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NOTICE OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

We invite our shareholders to the Fourth Annual General Meeting of Tan Chong International Limited to be held at Qin Room, The Dynasty Club, 7/F South West Tower, Convention Plaza, 1 Harbour Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong, on Tuesday, 22 May 2001, at 3:00 p.m..

AGENDA

1. To receive and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2000 and the reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon.
2. To declare a final dividend.
3. To re-elect Directors.
4. To authorise Directors to fix Directors' remuneration.
5. To re-appoint KPMG as Auditors and authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration.
6. As special business, to consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolutions:-

(A) **As Ordinary Resolution No. 1**

“That:-

- (i) Subject to paragraph (iii) below, the exercise by the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue or otherwise deal with any unissued shares in the capital of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and/or options which may require the exercise of such powers

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be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (ii) the approval in paragraph (i) above shall be in addition to any other authorisation given to the Directors of the Company and shall authorise the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and/or options which may require the exercise of such power after the end of the Relevant Period;

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- (iii) the aggregate nominal amount of unissued shares in the capital of the Company which may be allotted, issued or otherwise dealt with by the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period pursuant to paragraph (i) above, otherwise than pursuant to a Rights Issue or the exercise of subscription rights attaching to any warrants issued by the Company, shall not exceed the aggregate of 20 per cent of the aggregate nominal amount of shares in the capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing this Resolution;

- (iv) for the purpose of this Resolution:-
 - (a) “Relevant Period” means the period from the passing of this Resolution until whichever is the earlier of:-
 - (1) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
 - (2) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by law or the bye-laws of the Company to be held; and
 - (3) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting; and

 - (b) “Rights Issue” means an offer of shares in the capital of the Company open for a period fixed by the Directors of the Company to holders of shares in the capital of the Company whose names appear on the Register of Members on a fixed record date in proportion to their holdings of shares (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the Directors of the Company may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange in any territory outside Hong Kong).”

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(B) As Ordinary Resolution No. 2

“That:-

- (i) subject to paragraph (ii) below, the exercise by the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to repurchase shares of the Company on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited or on any other stock exchange on which the shares may be listed and recognised for this purpose by the Securities and Futures Commission and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited under the Hong Kong Code on Share Repurchases and, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (ii) the aggregate nominal amount of the Shares which may be repurchased pursuant to the approval in paragraph (i) above shall not exceed 10 per cent of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue at the date of passing of this Resolution, and the said approval shall be limited accordingly;
- (iii) subject to the passing of each of the paragraphs (i) and (ii) of this Resolution, any prior approvals of the kind referred to in paragraphs (i) and (ii) of this Resolution which had been granted to the Directors and which are still in effect be and are hereby revoked; and
- (iv) for the purpose of this Resolution:-

“Relevant Period” means the period from the passing of this Resolution until whichever is the earlier of:-

- (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (b) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by law or the bye-laws of the Company to be held; and
- (c) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting.”

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(C) **As Ordinary Resolution No. 3**

“**That** conditional upon the passing of the Ordinary Resolutions numbered 1 and 2 as set out in the notice of this meeting, the general mandate granted to the Directors of the Company to exercise the powers of the Company to allot, issue and otherwise deal with additional shares of the Company pursuant to the Ordinary Resolution numbered 1 set out in the notice convening this meeting be and is hereby extended by the addition to the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company which may be allotted by the Directors pursuant to such general mandate an amount representing the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company repurchased by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to Resolution numbered 2 above, provided that such amount shall not exceed 10 per cent of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue at the date of passing of this Resolution.”

By Order of the Board
Teo Siok Ghee
Company Secretary
Hong Kong, 27 March 2001

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Notes:

- (i) A member entitled to attend and vote at the above meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy or proxies to attend and vote for him in accordance with the bye-laws of the Company. A proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company.
- (ii) In the case of joint holders, the vote of the senior who tenders a vote, whether in person or by proxy, will be accepted to the exclusion of the vote(s) of the other joint holder(s) and for this purpose, seniority shall be determined by the order in which the names stand in the Register of Members in respect of the joint holding.
- (iii) In order to be valid, a form of proxy must be deposited at Unit 3001, 30th Floor, Shui On Centre, 6-8 Harbour Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong, together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed (or a certified copy thereof) not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the above meeting or any adjournment thereof.

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- (iv) The Transfer Books and Register of Members will be closed from 16 May 2001 to 22 May 2001, both days inclusive, during which period no share transfers can be registered.

Tan Chong International Limited

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)