

IMPORTANT NOTICE

1. The unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial information for the six-month period ended 30 June 2025 of the Company is prepared in accordance with the International Accounting Standard 34. The condensed consolidated interim financial information in this report is unaudited.
2. Progress on continuous promotion of "enhancing quality and efficiency and emphasising return"

The Company adheres to the principle of "enhancing quality and efficiency and emphasising return". In the first half of 2025, the Company completely, accurately, and comprehensively implemented the new development principles, resolutely fulfilled its responsibilities in building China's strength in cyberspace, science and technology, Digital China, as well as safeguarding network and information security. By accurately grasping the trends in sci-tech innovation and industrial development, the Company fully embraced artificial intelligence, promoted the upgrade of its corporate strategy from "Cloudification and Digital Transformation" to "Cloudification, Digital Transformation and AI for Good", and continuously advanced its high-quality development. For details, please refer to "Management's Discussion and Analysis" in this report.

3. The profit distribution proposal or proposal for conversion of capital reserve into share capital for the Reporting Period approved by the Board

After fully considering actual conditions such as the Company's cash flow level and shareholders' cash return requirements, the twenty-first meeting of the eighth session of the Board of the Company decided to distribute the interim dividend for 2025 to all shareholders in the aggregate amount of RMB16.58 billion, representing 72% of the profit attributable to equity holders of the Company in the amount of RMB23.02 billion. Based on the total share capital registered on the record date for the dividend distribution, and based on the Company's total share capital of 91,507,138,699 shares as at 30 June 2025, a dividend of RMB0.1812 per share (equivalent to HK\$0.199264) (pre-tax) was declared and will be paid to all shareholders. In case of any change in the total number of issued share capital of the Company before the record date for the implementation of the dividend distribution, the total distribution amount will remain unchanged, and the distribution amount per share will be adjusted accordingly.

The Board has been authorised by shareholders at the annual general meeting for the year 2024 to decide on the profit distribution proposal and the resolution for the proposed interim dividend was considered and approved at the twenty-first meeting of the eighth session of the Board of the Company on 14 August 2025.

4. Risk Statement of Forward-Looking Statements

Forward-looking statements, such as development strategies, future business plans and prospects, contained in the 2025 interim report of the Company do not constitute a commitment of the Company to investors. These forward-looking statements are subject to known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors which may cause the Company's actual performance, financial condition or results of operations to be materially different from any future performance, financial condition or results of operations implied by such forward-looking statements. In addition, the Company will not update these forward-looking statements. Investors should be aware of the investment risks.

5. Significant Risk Warning

The Company has described in detail risks of adapting to economic and policy environment, risks relating to sci-tech innovation, network and data security risks, risks from strategic emerging businesses and future industries and operational risks of international business in this report. Please refer to "Management's Discussion and Analysis" in this report.