YANGZIJIANG SHIPBUILDING (HOLDINGS) LTD.

(Company Registration No. 200517636Z)

(Incorporated in the Republic of Singapore on 21 December 2005)

NOTICE OF EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Eighteenth Annual General Meeting of the Company will be held at The SingPost Auditorium, Singapore Post Centre, 10 Eunos Road 8 #05-30, Singapore 408600 on Thursday, 25 April 2024 at 3 p.m. to transact the following business:-

ORDINARY BUSINESS

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2023 together with the Directors' Statements and the Auditors' Report thereon. **(Resolution 1)**
- To declare a tax exempt (one-tier) final dividend of S\$0.065 per ordinary share in respect of the financial year ended 31 December 2023. (Resolution 2)
- To approve the proposed Directors' fees of S\$342,000 for the financial year ended 31 December 2023.
 (2022: S\$290,333)
 (Resolution 3)
- 4. To re-elect Mr Yee Kee Shian, Leon, who is retiring by rotation pursuant to Regulation 94 of the Company's Constitution. [See Explanatory Note (a)] (Resolution 4)
- 5. To re-elect Ms Liu Hua, who is retiring by rotation pursuant to Regulation 94 of the Company's Constitution. [See Explanatory Note (b)] (Resolution 5)
- 6. To re-appoint Messrs PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as Auditors and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration. (Resolution 6)

SPECIAL BUSINESS

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following as Ordinary Resolutions with or without modifications:

7. AUTHORITY TO ALLOT AND ISSUE SHARES

THAT pursuant to Section 161 of the Companies Act 1967 and the listing rules of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited ("**SGX-ST**"), authority be and is hereby given to the Directors of the Company to:

- (a) (i) issue ordinary shares in the capital of the Company ("**Shares**") whether by way of rights, bonus or otherwise; and/or
 - (ii) make or grant offers, agreements or options (collectively, "Instruments") that might or would require Shares to be issued, including but not limited to the creation and issue of (as well as adjustments to) warrants, debentures or other instruments convertible into Shares,

at any time and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes and to such persons as the Directors may, in their absolute discretion, deem fit; and

(b) issue Shares in pursuance of any Instruments made or granted by the Directors while such authority was in force (notwithstanding that such issue of Shares pursuant to the Instruments may occur after the expiration of the authority contained in this resolution),

provided that:

- (1) the aggregate number of the Shares to be issued pursuant to such authority (including the Shares to be issued in pursuance of Instruments made or granted pursuant to such authority), does not exceed 50% of the total number of issued Shares (as calculated in accordance with paragraph (2) below), and provided further that where shareholders of the Company are not given the opportunity to participate in the same on a pro-rata basis, then the Shares to be issued under such circumstances (including the Shares to be issued in pursuance of Instruments made or granted pursuant to such authority) shall not exceed 20% of the total number of issued Shares (as calculated in accordance with paragraph (2) below);
- (2) (subject to such manner of calculation as may be prescribed by the SGX-ST) for the purpose of determining the aggregate number of the Shares that may be issued under paragraph (1) above, the total number of issued Shares shall be based on the issued Shares of the Company (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) at the time such authority was conferred, after adjusting for:
 - (a) new Shares arising from the conversion or exercise of any convertible securities;
 - (b) new Shares arising from exercising of share options or the vesting of share awards which are outstanding or subsisting at the time such authority was conferred; and
 - (c) any subsequent bonus issue, consolidation or subdivision of the Shares;

and, in relation to an Instrument, the number of Shares shall be taken to be that number as would have been issued had the rights therein been fully exercised or effected on the date of the making or granting of the Instrument;

- (3) in exercising the authority conferred by this Resolution, the Company shall comply with the requirements imposed by the SGX-ST from time to time and the provisions of the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST for the time being in force (in each case, unless such compliance has been waived by the SGX-ST), all applicable legal requirements under the Companies Act and otherwise, and the Constitution of the Company for the time being; and
- (4) (unless revoked or varied by the Company in a general meeting) the authority so conferred shall continue in force until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company or the date by which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by law to be held, whichever is earlier. [See Explanatory Note (c)]

(Resolution 7)

8. **RENEWAL OF SHARE PURCHASE MANDATE**

THAT:

- (a) the exercise by the Directors of the Company of all the powers of the Company to purchase or otherwise acquire issued Ordinary Shares not exceeding in aggregate the Maximum Limit (as hereafter defined), at such price or prices as may be determined by the Directors of the Company from time to time up to the Maximum Price (as hereafter defined), whether by way of:
 - (i) market purchase(s) on the SGX-ST ("**Market Purchase**"); and/or
 - (ii) off-market purchase(s) (if effected otherwise than on the SGX-ST) in accordance with any equal access scheme(s) as may be determined or formulated by the Directors of the Company as they consider fit, which scheme(s) shall satisfy all the conditions prescribed by the Companies Act ("Off-Market Purchase");

and otherwise in accordance with all other laws and regulations and rules of the SGX-ST as may for the time being be applicable, be and is hereby authorised and approved generally and unconditionally (the "**Share Purchase Mandate**"),

- (b) unless varied or revoked by the Company in general meeting, the authority conferred on the Directors of the Company pursuant to the Share Purchase Mandate may be exercised by the Directors of the Company at any time and from time to time during the period commencing from the date of the passing of this Resolution and expiring on the earlier of:
 - (i) the date on which the next annual general meeting of the Company is held; or
 - (ii) the date by which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by law to be held; or
 - (iii) the date on which the purchases or acquisitions of the Shares pursuant to Share Purchase Mandate are carried out to the full extent mandated.
- (c) in this Resolution:

"**Maximum Limit**" means that number of issued Ordinary Shares representing 10% of the total number of the issued Ordinary Shares as at the date of the passing of this Resolution (excluding the Ordinary Shares held in treasury and subsidiary holdings as at that date);

"**Maximum Price**", in relation to an Ordinary Share to be purchased or acquired, means the purchase price (excluding brokerage, commission, applicable goods and services tax and other related expenses) which shall not exceed: -

- (i) in the case of a Market Purchase, 105% of the Average Closing Price (as defined hereinafter); and
- (ii) in the case of an Off-Market Purchase, 120% of Average Closing Price (as defined hereinafter), pursuant to an equal access scheme;

"Average Closing Price" means the average of the closing market prices of a Share for the five [5] consecutive Market Days on which the Shares are transacted on the SGX-ST immediately preceding the date of Market Purchase by the Company or, as the case may be, the date of the making of the offer pursuant to the Off-Market Purchase, and deemed to be adjusted in accordance with the Listing Rules for any corporate action which occurs after the relevant five [5] Market Days;

"date of the making of the offer" means the date on which the Company announces its intention to make an offer for an Off-Market Purchase, stating therein the purchase price (which shall not be more than the Maximum Price for an Off-Market Purchase calculated on the foregoing basis) for each Share and the relevant terms of the equal access scheme for effecting the Off-Market Purchase; and

(d) the Directors of the Company and/or any of them be and are hereby authorised to complete and do all such acts and things (including executing such documents as may be required) as they and/or he may consider expedient or necessary to give effect to the transactions contemplated and/or authorised by this Resolution. [See Explanatory Note [d]]

(Resolution 8)

9. To transact any other business which may be properly transacted at an Annual General Meeting.

By Order of the Board

Lee Wei Hsiung Company Secretary 9 April 2024 Singapore

Explanatory Notes:

(a) Detailed information on Mr Yee Kee Shian, Leon, who is seeking re-election as a Director of the Company, is under "Board of Directors" section on page 14 and "Disclosure of information on seeking re-election pursuant to Rule 720(6) of the Listing Rules of the SGX-ST" on pages 82 to 87 of the Annual Report.

Mr Yee Kee Shian, Leon will, upon re-election as a Director of the Company, remain as the Chairman of the Nominating Committee and a member of the Audit Committee and will be considered independent for the purpose of Rule 704(8) of the Listing Manual. There are no relationships (including immediate family relationships) between Mr Yee Kee Shian, Leon and the other Directors, or the Company, or its substantial shareholders.

(b) Detailed information on Ms Liu Hua, who is seeking re-election as a Director of the Company, is under "Board of Directors" section on page 15 and "Disclosure of information on seeking re-election pursuant to Rule 720(6) of the Listing Rules of the SGX-ST" on pages 88 to 94 of the Annual Report.

Ms Liu Hua will, upon re-election as a Director of the Company, remain as the Member of the Remuneration, Nominating and Audit Committees. There are no relationships (including immediate family relationships) between Ms Liu Hua and the other Directors, or the Company, or its substantial shareholders.

- (c) The proposed Ordinary Resolution 7, if passed, will empower the Directors of the Company from the date of the above meeting to issue shares in the Company up to an amount not exceeding in total 50% of the total number of issued shares in the capital of the Company with a sub-limit of 20% other than on a pro-rata basis to shareholders for the time being for such purposes as they consider would be in the interest of the Company. The authority will, unless previously revoked or varied at a general meeting, expire at the next annual general meeting of the Company.
- (d) The proposed Ordinary Resolution 8, if passed, will empower the Directors of the Company from the date of the above meeting until the date of the next annual general meeting of the Company to purchase or acquire up to 10% of the issued ordinary share capital (excluding the shares held in treasury and subsidiary holdings) of the Company as at the date of the passing of this Resolution. Details of the proposed Share Purchase Mandate are set out in the Appendix to the Annual Report which is available online for information.
 - (i) As of the date of this Notice of the AGM, the Company has not engaged in any share purchases since the last annual general meeting.
 - (ii) The amount of financing required for the Company to further purchase or acquire its shares, and the impact on the Company's financial position, cannot be ascertained as at the date of this Notice of the AGM as this will depend on the number of the shares purchased or acquired and the price at which such shares were purchased or acquired.
 - (iii) The financial effects of the purchase or acquisition of shares by the Company pursuant to the proposed Share Purchase Mandate on the Group's audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2023 are set out in the Appendix to the Annual Report and are for illustration only.

NOTES:

- 1. Members of the Company are invited to attend physically at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting ("AGM"). There will be no option for members to participate virtually. This Notice of AGM and the proxy form will be published on the Company's website at URL www.yzjship.com and on SGXNet at the URL <u>https://www.sgx.com/securities/company-announcements</u>. For convenience, printed copies of this Notice of AGM and the proxy form ("Proxy Form") will also be sent by post to members. Printed copies of the Annual Report will not be sent to shareholders. Shareholders who wish to receive a printed copy of the Annual Report should request the same via email to <u>yangzijiang.sg@yzjship.com</u>.
- Members (including Central Provident Fund Investment Scheme investors ("CPFIS Investors") and/or Supplementary Retirement Scheme investors ("SRS Investors")) may participate in the AGM by:
 - (a) attending the AGM in person;
 - (b) raising questions at the AGM or submitting questions in advance of the AGM; and/or
 - (c) voting at the AGM
 - (i) themselves personally; or
 - (ii) through their duly appointed proxy(ies).

CPFIS Investors and SRS Investors who wish to appoint the Chairman of the AGM (and not third-party proxy(ies)) as proxy should approach their respective CPF Agent Banks or SRS Operators to submit their votes by 3 p.m. on 16 April 2024, being seven (7) working days prior to the date of the AGM.

- 3. A Depositor (as defined in Section 81SF of the Securities and Futures Act 2001 of Singapore) shall not be regarded as a member of the Company entitled to attend the AGM and to speak and vote thereat unless his name appears on the Depository Register at least 72 hours before the AGM. Depositors who are individuals and who wish to attend the AGM in person need not take any further action and can attend and vote at the AGM without the lodgement of any Proxy Form.
- 4. Please bring along your NRIC/passport so as to enable the Company to verify your identity. Members are requested to arrive early to facilitate the registration process and are advised not to attend the AGM if they are feeling unwell. Members are strongly encouraged to exercise social responsibility to rest at home and consider appoint a proxy(ies) to attend the Meeting. We encourage members to mask up when attending the AGM.

5. Question and answer

Investors holding shares through relevant intermediaries (other than CPF/SRS investors) who wish to participate in the AGM by (a) attending the AGM in person; (b) submitting questions to the Company in advance of, or at, the AGM; and/or (c) voting at the AGM, should contact the relevant intermediary through which they hold such Shares as soon as possible in order for the necessary arrangements to be made for their participation in the AGM.

Shareholders, including CPF and SRS investors are also encouraged to submit questions related to the resolutions to be tabled for approval at the AGM in advance of the AGM and must take the following manner no later than seven [7] working days in advance of the AGM (i.e. by 3 p.m. on 16 April 2024):

- (a) By e-mail to kamal@financialpr.com.sg/zhouyan@financialpr.com.sg; or
- (b) If submitted by post, to be deposited at: 4 Robinson Road #04-01, The House of Eden, Singapore 048543 (Attn: Yangzijiang IR Team)

Shareholders who submit questions via email or by post to the Company must provide the following information:

- (i) the Shareholder's full name;
- (ii) the Shareholder's address; and
- (iii) the manner in which the Shareholder holds shares in the Company (e.g. via CDP, CPF or SRS).

The Board of Directors of the Company ("**Board**") will endeavour to address, during the AGM, substantial and relevant questions (as determined by the Board in its sole opinion) submitted by Participating Members. However, there may not be sufficient time to address all such questions.

The form of an instrument appointing a proxy ("Proxy Form"), which may be used to vote at the AGM, is released together with this Notice of AGM.

7. Voting

If a Shareholder wishes to appoint the Chairman of the AGM as proxy, such member (whether individual or corporate) must give specific instructions as to voting for, voting against, or abstentions from voting on, each resolution in the Proxy Form appointing the Chairman of the AGM as proxy. If no specific direction as to voting or abstentions from voting in respect of a resolution in the form of proxy, the appointment of the Chairman of the AGM as proxy for that resolution will be treated as invalid.

8. Appointment of Proxy(ies)

Shareholders who is not a relevant intermediary (as defined in Section 181 of the Companies Act 1967) is entitled to appoint not more than two proxies. Where such member's instrument appointing a proxy(ies) appoints more than one proxy, the proportion of the shareholding concerned to be represented by each proxy shall be specified in the instrument. Shareholders are requested to complete, sign and return the Proxy Form in accordance with the instructions printed thereon not less than seventy-two (72) hours before the time appointed for the AGM (i.e. by 3 p.m. on 22 April 2024) ("proxy form cut-off date/time") in the following manner:

- (a) By Post: To be deposited at the registered office of the Company at 9 Raffles Place #26-01 Republic Plaza Singapore 048619; or
- (b) By e-mail: To be emailed to yangzijiang.sg@yzjship.com (Attn: Yangzijiang Team).
- 9. A member who is a Relevant Intermediary is entitled to appoint more than two (2) proxies to attend, speak and vote at the AGM, but each proxy must be appointed to exercise the rights attached to a different share or shares held by such member. Where such member appoints more than two (2) proxies, the number and class of shares in relation to which each proxy has been appointed shall be specified in the form of proxy.
- 10. Persons who hold shares through relevant intermediaries
 - (a) Persons who hold shares through relevant intermediaries (as defined in Section 181 of the Companies Act 1967), other than those investors who holds shares under the Central Provident Fund Investment Scheme ("CPF Investor") and/or the Supplementary Retirement Scheme ("SRS Investor"), and who wish to participate in the AGM by (i) attending the AGM; (ii) submitting questions in advance of the AGM; and/or (iii) voting at the AGM, should contact the relevant intermediaries through which they hold such shares as soon as possible in order for the necessary arrangements to be made for their participation in the AGM.
 - (b) CPF Investors or SRS Investors (i) may vote at the AGM if they are appointed as proxies by their respective CPF Agent Banks or SRS Operators, and should contact their respective CPF Agent Banks or SRS Operators if they have any queries regarding their appointment as proxies; or (ii) may appoint the Chairman of the Meeting as proxy to vote on their behalf at the Annual General Meeting, in which case they should approach their respective CPF Agent Banks or SRS Operators to submit their votes by 3 p.m. on 16 April 2024.
 - (c) The Proxy Form is not valid for use by CPF Investors or SRS Investors and shall be ineffective for all intents and purposes if used or purported to be used by them.
- 11. The proxy, who is the Chairman of the Meeting, need not be a member of the Company.
- 12. The Proxy Form shall be under the hand of the member or by his/her attorney duly authorised in writing, or if the member is a corporation, under seal or under the hand of its attorney duly authorised in writing. The power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which the instrument of proxy is signed on behalf of the member or duly certified copy of that power of attorney or other authority (failing previous registration with the Company), shall be attached to the instrument of proxy.
- 13. A Depositor's name must appear on the Depository Register maintained by The Central Depository (Pte) Limited 72 hours before the time fixed for holding the AGM in order for the Depositor to be entitled to vote at the AGM.
- 14. For questions addressed during the AGM, the responses to such questions will be included in the minutes of the AGM which will be published on the Company's corporate website and on SGXNet within one month after the date of the AGM.

PERSONAL DATA PRIVACY

Where a member of the Company submits any question prior to or at the AGM or an instrument appointing a proxy[ies] and/or representative(s) to attend, speak and vote at the AGM and/or any adjournment thereof, a member of the Company [i] consents to the collection, use and disclosure of the member's personal data by the Company [or its agents] for the purpose of the processing and administration by the Company [or its agents] of proxies and representatives appointed for the AGM [including any adjournment thereof] and the preparation and compilation of the attendance lists, proxy lists, minutes and other documents relating to the AGM (including any adjournment thereof], and in order for the Company [or its agents] to comply with any applicable laws, listing rules, regulations and/or guidelines (collectively, the "**Purposes**"); (ii) warrants that where the member discloses the personal data of the member's proxy[ies] and/or representative(s) to the Company [or its agents] of the proxy[ies] and/or representative(s) to the collection, use and disclosure by the Company [or its agents] of the personal data of such proxy[ies] and/or representative(s) for the collection, use and disclosure by the Company [or its agents] of the personal data of such proxy[ies] and/or representative(s) for the Purposes, and [iii] agrees that the member will indemnify the Company in respect of any penalties, liabilities, claims, demands, losses and damages as a result of the member's breach of warranty.