

China Telecom Honored with “Asia’s Best CSR” Award by *Corporate Governance Asia* for 7 Consecutive Years

Hong Kong, August 4, 2026 — The prestigious corporate governance magazine *Corporate Governance Asia* has announced the winners of its “Asian Excellence Award 2026.” China Telecom Corporation Limited (“China Telecom” or the “Company”) was honored with the “Asia’s Best CSR” award for the 7th consecutive year, along with multiple accolades for corporate governance:

- **Asia’s Best CSR**
- **Sustainable Asia Award**
- **Best Investor Relations Team**
- **Best Corporate Communications**
- **Best Environmental Responsibility**



Since its inception in 2011, the “Asian Excellence Awards” has been known for its rigorous and professional evaluation criteria. Spanning multiple countries and regions across Asia, it has become a highly influential and authoritative distinction in the field of corporate governance. By recognizing benchmark enterprises that demonstrate outstanding operational performance, actively fulfil social responsibilities, and lead sustainable development through concrete actions, the award aims to encourage companies across the region to pursue excellence and promote high-quality growth.

China Telecom’s continued success in *Corporate Governance Asia*’s “Asian Excellence Awards” over the years highlights the high level of recognition by international professional institutions for the Company’s long-term development philosophy and achievements in social responsibility practices. Upholding the philosophy of “AI for an Inclusive Future”, the Company integrates sustainable development into its governance. Focusing on national strategies, shareholder returns, customer value, employee growth, environmental protection, and public welfare and charity, it deepens responsibility performance with digital and intelligent empowerment as the engine, green and secure development as the bottom line, inclusiveness and sharing as the guide, and modernisation of governance as the support. By deeply engaging in livelihood services, empowering all industries, and bringing together partners to jointly cultivate an open and win-win ecosystem, the Company continuously contributes to the achievement of the UN SDGs and the coordinated development of the economy, society and environment.

- END -

For press enquiries:

China Telecom Corporation Limited
Investor Relations Department
IR Enquiry: (852) 2582-0388
Email: ir@chinatelecom-h.com
Fax: (852) 2877-0988