## **Solemn Statement**

The Group hereby makes a further announcement for the record regarding the nuisance acts and intimidation carried out against CASH Group and our Chairman Mr. Bankee Kwan.

- (1) We are grateful to the Police for the perseverance and dedication shown in investigating the case, which involves criminal damage, intimidation, and malicious statements against the Group and our Chairman. Multiple suspects have been arrested in the past week.
- (2) As part of the investigation, the Police confirmed that the Group and our Chairman Mr. Bankee Kwan do not have any financial or related problems. It is surmised that the incident is the result of a Mainland China investor suffering investment losses. The Police will continue to investigate the case and it is possible that more people will be arrested.
- (3) The Board has confirmed that the case may be related to a Group subsidiary, which has absolutely no personal relationship with our Chairman. The Group hereby apologises to our Chairman for affecting his reputation.
- (4) As the case is still under investigation, the Group is not in a position to reveal more details. However, the situation now appears to be under control and the Group's daily operations have not been affected. The Group and Mr. Bankee Kwan confirm there are no financial problems, the Group is financially healthy, and business will be carried out and investments made as planned.
- (5) The Group is grateful to all our staff members, who responded responsibly and worked together to confront the violent acts. We would also like to thank our clients, partners, and friends for their sympathy, care, trust, and support for the Group and our Chairman in the past few days.
- (6) The Police think that there may be further nuisance acts, but the Group will not be afraid, not give in, nor compromise. We will fully cooperate with the Police to track down and capture the perpetrators and parties behind the scene to bring peace and order back to society. We hereby offer our apologies for any inconvenience that may be caused, if any.
- (7) We believe that Hong Kong is a lawful society and activities within our society must be conducted on a legal basis. The Group is convinced that justice will be served and truth prevail. We will never back down in the face of oppression from lawless and unreasonable persons who falsify the facts.

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