

## EXPECTED TIMETABLE

If there is any change in the following expected timetable of the Hong Kong Public Offering, the Company will issue an announcement in Hong Kong to be published in English in the *South China Morning Post* and in Chinese in the *Hong Kong Economic Times*<sup>(1)</sup>.

Latest time for lodging **white** and **yellow**

Application Forms and giving **electronic**

**application instructions** to HKSCC<sup>(2)</sup> . . . . . 12:00 noon on Tuesday, 11 December 2007

Application lists open<sup>(3)</sup> . . . . . 11:45 a.m. on Tuesday, 11 December 2007

Application lists close<sup>(3)</sup> . . . . . 12:00 noon on Tuesday, 11 December 2007

Expected Price Determination Date . . . . . Tuesday, 11 December 2007

Announcement of the Offer Price, the indication of the level of interest in the International Placing, the results of applications in the Hong Kong Public Offering and the basis of allotment of the Hong Kong Offer Shares to be published in the *South China Morning Post* (in English) and the *Hong Kong Economic Times* (in Chinese) on or before . . . . . Wednesday, 19 December 2007

Results of allocations of the Hong Kong Public Offering to be made available through a variety of channels as described in the section headed “How to Apply for The Hong Kong Offer Shares – 7. Publication of Results” in this prospectus from . . . . . Wednesday, 19 December 2007

Despatch of share certificates on or before<sup>(4)</sup> . . . . . Wednesday, 19 December 2007

Despatch of refund cheques on or before<sup>(4)</sup> . . . . . Wednesday, 19 December 2007

Dealings in Shares on the Stock Exchange expected to commence on . . . . . Thursday, 20 December 2007

- (1) All times refer to Hong Kong local time, except as otherwise stated. Details of the structure of the Global Offering, including its conditions, are set out in the section headed “Structure of the Global Offering”.
- (2) Applicants who apply by giving **electronic application instructions** to HKSCC should refer to the paragraph entitled “III. Applying by Giving Electronic Application Instructions to HKSCC” under the section headed “How to Apply for the Hong Kong Offer Shares”.
- (3) If there is a “black” rainstorm warning or a tropical cyclone warning signal number eight or above in force in Hong Kong at any time between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon on Tuesday, 11 December 2007, the application lists will not open on that day. Further information is set out in the paragraph headed “Effect of bad weather on the opening of the application lists” under the section headed “How to Apply for the Hong Kong Offer Shares”.

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- (4) Refund cheques will be issued in respect of wholly or partially unsuccessful applications and also in respect of successful applications in the event that the Offer Price is less than the initial offer price per Share payable on application. Applicants for 1,000,000 Hong Kong Offer Shares or more and who have indicated in their white Application Forms that they wish to collect refund cheques and/or share certificates personally from the Hong Kong Share Registrar may collect refund cheques (where applicable) and share certificates (where applicable) from Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, at Shops 1712-16, 17/F, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, 19 December 2007 or any other place and date notified by the Company in the newspapers as the place and date of despatch of share certificates/refund cheques. Individual applicants who opt for personal collection must not authorise any other person to make their collection on their behalf. Part of your Hong Kong Identity Card number/passport number, or, if you are joint applicants, part of the Hong Kong Identity Card number/passport number of the first-named applicant, provided by you may be printed on your refund cheque, if any. Such data would also be transferred to a third party for refund purpose. Your banker may require verification of your Hong Kong Identity Card number/passport number before encashment of your refund cheque. Inaccurate completion of your Hong Kong Identity Card number/passport number may lead to delay in encashment of or may invalidate your refund cheque. Corporate applicants which opt for personal collection must attend by their authorised representatives, each bearing a letter of authorisation from such corporation stamped with the corporation's chop. Both individuals and authorised representatives (if applicable) must produce, at the time of collection, evidence of identity acceptable to Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited. Applicants for 1,000,000 Hong Kong Offer Shares or more who have indicated in their yellow Application Forms that they wish to collect refund cheques personally from the Hong Kong Share Registrar may do so. The procedures for collection of refund cheques for yellow Application Form applicants are the same as those specified above for white Application Form applicants. Uncollected share certificates and refund cheques will be despatched by ordinary post at the applicants' own risk to the addresses specified in the relevant Application Forms. Further information is set out in the section headed "How to Apply for the Hong Kong Offer Shares – Methods of Applying for the Hong Kong Offer Shares".

**Share certificates will only become valid certificates of title if the Hong Kong Public Offering has become unconditional in all respects and the right of termination described in the section headed "Underwriting – Underwriting Arrangements – Grounds for Termination" has not been exercised, which is scheduled to occur at 8 a.m. on the Listing Date.**

For details of the structure of the Global Offering, including its conditions, you should refer to the section headed "Structure of the Global Offering".