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北京北辰實業股份有限公司
BEIJING NORTH STAR COMPANY LIMITED

(A sino-foreign joint venture joint stock limited company incorporated in the People's Republic of China)
(Stock Code: 588)

PROPOSED ELECTION OF INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND NOTICE OF THE FIRST EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF 2025

Beijing North Star Company Limited (the “**Company**”) will convene the first extraordinary general meeting of 2025 (the “**EGM**”) at the Meeting Room One at 12th Floor, Tower A, Hui Xin Building, No. 8 Bei Chen Dong Road, Chao Yang District, Beijing, the PRC at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, 24 January 2025. The notice convening the meeting is set out on pages 7 to 8 of this circular. Whether or not you are able to attend the EGM, you are requested to complete and return the enclosed proxy form for holders of H Shares in accordance with the instructions printed thereon. The proxy form for holders of H Shares should be returned to the H Share registrar of the Company, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong as soon as possible and in any event not less than 24 hours before the time fixed for holding the EGM (i.e. not later than 9:00 a.m. on 23 January 2025 (Hong Kong time)). Completion and return of the proxy form will not preclude you from attending and voting at the meeting. Should there be any discrepancies between the Chinese and English versions of this circular, the Chinese version shall prevail.

7 January 2025

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DEFINITIONS

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

“Articles of Association”	the existing articles of association of the Company
“A Share(s)”	domestic ordinary share(s) in the share capital of the Company with a nominal value of RMB1.00 each, which are listed on the Shanghai Stock Exchange (Stock Code: 601588)
“Board”	the board of Directors of the Company
“Company”	Beijing North Star Company Limited (北京北辰實業股份有限公司), a sino-foreign joint venture joint stock limited company incorporated in the PRC, whose A Shares and H Shares are listed and traded on the Shanghai Stock Exchange and the Stock Exchange respectively
“Director(s)”	the directors of the Company
“EGM”	the first extraordinary general meeting of 2025 of the Company to be held at the Meeting Room One at 12th Floor, Tower A, Hui Xin Building, No. 8 Bei Chen Dong Road, Chao Yang District, Beijing, the PRC at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, 24 January 2025
“EGM Notice”	the notice dated 7 January 2025 in relation to the convening of the EGM as set out on pages 7 to 8 of this circular
“Group”	the Company and its subsidiaries at the relevant time
“H Share(s)”	the overseas listed Share(s) in the share capital of the Company with a nominal value of RMB1.00 each, which are listed on the Stock Exchange (Stock Code: 588)
“Hong Kong”	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC
“Latest Practicable Date”	3 January 2025, being the latest practicable date for ascertaining certain information contained in this circular
“Listing Rules”	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange

DEFINITIONS

“PRC”	the People’s Republic of China, excluding Hong Kong, the Macau Special Administrative Region and Taiwan for the purpose of this circular
“RMB”	Renminbi, the lawful currency of the PRC
“SFO”	the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong), as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time
“Share(s)”	share(s) of nominal value of RMB1.00 each in the share capital of the Company
“Shareholder(s)”	holder(s) of Share(s)
“Stock Exchange”	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

LETTER FROM THE BOARD



北京北辰實業股份有限公司 BEIJING NORTH STAR COMPANY LIMITED

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The Board

Executive Directors

Mr. ZHANG Jie

Ms. LIANG Jie

Mr. YANG Hua-Sen

Ms. ZHANG Wen-Lei

Mr. HU Hao

Mr. WEI Ming-Qian

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Dr. CHOW Wing-Kin, Anthony

Mr. GAN Pei-Zhong

Mr. CHEN De-Qiu

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7 January 2025

To the Shareholders of the Company

Dear Sir or Madam,

PROPOSED ELECTION OF INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND NOTICE OF THE FIRST EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF 2025

1. INTRODUCTION

The main purpose of this circular is to provide you with information on matters in relation to proposed election of independent non-executive Director and to seek your approval of the ordinary resolution in relation to the matter at the EGM.

2. PROPOSED ELECTION OF INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Reference is made to the announcement of the Company dated 27 December 2024 in relation to the resignation of independent non-executive Director and proposed appointment of independent non-executive Director, Mr. CHEN De-Qiu tendered his resignation to the Board as the independent non-executive Director and from all other positions in each of the special committees under the Board.

LETTER FROM THE BOARD

The Board has approved the resolution on 27 December 2024 to nominate Ms. QIAN Ai-min (“**Ms. QIAN**”) as a candidate for independent non-executive Director of the tenth session of the Board for a term of office coinciding with that of the tenth session of the Board, and put forward the resolution with respect to proposed appointment of Ms. QIAN as an independent non-executive Director in the form of ordinary resolution at the EGM for the consideration of Shareholders.

The biographical details of Ms. QIAN are as follows:

Ms. QIAN Ai-min, aged 54, graduated from the University of International Business and Economics with a Ph.D. in Economics. She is a professor of accounting, a doctoral supervisor, a fellow member (non-practicing) of the Chinese Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and former Vice Dean of the Business School at the University of International Business and Economics. Currently, she serves as the Vice Dean of the Institute of Corporate Governance at the University of International Business and Economics, a member of the China National MPAcc Education Steering Committee, and the Vice President of the Digital Finance Branch of the China Pharmaceutical Accounting Association (中國醫藥會計學會數智財務分會). Ms. QIAN has extensive theoretical and practical experience in corporate financial management, corporate governance and other areas. From July 2021 to present, Ms. QIAN has served as an independent director of Seentao Technology Co., Ltd. (stock code: 833694, a company listed on NEEQ). From December 2022 to present, Ms. QIAN has served as an independent director of Yihai Kerry Arawana Holdings Co, Ltd. (stock code: 300999, a company listed on the Shenzhen Stock Exchange). She has also been an independent director of Beijing Tri-Prime Gene Pharmaceutical Co, Ltd. (stock code: 837344, a company listed on the Beijing Stock Exchange) from January 2024 to present.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Ms. QIAN has no interest in the Shares within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO. Save as disclosed above, as at the Latest Practicable Date, Ms. QIAN confirmed that (i) she did not hold any directorship in any public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong and/or overseas in the last three years, nor did she hold any other major appointments or professional qualifications; (ii) she did not hold any other position in the Company or other members of the Group; and (iii) she did not have any relationship with any Directors, senior management, substantial Shareholders or controlling Shareholders of the Company.

The term of office of Ms. QIAN will be the same as that of the tenth session of the Board. Her remuneration will be subject to the confirmation by the Shareholders at the annual general meeting of the Company.

Ms. QIAN has confirmed (i) her independence as regards each of the factors referred to in Rule 3.13(1) to (8) of the Listing Rules; (ii) that she had no past or present financial or other interest in the business of the Group or any connection with any core connected person (as defined in the Listing Rules) of the Company; and (iii) that there are no other factors that may affect her independence at the time of her appointment.

LETTER FROM THE BOARD

Save as disclosed above, as at the Latest Practicable Date, there is no other information which is required to be disclosed pursuant to any of the requirements of Rule 13.51(2) of the Listing Rules in relation to the election of Ms. QIAN as the new independent non-executive Director, and there are no other matters that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders.

3. EGM

The EGM Notice is set out on pages 7 to 8 of this circular for consideration of the resolution relating to the election of independent non-executive Director.

The Company will convene the EGM at Meeting Room One at 12th Floor, Tower A, Hui Xin Building, No. 8 Bei Chen Dong Road, Chao Yang District, Beijing, the PRC at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, 24 January 2025. Proxy forms for use by proxy of the holders of H Shares at the EGM are enclosed with this circular.

Shareholders whose names appear in the register of Shareholders after the close of office hours, i.e. 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, 21 January 2025 are entitled to attend and vote at the EGM. The register of Shareholders of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, 21 January 2025 to Friday, 24 January 2025 (both days inclusive), during which no transfer of the Shares will be registered. In order to determine the holders of H Shares entitled to attend and vote at the meeting, the holders of H Shares whose transfers have not been registered shall deposit the transfer documents together with the relevant share certificates at the Company's H share registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not later than 4:30 p.m. on Monday, 20 January 2025.

Whether or not you intend to attend the EGM, you are requested to complete and return the proxy form in accordance with the instructions printed thereon to the Company's H share registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shops 1712-1716, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not less than 24 hours before the time fixed for holding the EGM (i.e. not later than 9:00 a.m. on 23 January 2025 (Hong Kong time)).

4. VOTING BY WAY OF POLL

Pursuant to Article 75 of the Articles of Association, voting in the Shareholders' general meeting shall be conducted by way of poll in registered form.

Pursuant to Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules, all votes of the Shareholders at the Shareholders' general meeting will be taken by poll except where the chairman, in good faith, decides to allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter to be voted on by a show of hands. The Company will announce the results of the poll in the manner prescribed under Rules 13.39(5) and 13.39(5A) of the Listing Rules.

LETTER FROM THE BOARD

5. RECOMMENDATION

The Board believes that the resolution set out in the EGM Notice is in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Accordingly, the Board recommends all the Shareholders to vote in favour of the relevant resolution set out in the EGM Notice.

Yours faithfully,

By order of the Board

BEIJING NORTH STAR COMPANY LIMITED

HU Hao

Executive Director and Company Secretary

NOTICE OF THE FIRST EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF 2025



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ORDINARY RESOLUTION

To consider and approve the resolution on the election of Ms. QIAN Ai-min as an independent non-executive director of the tenth session of the board of directors of the Company.

By order of the board of directors
BEIJING NORTH STAR COMPANY LIMITED
HU Hao
Executive Director and Company Secretary

Beijing, the PRC, 7 January 2025

NOTICE OF THE FIRST EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF 2025

Notes:

1. Any shareholder of the Company (the “**Shareholder**”) entitled to attend and vote at the meeting mentioned above is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote at the meeting on his/her behalf in accordance with the articles of association of the Company. A proxy need not be a Shareholder of the Company.
2. In order to be valid, the proxy form for holders of H shares and, if such proxy form is signed by a person under a power of attorney or other authority on behalf of the appointer, a notarially certified copy of that power of attorney or authority shall be deposited with the Company’s H share registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shops 1712-1716, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen’s Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not less than 24 hours before the time fixed for holding the meeting (i.e. not later than 9:00 a.m. on 23 January 2025 (Hong Kong time)) or 24 hours before the time appointed for taking the poll.
3. A Shareholder or his proxy shall produce his own identity proof documentation when attending the meeting. A Shareholder attending the meeting in person shall produce (i) the document of his identity; and (ii) the evidence of his shareholding. A proxy who has been appointed to attend the meeting on behalf of others shall produce (i) the document of his identity; (ii) the proxy form; and (iii) the evidence of shareholding.

A corporate Shareholder shall be represented at the meeting by its legal representative, or the proxy appointed by the legal representative, or a proxy appointed by the board of directors or other governing bodies. If a corporate Shareholder appoints its legal representative to attend the meeting, the legal representative shall produce (i) the document of his identity; (ii) valid proof of his identity as a legal representative; and (iii) the evidence of shareholding. Where a proxy is appointed by the legal representative to attend the meeting on his behalf, the proxy shall produce (i) the document of his identity; (ii) the written proxy form duly issued by the legal representative of the corporate Shareholder; and (iii) the evidence of shareholding. Where a proxy is appointed to attend the meeting by the board of directors or other governing bodies of the corporate Shareholder, the proxy shall produce (i) the document of his identity; (ii) a notarially certified copy of the resolution or power of attorney of the corporate Shareholder; and (iii) the evidence of shareholding.

4. The register of Shareholders of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, 21 January 2025 to Friday, 24 January 2025 (both days inclusive), during which no transfer of the Company’s shares will be registered. In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the EGM, all completed transfer documents relating to H shares, accompanied by the relevant share certificates, must be lodged with the H share registrar of the Company, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shops 1712-1716, 17/F, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen’s Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not later than 4:30 p.m. on Monday, 20 January 2025.
5. Shareholders whose names appear in the register of Shareholders after the close of office hours, i.e. 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, 21 January 2025 are entitled to attend and vote at the meeting.
6. Pursuant to Rule 13.39(4) of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “**Listing Rules**”), all votes of the Shareholders at the Shareholders’ general meeting will be taken by poll except where the chairman, in good faith, decides to allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter to be voted on by a show of hands. The Company will announce the results of the poll in the manner prescribed under Rules 13.39(5) and 13.39(5A) of the Listing Rules.
7. The EGM is not expected to take more than half a day. Shareholders or their proxies shall be responsible for their own travel and accommodation expenses.
8. Information of the resolution in this notice is set out in the circular dated 7 January 2025 dispatched to the Shareholders.
9. Should there be any discrepancies between the Chinese and English versions of this notice, the Chinese version shall prevail.
10. As at the date of this notice, the board of directors comprises nine directors, of which Mr. ZHANG Jie, Ms. LIANG Jie, Mr. YANG Hua-Sen, Ms. ZHANG Wen-Lei, Mr. HU Hao and Mr. WEI Ming-Qian are executive directors and Dr. CHOW Wing-Kin, Anthony, Mr. GAN Pei-Zhong and Mr. CHEN De-Qiu are independent non-executive directors.