (i) 1,500,000 Options were lapsed; (ii) 23,937,500 Options were exercised; and (iii) 31,500,000 Options, representing approximately 4.55% of the existing issued share capital of the Company, remain outstanding as at the Latest Practicable Date under the Share Option Scheme. There will be 31,500,000 Shares allotted and issued if such Options are exercised in full. No Options were cancelled since the adoption of the Share Option Scheme and the refreshed Scheme Mandate Limit on 13 June 2007.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Company has issued 691,937,500 Shares. Pursuant to the terms of the Share Option Scheme and in compliance with the Listing Rules, the maximum number of Shares, which may be issued upon the exercise of all the Options to be granted under the Share Option Scheme under the Scheme Mandate Limit as refreshed should be 69,193,750 Shares (assuming no further issue of Shares).

It is proposed that subject to the Listing Committee granting the listing of, and permission to deal in the Shares to be issued pursuant to the exercise of the Options granted under the refreshed Scheme Mandate Limit and the passing of the relevant resolution at the AGM by the Shareholders, the Scheme Mandate Limit be refreshed so that the total number of securities, which may be issued upon exercise of all Options to be granted under the Share Option Scheme under the refreshed Scheme Mandate Limit as refreshed, shall not exceed 10% of the Shares in issue as at the date of approval of the proposed Refreshment of Scheme Mandate Limit by the Shareholders at the AGM. Options previously granted under the Share Option Scheme (including without limitation those outstanding, cancelled, lapsed or exercised in accordance with the Share Option Scheme) will not be counted for the purpose of calculating the Scheme Mandate Limit as refreshed. Based on 691,937,500 Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date and assuming no further issue or repurchase of Shares prior to the AGM, the refreshed Scheme Mandate Limit will be 691,937,500 Shares.

Pursuant to the Listing Rules, the Shares which may be issued upon exercise of all outstanding Options granted and yet to be exercised under the Share Option Scheme at any time should not exceed 30% of the Shares in issue from time to time. No options shall be granted under any scheme(s) of the Company or any of its subsidiaries if this will result in the 30% limit being exceeded.

#### Conditions of the Refreshment of Scheme Mandate Limit

The proposed Refreshment of Scheme Mandate Limit is conditional upon:

- 1. the passing of the necessary ordinary resolution by the Shareholders at the AGM to approve the proposed Refreshment of Scheme Mandate Limit; and
- 2. the Listing Committee of the Stock Exchange granting the listing of, and permission to deal in, the Shares to be issued pursuant to the exercise of the Options to be granted under the refreshed Scheme Mandate Limit.

Application will be made to the Stock Exchange for the listing of, and permission to deal in, the Shares to be issued pursuant to the exercise of Options to be granted under the refreshed Scheme Mandate Limit.

#### Reasons for the Refreshment of Scheme Mandate Limit

The proposed Refreshment of Scheme Mandate Limit will enable the Company to grant further Options to Eligible Participants so as to provide opportunities and incentives to them to work towards enhancing the values of the Company and Shares for the benefit of the Company and Shareholders as a whole.

#### ACTION TO BE TAKEN

Whether or not you intend to attend the AGM, you are requested to complete and return the form of proxy accompanying the annual report of the Company in accordance with the instructions printed thereon not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM or any adjournment thereof. The completion and return of a form of proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting at the AGM or any adjournment thereof in person if you so wish.

#### RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

This circular includes particulars given in compliance with the Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Group. The Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in this circular and confirm, having made all reasonable enquiries, to the best of their knowledge and belief, there are no other facts the omission of which would make any statement herein misleading.

#### RECOMMENDATION

The Directors believe that the proposed grant of the General Mandate and the Repurchase Mandate; the proposed re-election of Directors and the proposed Refreshment of Scheme Mandate Limit are in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole and recommend the Shareholders to vote in favour of the above resolutions to be proposed at the AGM.

The Repurchase Mandate may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net assets value of the Company and its net assets and/or earnings per Share and will only be made when the Directors believe that a repurchase of Shares will benefit the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

An exercise of the Repurchase Mandate in full could have a material adverse impact on the working capital and gearing position of the Company compared with that as at 31 December 2007, being the date of its latest published audited consolidated accounts. The Directors do not, however, intend to make any repurchase in circumstances that would have a material adverse impact on the working capital or gearing position of the Company.

The Directors believe that an exercise of the General Mandate to allot and issue new Shares will enable the Company to take advantage of market conditions to raise additional capital for and/or as a means of payment by the Company.

#### **GENERAL**

Your attention is drawn to the information set out in the appendices to this Circular.

Yours faithfully
For and on behalf of
the board of Directors of
Wah Yuen Holdings Limited
But Ka Wai
Chairman

This Appendix serves as an explanatory statement, as required by the Listing Rules, to provide requisite information to you for your consideration of the Repurchase Mandate.

#### 1. REPURCHASE OF SECURITIES FROM CONNECTED PARTIES

The Listing Rules prohibit a company from knowingly purchasing securities on the Stock Exchange from a "connected person", that is, a director, chief executive or substantial shareholder of the Company or any of its subsidiaries or their respective associates and a connected person is prohibited from knowingly selling his/her/its securities to the Company.

No connected person of the Company has notified the Company that he/she/it has a present intention to sell any Shares to the Company nor has any such connected person undertaken not to sell any of the Shares held by him/her/it to the Company in the event that the Repurchase Mandate is passed.

#### 2. SHARE CAPITAL

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the issued share capital of the Company comprised 691,937,500 fully paid Shares.

Subject to the passing of the proposed resolution for the approval of the Repurchase Mandate and on the basis that no further Shares are issued or repurchased by the Company prior to the AGM, the Company will be allowed under the Repurchase Mandate to repurchase a maximum of 69,193,750 Shares.

#### 3. REASONS FOR THE REPURCHASE

The Directors believe that the Repurchase Mandate is in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. An exercise of the Repurchase Mandate may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net assets per Share and/or earnings per Share and will only be made when the Directors believe that a repurchase will benefit the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

#### 4. FUNDING OF REPURCHASES

Pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate, repurchases would be funded entirely from the Company's available cash flow or working capital facilities which will be funds legally available under the Cayman Islands law and the memorandum and articles of association of the Company for such purpose.

An exercise of the Repurchase Mandate in full could have a material adverse impact on the working capital and gearing position of the Company compared with that as at 31 December 2007, being the date of its latest published audited consolidated accounts. The Directors do not, however, intend to make any repurchase in circumstances that would have a material adverse impact on the working capital or gearing position of the Company.

#### 5. SHARE PRICES

The highest and lowest prices at which the Shares have traded on the Stock Exchange in each of the previous twelve calendar months were as follows:

	<b>Highest</b> <i>HK</i> \$	Lowest  HK\$
2007		
April	0.380	0.198
May	0.940	0.285
June	1.540	0.890
July	1.870	1.210
August	1.640	0.710
September	1.350	1.000
October	1.650	0.860
November	1.600	1.120
December	1.350	1.050
2008		
January	1.440	1.110
February	1.320	0.960
March	1.140	0.400
April (up to the Latest Practicable Date)	0.670	0.480

#### 6. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS AND MINIMUM PUBLIC HOLDING

None of the Directors or, to the best of their knowledge having made all reasonable enquiries, their associates, have any present intention to sell to the Company or its subsidiaries any of the Shares in the Company if the Repurchase Mandate is approved at the AGM and exercised.

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange that, so far as the same may be applicable, they will exercise the powers of the Company to make repurchases pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate in accordance with the Listing Rules and applicable laws of the Cayman Islands.

If a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases on the Company exercising its powers to repurchase Shares pursuant to the Repurchase Mandate, such increase will be treated as an acquisition for the purposes of Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code. As a result, a shareholder or group of Shareholders acting in concert could obtain or consolidate control of the Company and become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rules 26 and 32 of the Takeovers Code.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the following Shareholders are interested in more than 10% of the Shares then in issue:

Name	Number of Shares	Percentage holding
Able Success Group Limited (Note 1)	151,250,000	21.86%
Mr. But Ka Wai (Note 1)	151,562,000	21.90%
Ms. Chan Yuk Ha (Note 1)	151,562,000	21.90%
Sharp Profit Investments Limited (Note 2)	133,000,000	19.22%

#### Notes:

- These 151,250,000 Shares are owned by Able Success Group Limited and the entire issued share capital of
  which is directly held by Mr. But Ka Wai. Ms. Chan Yuk Ha is the wife of Mr. But Ka Wai and is deemed to
  be interested in the Shares in which Mr. But Ka Wai is interested under the provisions of Divisions 2 and 3 of
  Part XV of the SFO.
- 2. Sharp Profit Investments Limited is a wholly-owned subsidiary of China Water Affairs Group Limited, a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands and continued in Bermuda with limited liability whose shares are listed on the main board of the Stock Exchange (stock code: 855).

In the event that the Directors exercise in full the power to repurchase Shares in accordance with the Repurchase Mandate, the total interests of the above Shareholders in the Shares would be increased to:

Name	Percentage holding
Able Success Group Limited	24.29%
Mr. But Ka Wai	24.34%
Ms. Chan Yuk Ha	24.34%
Sharp Profit Investments Limited	21.36%

The Directors are not aware of any consequence which may arise under the Takeover Code as a consequence of any repurchases made under the Repurchase Mandate. However, the Company may not repurchase Shares which would result in the amount of Shares held by the public being reduced to less than 25%.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, no connected person (within the meaning ascribed to it in the Listing Rules) of the Company has notified the Company that he/she/it has a present intention to sell any Shares nor has such connected person undertaken not to sell any of the securities held by him/her/it to the Company in the event that the Repurchase Mandate is granted.

#### 7. SHARES REPURCHASE MADE BY THE COMPANY

No repurchases of Shares have been made by the Company (whether on the Stock Exchange or otherwise) during the six months immediately prior to the Latest Practicable Date.

#### APPENDIX II

# PROCEDURES BY WHICH SHAREHOLDERS MAY DEMAND A POLL AT GENERAL MEETING PURSUANT TO THE ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

The procedures by which the Shareholders may demand a poll at the AGM are set out in this Appendix.

According to Article 72, at any general meeting a resolution put to the vote of the meeting shall be decided on a show of hands unless a poll is (before or on the declaration of the result of the show of hands or on the withdrawal of any other demand for a poll) demanded. A poll may be demanded by:

- (a) the chairman of the meeting; or
- (b) at least three Shareholders present in person (or, in the case of a Shareholder being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative) or by proxy for the time being entitled to vote at the meeting; or
- (c) any Shareholder or Shareholders present in person (or, in the case of a Shareholder being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative) or by proxy and representing not less than one-tenth of the total voting rights of all Shareholders having the right to vote at the meeting; or
- (d) any Shareholder or Shareholders present in person (or, in the case of a Shareholder being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative) or by proxy and holding shares in the Company conferring a right to vote at the meeting being shares on which an aggregate sum has been paid up equal to not less than one-tenth of the total sum paid up on all the shares conferring that right.

Pursuant to Article 73A, notwithstanding any other provisions in the Articles of Association, if the aggregate proxies held by (i) the chairman of a particular meeting, and/or (ii) the Directors, account for five (5) per cent or more of the total voting rights at that meeting, and if on a show of hands in respect of any resolution, the meeting votes in the opposite manner to that instructed in those proxies, the chairman of the meeting and/or any Director holding proxies as aforesaid shall demand a poll.

# DETAILS OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE RE-ELECTED AT THE AGM

The details of the Directors who will retire from office by rotation at the AGM and being eligible, will offer themselves for re-election at the AGM, are set out below:

#### (1) Mr. But Ka Wai ("Mr. K.W. But")

Mr. But Ka Wai, aged 50, is the Chairman and an executive Director. He is the son of Mr. But Ching Pui and Ms. Leung Wai Ling and the younger brother of Mr. But Chai Tong. He has over 20 years of experience in the snack food manufacturing business. From 1978 to 1989, Mr. K.W. But was responsible for production and general administration of the Group. He has been responsible for the overall strategic development and formulation of corporate policies of the Group since 1989. He is presently a standing member of the committee of the Huadu District Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference. He was also named as an honorary citizen of Huadu District, Guangzhou, Guangdong Province, the PRC, by the local authority in 1998 for his contribution to the Huadu District. He joined the Group in 1978.

Mr. K.W. But has entered into a service agreement with the Company for a term of two years commencing 1 June 2005 with an amount of emoluments of HK\$360,000 per annum, which is determined by the Board with reference to his duties and responsibility. The service contract will be automatically renewed unless terminated by the parties.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. K.W. But hold 151,562,000 Shares through his shareholding in Able Success Group Limited and personally hold 312,000 Shares in the Company, in aggregate representing approximately 21.90% of the issued share capital of the Company. Save as disclosed above, Mr. K.W. But does not have any other interests in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO and he did not hold any directorship in other listed company in the last three year.

# (2) Mr. But Chai Tong ("Mr. C.T. But")

Mr. But Chai Tong, aged 54, is the Vice Chairman and an executive Director. He is the son of Mr. But Ching Pui and Ms. Leung Wai Ling and the elder brother of Mr. But Ka Wai. He has over 20 years of experience in the snack food manufacturing business. From 1980 to 1989, Mr. C.T. But was responsible for financial management and marketing of the Group. He has been responsible for strategic planning, marketing and sales activities, maintenance of business relationships with the Group's customers and overseeing the general operation of the Group since 1989. He is presently a standing member of the committee of the Huadu District Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference. Mr. C.T. But is also a member of the Association of Restaurant Managers Limited. He joined the Group in 1980.

Mr. C.T. But has entered into a service agreement with the Company for a term of two years commencing 1 June 2005 with an amount of emoluments of HK\$360,000 per annum, which is determined by the Board with reference to his duties and responsibility. The service contract will be automatically renewed unless terminated by the parties.

# DETAILS OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE RE-ELECTED AT THE AGM

Mr. C.T. But does not have any interest in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO and he did not hold any directorships in any public listed companies in the past three years.

# (3) Mr. Ngai Chun Kong, Stephen ("Mr. Ngai")

Mr. Ngai Chun Kong, Stephen, aged 49, is a non-executive Director. Mr. Ngai is a member of The Toys Manufacturers' Association of Hong Kong Limited and a director of The Chiu Chau Plastic Manufacturing Association Company Limited. He is also a director of Artin International (Holdings) Limited and Co-Pack Printing Products Limited. Mr. Ngai has over 20 years of experience in the toy and printing industry. He joined the Group in May 2003 and is one of the audit committee members of the Company.

There is no service contract entered into between the Company and Mr. Ngai. Mr. Ngai is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at general meetings in accordance with the Articles. Mr. Ngai's remuneration is fixed at HK\$50,000 per annum, which is determined by the Board with reference to his duties and responsibilities within the Company, the Company's remuneration policy and the prevailing market conditions.

Mr. Ngai does not have any interest in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO. Save as disclosed above, Mr. Ngai has not held any directorships in any public listed companies in the past three years and are not connected with any directors, senior management or substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company.

#### (4) Mr. Cheung Yu Yan, Tommy ("Mr. Cheung")

Mr. Cheung Yu Yan, Tommy, J.P., aged 58, is an independent non-executive Director. He is currently a member of the Legislative Council and the Eastern District Council of Hong Kong. Mr. Cheung is also the chairman of the Hong Kong Catering Industry Association and the honorary life president of the Association of restaurant Managers Limited. Mr. Cheung has over 25 years of experience in restaurant and food related business. He joined the Group in May 2003.

There is no service contract entered into between the Company and Mr. Cheung. Mr. Cheung is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at general meetings in accordance with the Articles. Mr. Cheung's remuneration is fixed at HK\$100,000 per annum, which is determined by the Board with reference to his duties and responsibilities within the Company, the Company's remuneration policy and the prevailing market conditions.

Mr. Cheung does not have any interest in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO. Save as disclosed above, Mr. Cheung has not held any directorships in any public listed companies in the past three years and are not connected with any directors, senior management or substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company.

# DETAILS OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE RE-ELECTED AT THE AGM

#### (5) Mr. Ku Siu Fung, Stephen ("Mr. Ku")

Mr. Ku Siu Fung, Stephen, aged 53, is an independent non-executive Director. Mr. Ku is a member of The Hong Kong Institute of Architects. He is also a director of Chau, Ku & Leung Architects & Engineers Limited since 1991. Mr. Ku has over 20 years of experience in architecture. He joined the Group in May 2003 and is one of the audit committee members of the Company.

There is no service contract entered into between the Company and Mr. Ku. Mr. Ku is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at general meetings in accordance with the Articles. Mr. Ku's remuneration is fixed at HK\$50,000 per annum, which is determined by the Board with reference to his duties and responsibilities within the Company, the Company's remuneration policy and the prevailing market conditions.

Mr. Ku does not have any interest in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO. Save as disclosed above, Mr. Ku has not held any directorships in any public listed companies in the past three years and are not connected with any directors, senior management or substantial or controlling shareholders of the Company.

There is no information relating to Mr. But Ka Wai, Mr. But Chai Tong, Mr. Ngai Chun Kong, Stephen, Mr. Cheung Yu Yan, Tommy and Mr. Ku Siu Fung, Stephen that is required to be disclosed pursuant to Rules 13.51(2)(h) to (v) of the Listing Rules.

Save as disclosed herein, there is no other matter relating to Mr. But Ka Wai, Mr. But Chai Tong, Mr. Ngai Chun Kong, Stephen, Mr. Cheung Yu Yan, Tommy and Mr. Ku Siu Fung, Stephen that needs to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders and the Stock Exchange.



# WAH YUEN HOLDINGS LIMITED 華園控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 2349)

# NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the annual general meeting of Wah Yuen Holdings Limited (the "**Company**") will be held at 2nd Floor, On Shing Industrial Building, Nos. 2-16 Wo Liu Hang Road, Fo Tan, Shatin, New Territories, Hong Kong on Wednesday, 18 June 2008 at 9:30 a.m. to transact the following ordinary business:

- 1. to receive and consider the audited combined financial statements and reports of the directors (the "**Directors**") and auditors of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2007;
- 2. (a) To re-elect Mr. But Ka Wai as executive Director;
  - (b) To re-elect Mr. But Chai Tong as executive Director;
  - (c) To re-elect Mr. Ngai Chun Kong, Stephen as non-executive Director;
  - (d) To re-elect Mr. Cheung Yu Yan, Tommy as independent non-executive Director;
  - (e) To re-elect Mr. Ku Siu Fung, Stephen as independent non-executive Director;
  - (f) To authorise the board of Directors to fix the Directors' remuneration;
- 3. to re-appoint auditors and to authorise the board of Directors to fix their remuneration;

to consider, as special business and, if thought fit, passing the following resolutions with or without amendments as ordinary resolutions:

#### 4. "THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, pursuant to the Rules (the "Listing Rules") Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with unissued Shares and to make or grant offers, agreements and options, including warrants to subscribe for Shares, which might require the exercise of such powers be and the same is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) above shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the aggregate nominal amount of share capital allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to options or otherwise), issued or dealt with by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue; or (ii) the exercise of any options granted under the share option scheme of the Company; or (iii) any scrip dividend or similar arrangements providing for the allotment and issue of Shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on Shares in accordance with the articles of association of the Company in force from time to time; or (iv) any issue of Shares upon the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any warrants of the Company or any securities which are convertible into Shares, shall not exceed the aggregate of:
  - (aa) 20 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue on the date of the passing of this resolution; and
  - (bb) (if the Directors are so authorised by a separate ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company) the nominal amount of any share capital of the Company repurchased by the Company subsequent to the passing of this resolution (up to a maximum equivalent to 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue on the date of the passing of this resolution),

and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be limited accordingly; and

(d) for the purposes of this resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the date of the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company, the Companies Law, Cap 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands (the "Companies Law") or any other applicable law of the Cayman Islands to be held; and
- (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the Directors by this resolution;

"Rights Issue" means an offer of Shares, or offer or issue of warrants, options or other securities giving rights to subscribe for Shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of Shares on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of Shares (subject to such exclusion or other arrangements as the Directors may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements, or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of, or the expense or delay which may be involved in determining the existence or extent of any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of, any jurisdiction outside Hong Kong or any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange outside Hong Kong)."

### 5. "THAT:

- (a) the exercise by the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period of all powers of the Company to purchase the Shares on the Stock Exchange or any other stock exchange on which the Shares may be listed and recognised by the Securities and Futures Commission and the Stock Exchange for such purpose, and otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Securities and Futures Commission, the Stock Exchange, the Companies Law and all other applicable laws in this regard, be and the same is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the aggregate nominal amount of Shares which may be purchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) during the Relevant Period shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of the passing of this resolution and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be limited accordingly; and

- (c) for the purposes of this resolution, "**Relevant Period**" means the period from the date of the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:
  - (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
  - (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company, the Companies Law or any other applicable law of the Cayman Islands to be held: and
  - (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the Directors of the Company by this resolution."
- 6. "THAT the Directors be and they are hereby authorised to exercise the authority referred to in paragraph (a) of resolution no. 5 above in respect of the share capital of the Company referred to in sub-paragraph (bb) of paragraph (c) of such resolution."
- 7. to consider, as special business and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:
  - "THAT subject to and conditional upon the granting by the Listing Committee of the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited of, the listing of and permission to deal in, the Shares to be issued pursuant to the exercise of options granted under the refreshed scheme mandate limit (the "Scheme Mandate Limit") under the share option scheme adopted by written resolutions of the Company on 3 June 2003 in the manner as set out in paragraph (a) of this Resolution below,
  - (a) the refreshment of the Scheme Mandate Limit of up to 10% of the Shares of the Company in issue as at the date of passing of this resolution be and is hereby approved; and
  - (b) the directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised do all such acts and things and execute all such documents, including under seal where applicable, as they consider necessary or expedient to give effect to the foregoing arrangement."

Yours faithfully For and on behalf of the board of Directors of Wah Yuen Holdings Limited But Ka Wai Chairman

Hong Kong, 30 April 2008

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#### Notes:

- 1. A member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting convened by the above notice is entitled to appoint one or more proxy to attend and, subject to the provisions of the articles of association of the Company, vote in his stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- In order to be valid, the form of proxy must be deposited together with a power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy of that power or authority, at the offices of the Company's branch registrars in Hong Kong, Tricor Tengis Limited, at 26th, Tesbury Centre, 28 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting.
- 3. In relation to proposed resolutions nos. 4 and 6 above, approval is being sought from the shareholders for the grant to the Directors of a general mandate to authorise the allotment and issue of shares under the Listing Rules. The Directors have no immediate plans to issue any new Shares other than Shares which may fall to be issued under the share option scheme of the Company or any scrip dividend scheme which may be approved by shareholders.
- 4. In relation to proposed resolution no. 5 above, the directors wish to state that they will exercise the powers conferred thereby to repurchase Shares in circumstances which they deem appropriate for the benefit of the shareholders. An explanatory statement containing the information necessary to enable the shareholders to make an informed decision to vote on the proposed resolution as required by the Listing Rules is set out in Appendix I to this circular.