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## **Classified Group (Holdings) Limited**

*(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)*

**(Stock Code: 8232)**

**DESPATCH OF CIRCULAR IN RELATION TO  
(I) PROPOSED SHARE CONSOLIDATION;  
(II) PROPOSED INCREASE IN AUTHORISED SHARE CAPITAL;  
(III) PROPOSED RIGHTS ISSUE ON THE BASIS OF  
THREE (3) RIGHTS SHARES FOR EVERY TWO (2)  
CONSOLIDATED SHARES HELD ON RECORD DATE;  
(IV) CONNECTED TRANSACTION IN RELATION TO  
THE UNDERWRITING AGREEMENT; AND  
(V) APPLICATION FOR WHITEWASH WAIVER**

**Financial adviser to the Company**

**MESSIS 大有融資**

**Independent Financial Adviser to the Independent Board Committee and  
the Independent Shareholders**



Reference is made to (i) the announcement of Classified Group (Holdings) Limited (the “**Company**”) dated 6 July 2023 in relation to, among other things, the Share Consolidation, the Increase in Authorised Share Capital, the Rights Issue, the Placing Agreement, the Underwriting Agreement and the Whitewash Waiver (the “**Announcement**”); and (ii) the announcement dated 25 July 2023 in relation to, among other things, the delay in despatch of the Circular. Unless the context requires otherwise, capitalised terms used in this announcement shall have the same meanings as those defined in the Announcement.

## DESPATCH OF CIRCULAR

The Board is pleased to announce that the Circular containing, among other things, (i) further details of the Share Consolidation, the Increase in Authorised Share Capital, the Rights Issue, the Placing Agreement, the Underwriting Agreement and the Whitewash Waiver; (ii) the letter of recommendation from the Independent Board Committee in respect of the Rights Issue, the Placing Agreement, the Underwriting Agreement and Whitewash Waiver; (iii) the letter of advice from the Independent Financial Adviser to the Independent Board Committee and the Independent Shareholders in regard to the aforesaid; (iv) other information required under the GEM Listing Rules and the Takeovers Code; and (v) a notice convening the EGM, has been despatched to all Shareholders on Friday, 18 July 2023.

Shareholders are advised to read the Circular carefully, and in particular (without limitation to) the recommendation from the Independent Board Committee to the Independent Shareholders and the letter of advice from the Independent Financial Adviser to the Independent Board Committee and the Independent Shareholders contained in the Circular. Details of the EGM are set out in the notice of the EGM contained in the Circular.

## WARNING OF THE RISKS OF DEALING IN THE SHARES AND/OR RIGHTS SHARES IN NIL-PAID FORM

**Shareholders and potential investors of the Company should note that the Rights Issue is conditional upon, among others, the Underwriting Agreement having become unconditional and the Underwriters not having terminated the Underwriting Agreement in accordance with the terms thereof (a summary of which is set out in the sections headed “Conditions precedent of the Rights Issue and the Underwriting Agreement” and “Termination of the Underwriting Agreement” in the Circular). Accordingly, the Rights Issue may or may not proceed.**

**Any Shareholder or other person dealing in the Shares and/or the Nil-Paid Rights up to the date on which all the conditions to which the Rights Issue are fulfilled or waived (as applicable) (and the date on which the Underwriters’ right of termination of the Underwriting Agreement ceases) will accordingly bear the risk that the Rights Issue may not become unconditional or may not proceed.**

**Shareholders and potential investors of the Company are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the Shares and/or the Nil-Paid Rights. Any party (including Shareholders and potential investors of the Company) who is in any doubt about his/her/its position or any action to be taken is recommended to consult his/her/its own professional adviser(s).**

By order of the Board  
**Classified Group (Holdings) Limited**  
**WONG Arnold Chi Chiu**  
*Chairman and Executive Director*

Hong Kong, 18 August 2023

*As at the date of this announcement, the executive directors of the Company are Mr. WONG Arnold Chi Chiu, Mr. PONG Kin Yee and Mr. LI Kai Leung and the independent non-executive directors of the Company are Dr. CHAN Kin Keung Eugene, Mr. NG Chun Fai Frank and Mr. YUE Man Yiu Matthew.*

*This announcement, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the GEM Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Company. The Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that to the best of their knowledge and belief the information contained in this announcement is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this announcement misleading.*

*The Directors jointly and severally accept full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in this announcement and confirm, having made all reasonable enquiries, that to the best of their knowledge, opinions expressed in this announcement have been arrived at after due and careful consideration and there are no other facts not contained in this announcement, the omission of which would make any statement in this announcement misleading.*

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