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Forgame Holdings Limited 雲遊控股有限公司 (Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability) (Stock Code: 00484)

# MAJOR AND CONNECTED TRANSACTION INVOLVING OFF-MARKET SHARE BUY-BACK

Independent Financial Adviser to the Independent Board Committee and the Independent Shareholders



#### THE TRANSFER

References are made to the Announcements in relation to the Acquisition, the nonfulfilment of the Profit Guarantee and the follow up actions taken by the Company.

On 12 November 2020 (after trading hours), among others, the Company, the Investor, Beijing Xigua, Shanghai Dacheng, the KongZhong Group and Guangzhou Feidong entered into the Transfer Agreement, pursuant to which: (i) the Company shall dispose of the 69.84% equity interest in Beijing Xigua to KongZhong China (or its designated third party) (i.e. the Equity Disposal) and the Consideration Shares shall be transferred from Shanghai Dacheng through the Escrow Agent to the Company (i.e. the Share Buy-back); and (ii) the Company shall assign the Outstanding Sum to KongZhong China (or its designated third party) (i.e. the Loan Assignment).

Completion is conditional upon, among other things, (i) the Executive having approved the Share Buy-back pursuant to Rule 2 of the Share Buy-back Code; (ii) the Company having sufficient lawfully available funds to effect the Share Buy-back; and (iii) the Independent Shareholders having approved the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder at the EGM. Upon Completion, pursuant to the Share Buy-back, the Consideration Shares will be cancelled and the number of Shares in issue following the Share Buy-back will be reduced from 159,379,238 (being the number of issued Shares as at the date of this announcement) to 137,110,330 and the shareholding interest of the Shareholders will be increased proportionally. The percentage interest of all other Shareholders in the issued Shares will be proportionally increased following the Share Buy-back as a result of the reduction in the number of issued Shares.

# **REGULATORY IMPLICATIONS**

#### Share Buy-back Code

The Share Buy-back constitutes an off-market share buy-back by the Company. The Company will make an application to the Executive for approval of the Share Buy-back pursuant to Rule 2 of the Share Buy-back Code. The Executive's approval, if granted, will normally be conditional upon, among other things, the approval of the Share Buy-back by at least three-fourths of the votes cast on a poll by the Independent Shareholders present in person or by proxy at the EGM.

## Listing Rules

As one or more of the applicable percentage ratios in respect of the Transfer exceed 25% but is less than 75%, the Transfer constitutes a major transaction of the Company under Chapter 14 of the Listing Rules. In addition, as at the date of this announcement, Beijing Xigua is a non-wholly owned subsidiary and Shanghai Dacheng is a substantial shareholder (as defined under the Listing Rules) of the Company, respectively. Accordingly, Shanghai Dacheng is a connected person of the Company. The Transfer therefore also constitutes a connected transaction for the Company and is therefore subject to the reporting, announcement, circular and Independent Shareholders' approval requirements under Chapters 14 and 14A of the Listing Rules.

# EGM

EGM will be held to consider and approve, among others, the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder.

# Voting

As at the date of this announcement, the KongZhong Group is interested in 32,471,076 Shares, representing approximately 20.37% of the issued share capital of the Company, of which KongZhong is interested in 10,202,168 Shares and Shanghai Dacheng is interested in 22,268,908 Consideration Shares, representing approximately 6.40% and 13.97% of the issued share capital of the Company, respectively. Save for these holdings, none of the members of the KongZhong Group or Shanghai Dacheng or parties acting in concert with any of them held any Shares as at the date of this announcement. By reason of the requirements of the Share Buy-back Code, the Takeovers Code and the Listing Rules, the KongZhong Group and Shanghai Dacheng will abstain from voting in the EGM. Save for these parties, to the best of the knowledge, information and belief of the Directors after making all reasonable enquiries, no other Shareholder is required to abstain from voting on the resolutions approving the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment).

# INDEPENDENT BOARD COMMITTEE AND INDEPENDENT FINANCIAL ADVISER

The Listing Rules IBC comprising all the independent non-executive Directors has been established under the Listing Rules to give recommendations to the Independent Shareholders as to whether the terms and conditions of the Transfer Agreement are on normal commercial terms, fair and reasonable, as well as how to vote on the resolution(s) to be proposed at the EGM in respect of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buyback and the Loan Assignment).

The Takeovers Code IBC comprising all the non-executive Director and independent nonexecutive Directors has been established under the Takeovers Code to give recommendations to the Independent Shareholders as to whether the terms and conditions of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment) are fair and reasonable so far as the Independent Shareholders are concerned, as well as how to vote on the resolution(s) to be proposed at the EGM in respect of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment).

Pelican Financial Limited, a licensed corporation under the SFO (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong) to carry out type 6 (advising on corporate finance) regulated activity, has been appointed as the Independent Financial Adviser by the Company with the approval of the Independent Board Committee to advise the Independent Board Committee and the Independent Shareholders in this regard.

# **DESPATCH OF CIRCULAR**

A circular containing, among other things (i) further details of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment); (ii) the letter from the Independent Board Committee giving its recommendation to the Independent Shareholders on the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment); (iii) the letter from the Independent Financial Adviser containing its advice to Independent Board Committee and the Independent Shareholders in the same regard; (iv) the notice of the EGM; and (v) other information as required under the Listing Rules, the Takeovers Code and the Share Buy-back Code will be despatched to the Shareholders on or before 2 December 2020 in accordance with the Listing Rules, the Takeovers Code and the Share Buy-back Code.

## GENERAL

Shareholders and potential investors of the Company should be aware that the Transfer is subject to a number of conditions being satisfied or waived (if applicable), including but not limited to the approval of the Share Buy-back by the Executive, and consequently the Transfer may or may not proceed. Accordingly, they are advised to exercise caution when they deal or contemplate dealing in the securities of the Company.

# BACKGROUND

References are made to the Announcements in relation to the Acquisition, the non-fulfilment of the Profit Guarantee and the follow up actions taken by the Company.

On 24 April 2019, among others, the Company, the Investor, Shanghai Dacheng, Beijing Xigua and the KongZhong Group entered into the Investment Agreement, pursuant to which (i) the Investor has conditionally agreed to subscribe for 9.30% equity interest in Beijing Xigua in the form of new registered capital for a consideration of RMB20,000,000 in cash; and (ii) Shanghai Dacheng has conditionally agreed to sell, and the Investor has conditionally agreed to acquire, 60.54% equity interest in Beijing Xigua for a consideration of RMB130,152,857 (in the form of 22,268,908 Consideration Shares), by way of the equity transfer. The Consideration Shares have been deposited into an escrow account managed by the Escrow Agent as designated by KongZhong. The consideration of the equity transfer abovementioned was satisfied by the allotment and issue of the Consideration Shares at the issue price of HK\$6.876 per Consideration Share. Completion of the Investment Agreement took place on 26 June 2019.

Under the Investment Agreement, the relevant actual net profits of Beijing Xigua for the period from 1 June 2019 to 31 December 2019, the year ending 31 December 2020 and the year ending 31 December 2021 should not be less than the relevant Thresholds. Otherwise, Shanghai Dacheng, the KongZhong Group and Beijing Xigua on a joint and several basis shall compensate for the shortfall by one of the following two options to be elected by the Company.

#### **Option** A

1 June 2019 to 31 December 2019

If Beijing Xigua fails to meet the Actual Net Profits in the sum of RMB43,000,000 during the period from 1 June 2019 to 31 December 2019, Beijing Xigua, Shanghai Dacheng and the KongZhong Group shall:

(i) compensate the Company on the shortfall to the Actual Net Profits in cash based on the following formula:

Amount of compensation in cash: (RMB43,000,000 – Actual Net Profits for the period from 1 June 2019 to 31 December 2019)/RMB157,000,000 × RMB20,000,000; and

(ii) have the actual number of the Consideration Shares to be released to Shanghai Dacheng by the Escrow Agent downward adjusted in accordance with the following formula:

Adjusted number of Consideration Shares to be cancelled = (RMB43,000,000 - Actual Net Profits for the period from 1 June 2019 to 31 December 2019)/ RMB157,000,000 × total number of Consideration Shares issued at the completion

Financial year ending 31 December 2020

If Beijing Xigua fails to meet the Actual Net Profits in the sum of RMB52,000,000 by 31 December 2020, Beijing Xigua, Shanghai Dacheng and the KongZhong Group shall:

(i) compensate the Company on the shortfall to the Actual Net Profits in cash based on the following formula:

Amount of compensation in cash: (RMB52,000,000 – Actual Net Profits for the financial year ending 31 December 2020)/RMB157,000,000 × RMB20,000,000; and

(ii) have the actual number of the Consideration Shares to be released to Shanghai Dacheng by the Escrow Agent downward adjusted in accordance with the following formula:

Adjusted number of Consideration Shares to be cancelled = (RMB52,000,000 - Actual Net Profits for the financial year ending 31 December 2020)/RMB157,000,000 × total number of Consideration Shares issued at the completion

Financial year ending 31 December 2021

If Beijing Xigua fails to meet the Actual Net Profits in the sum of RMB62,000,000 by 31 December 2021, Beijing Xigua, Shanghai Dacheng and the KongZhong Group shall:

(i) compensate the Company on the shortfall to the Actual Net Profits in cash based on the following formula:

Amount of compensation in cash: (RMB62,000,000 – Actual Net Profits for the financial year ending 31 December 2021)/RMB157,000,000 × RMB20,000,000; and

(ii) have the actual number of the Consideration Shares to be released to Shanghai Dacheng by the Escrow Agent downward adjusted in accordance with the following formula:

Adjusted number of Consideration Shares to be cancelled = (RMB62,000,000 - Actual Net Profits for the financial year ending 31 December 2021)/RMB157,000,000 × total number of Consideration Shares issued at the completion

#### **Option B**

1 June 2019 to 31 December 2019

If Beijing Xigua fails to meet the Actual Net Profits in the sum of RMB43,000,000 during the period from 1 June 2019 to 31 December 2019, Beijing Xigua, Shanghai Dacheng and the KongZhong Group shall pay to the Company, in readily available cash, the RMB equivalent of the amount determined by the following formula:

 $(RMB43,000,000 - Actual Net Profits for the period from 1 June 2019 to 31 December of 2019) \times percentage of equity interest of the Investor in Beijing Xigua as at 31 December 2019 <math>\times$  5

Financial year ending 31 December 2020

If Beijing Xigua fails to meet the Actual Net Profits in the sum of RMB52,000,000 by 31 December 2020, Beijing Xigua, Shanghai Dacheng and the KongZhong Group shall pay to the Company, in readily available cash, the RMB equivalent of the amount determined by the following formula:

 $(RMB52,000,000 - Actual Net Profits for the financial year ending 31 December 2020) \times percentage of equity interest of the Investor in Beijing Xigua as at 31 December 2020 <math>\times 5$ 

#### Financial year ending 31 December 2021

If Beijing Xigua fails to meet the Actual Net Profits in the sum of RMB62,000,000 by 31 December 2021, Beijing Xigua, Shanghai Dacheng and the KongZhong Group shall pay to the Company, in readily available cash, the RMB equivalent of the amount determined by the following formula:

 $(RMB62,000,000 - Actual Net Profits for the financial year ending 31 December 2021) \times percentage of equity interest of the Investor in Beijing Xigua as at 31 December 2021 <math>\times 5$ 

In the event that the Company opts for Option B, the total amount compensated to the Company and/or the Investor during the relevant guarantee period shall not exceed RMB150,152,857, being the amount of the Full Cash Compensation.

In addition, subsequent to completion of the Investment Agreement, as Beijing Xigua needed financing to open more stores to expand its business, the Loan Agreement was entered into, among others, Beijing Xigua and Guangzhou Feidong (a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company), pursuant to which Guangzhou Feidong agreed to grant the loan in the amount of no more than RMB53,000,000 to Beijing Xigua. Subsequently, the loan in the total amount

of RMB32,300,000 was granted by Guangzhou Feidong to Beijing Xigua, being RMB14,000,000 granted on 21 November 2019, RMB10,000,000 granted on 31 December 2019 and RMB8,300,000 granted on 7 March 2020. As at the date of this announcement, a sum of RMB4,222,400 has been repaid by Mr. Jiang and Mr. Sheng, the shareholders of Beijing Xigua who are jointly liable to certain extent for the repayment, and Beijing Xigua is still indebted to Guangzhou Feidong the Outstanding Sum.

As disclosed in the 2019 Annual Report, based on the management accounts of Beijing Xigua, Beijing Xigua recorded a loss for the period from 1 June 2019 to 31 December 2019, falling short of over RMB43,000,000 as compared to the relevant Actual Net Profit for such period of RMB43,000,000 as originally contemplated and guaranteed pursuant to the Investment Agreement. As a result of such non-fulfilment of the Profit Guarantee, the Company has elected to request Shanghai Dacheng, the KongZhong Group and Beijing Xigua for the Full Cash Compensation. As disclosed in the Announcement dated 10 March 2020, the Company has instructed its PRC legal adviser to issue a demand letter to Shanghai Dacheng, the KongZhong Group and Beijing Xigua demanding for the Full Cash Compensation.

As disclosed in the Announcement dated 23 October 2020, the Company was given to understand that Shanghai Dacheng and the KongZhong Group have difficulties in arranging for the Full Cash Compensation. Since the non-fulfilment of the Profit Guarantee, the parties to the Investment Agreement have held various rounds of negotiations and discussions to come to an amicable resolution of the matter. In particular, in light of the circumstances, together with the fact that all the Consideration Shares are currently being held under an escrow account managed by the Escrow Agent, the parties to the Investment Agreement have been contemplating a mutually agreeable and viable settlement plan which has eventuated into the Transfer Agreement involving (a) the unwinding of the Acquisition (by way of the Equity Disposal and the Share Buy-back); and (b) the Loan Assignment.

The Transfer Agreement was considered and regarded by the parties to the Investment Agreement as the optimal solution to resolve the long-standing issues associated with (a) the non-fulfilment of the Profit Guarantee; (b) the deteriorating operational performance of Beijing Xigua; and (c) the protection of the interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

#### THE TRANSFER AGREEMENT

On 12 November 2020 (after trading hours), among others, the Company, the Investor, Beijing Xigua, Shanghai Dacheng, the KongZhong Group and Guangzhou Feidong entered into the Transfer Agreement, pursuant to which: (i) the Company shall dispose of the 69.84% equity interest in Beijing Xigua to KongZhong China (or its designated third party) (i.e. the Equity Disposal) and the Consideration Shares shall be transferred from Shanghai Dacheng through the Escrow Agent to the Company (i.e. the Share Buy-back); and (ii) the Company shall assign the Outstanding Sum to KongZhong China (or its designated third party) (i.e. the Loan Assignment).

Set out below is the principal terms of the Transfer Agreement.

# Date

12 November 2020 (after trading hours)

# Parties

- (i) the Company;
- (ii) the Investor;
- (iii) the KongZhong Group;
- (iv) Shanghai Dacheng;
- (v) Beijing Xigua;
- (vi) Mr. Wang Leilei;
- (vii) Mr. Jiang;
- (viii) Mr. Sheng; and
- (ix) Guangzhou Feidong.

Shanghai Dacheng is a company incorporated in the PRC with limited liability and is owned as to 98.54% by KongZhong China by way of certain contractual arrangements, which is in turn wholly-owned by KongZhong.

As at the date of this announcement, the KongZhong Group is interested in 32,471,076 Shares, among which (a) Shanghai Dacheng is interested in 22,268,908 Consideration Shares being held in an account managed by the Escrow Agent; and (b) KongZhong is interested in 10,202,168 Shares, representing approximately 13.97% and 6.40% of the issued share capital of the Company, respectively. Accordingly, each of KongZhong and Shanghai Dacheng is a connected person of the Company.

#### Subject Matter

- (i) the disposal of the 69.84% equity interest in Beijing Xigua by the Company to KongZhong China (or its designated third party) (i.e. the Equity Disposal); and
- (ii) the assignment of the Outstanding Sum in the amount of RMB30,599,878 to KongZhong China (or its designated third party) originally due to Guangzhou Feidong (i.e. the Loan Assignment)

#### **Implied Transfer Consideration**

As disclosed in the paragraph headed "Background" in this announcement, Beijing Xigua was and is unable to fulfil the Profit Guarantee, and Beijing Xigua, Shanghai Dacheng and KongZhong Group are experiencing financial difficulties in payment of the Full Cash Compensation and the Outstanding Sum.

After rounds of negotiations and discussions between the relevant parties for the purpose of resolving all outstanding issues amicably which have eventuated to the Transfer Agreement:

- (a) KongZhong China has agreed to pay the Company in cash in the amount of RMB20,000,000, equivalent to the amount of consideration that the Company paid to subscribe for 9.30% equity interest in Beijing Xigua in the form of new registered capital under the Investment Agreement;
- (b) KongZhong China has agreed to pay the Company in cash in the amount of RMB5,519,280 for the Loan Assignment; and
- (c) Shanghai Dacheng shall through the Escrow Agent deliver 22,268,908 Consideration Shares to the Company for cancellation.
- ((a) and (b) collectively, the Cash Consideration)

As the Transfer Agreement aims to unwind the Acquisition, the implied Buy-back Price for transfer of the Consideration Shares is HK\$6.876, which is equivalent to the issue price per Consideration Share under the Investment Agreement.

The Implied Transfer Consideration is RMB155,672,137, which is equivalent to the sum of consideration for the Acquisition (i.e. RMB150,152,857) and consideration for the Loan Assignment (i.e. RMB5,519,280).

The implied Buy-back Price represents:

- (i) a premium of approximately 202% over the closing price of HK\$2.28 per Share as quoted on the Stock Exchange on the Last Trading Day;
- (ii) a premium of approximately 179% over the average closing price of approximately HK\$2.47 per Share for the last five trading days up to and including the Last Trading Day;
- (iii) a premium of approximately 177% over the average closing price of approximately HK\$2.48 per Share for the last ten trading days up to and including the Last Trading Day;
- (iv) a premium of approximately 165% over the average closing price of approximately HK\$2.59 per Share for the last 30 trading days up to and including the Last Trading Day;
- (v) a premium of approximately 134% over the average closing price of approximately HK\$2.94 per Share for the last 90 trading days up to and including the Last Trading Day;
- (vi) a premium of approximately 119% over the average closing price of approximately HK\$3.14 per Share for the last 180 trading days up to and including the Last Trading Day; and

(vii) a premium of approximately 76.3% over the unaudited consolidated net asset value attributable to the Shareholders of approximately HK\$4.5 per Share (based on the unaudited consolidated net assets attributable to the Shareholders as at 30 June 2020 of approximately RMB632,916,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$719,223,000 based on an exchange rate of RMB0.88: HK\$1) and 159,379,238 Shares in issue as at the date of this announcement.

The Cash Consideration of RMB25,519,280 shall be paid by KongZhong China (or its designated third party) in the following manner:

- (i) a sum of RMB1,000,000 in cash shall be paid within 10 days of the date where all the conditions precedent under the Transfer Agreement have been satisfied or waived (if applicable), or by the end of 31 December 2020, whichever is earlier;
- (ii) a sum of RMB2,519,280 in cash shall be paid by the end of 31 March 2021; and
- (iii) thereafter, a sum of RMB2,000,000 in cash shall be paid at least quarterly by the end of June, September, December and March per year starting from 2021 until the balance of RMB22,000,000 has been paid in full.

Among the 10,202,168 Shares that KongZhong is interested in as at the date of this announcement, 1,851,568 Shares (equivalent to approximately RMB4,221,575 calculated by using the closing price of HK\$2.28 per Share as quoted on the Stock Exchange on the Last Trading Day) has been agreed by the KongZhong Group to be delivered to a third party escrow agent jointly appointed by the KongZhong Group and the Company for security purpose that in the event of default in the payment of the Cash Consideration, such third party escrow agent is allowed to dispose of such 1,851,568 Shares and apply the sale proceeds to pay the relevant amount due.

#### **Conditions precedent**

The Completion is conditional upon the satisfaction of each of the following conditions precedent:

- (i) the parties to the Transfer Agreement having completed all necessary internal procedures to agree to the terms and conditions and approve the signing and execution of the Transfer Agreement;
- (ii) the Executive having approved the Share Buy-back pursuant to Rule 2 of the Share Buy-back Code (and such approval not having been withdrawn) and the condition(s) of such approval, if any, having been satisfied;
- (iii) the Executive having approved the Loan Assignment, which constitute a special deal in accordance with Rule 25 of the Takeovers Code (and such approval not having been withdrawn) and the condition(s) of such approval, if any, having been satisfied;
- (iv) the parties to the Transfer Agreement having obtained all necessary consent, approval or waivers from any government or regulatory authority, including the Stock Exchange and the SFC, or third parties in connection with the execution and performance of the

Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment), where required;

- (v) the approval of (a) each of the Equity Disposal and the Loan Assignment by a simple majority of the Independent Shareholders present at the EGM by poll in accordance with the Listing Rules; (b) the Loan Assignment by a simple majority of the Independent Shareholders present at the EGM by poll in accordance with the Takeovers Code; and (c) the Share Buy-back by at least three-fourths of the Independent Shareholders present at the EGM by poll, in accordance with the applicable requirements of the Listing Rules, Share Buy-back Code, Takeovers Code and other applicable laws and regulations;
- (vi) the Company having sufficient reserves in the form of capital and/or share premium in its accounts to effect the Share Buy-back;
- (vii) each of the warranties provided in the Transfer Agreement remaining true and accurate in all respects up to the Completion;
- (viii) the due performance and observance by Shanghai Dacheng, Beijing Xigua, the KongZhong Group, Mr. Wang Leilei, Mr. Jiang and Mr. Sheng of all their undertakings and obligations under the Transfer Agreement; and
- (ix) no challenge or threat to challenge with respect to nor litigation or investigation instituted in respect of the transactions contemplated under the Transfer Agreement.

Shanghai Dacheng, Beijing Xigua, the KongZhong Group, Mr. Wang Leilei, Mr. Jiang, and Mr. Sheng shall use their best endeavours to satisfy the above conditions precedent as soon as possible. Save and except for conditions (vii) and (viii) which can be waived unilaterally by the Company, none of the conditions precedent set out above is capable of being waived by the parties to the Transfer Agreement.

If any of the above conditions precedent cannot be fulfilled or waived by the Long Stop Date, and without affecting the liabilities of any party to another party to the Transfer Agreement for any antecedent breach of any terms thereof, the Transfer Agreement and any matters contained therein and the rights and obligations of the parties thereto shall be of no effect from the date following the Long Stop Date.

With reference to condition (iv), as at the date of this announcement and to the best knowledge of the Company, save for the requirements under conditions (ii), (iii) and (v), the Company is not aware of any necessary consents, authorisations, licences and/or approvals required to be obtained from any relevant government authorities or other relevant regulatory bodies for entering into and the implementation of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Share Buy-back).

In relation to condition (vi), as at the date of this announcement, the Company confirms that it has sufficient reserves in the form of capital and/or share premium in its accounts to effect the Share Buy-back and expects to continue to be so satisfied until Completion.

# Completion

Upon the satisfaction (or waiver, if applicable) of all of the conditions precedents as set out in the paragraph headed "Conditions precedent" above in this announcement:

- (a) the Loan Assignment shall take place immediately;
- (b) within two (2) days, Shanghai Dacheng shall deliver through the Escrow Agent the Consideration Shares to the Company for cancellation;
- (c) within five (5) days, the parties to the Transfer Agreement shall complete the relevant registration procedures for change (工商變更登記) with respect to the Equity Disposal (i.e. the Completion); and
- (d) within ten (10) business days (or a later day to be agreed between the Company and the KongZhong Group), the escrow arrangement with respect to the 1,851,568 Shares shall be completed.

Upon Completion, the parties to the Investment Agreement (including Shanghai Wangyu) and the Loan Agreement shall not be entitled to the rights given and be discharged from their respective obligations under the Investment Agreement and the Loan Agreement. KongZhong China (or its designated third party) shall continue to make payment for the Cash Consideration in accordance with the manner disclosed in the paragraph headed "Implied Transfer Consideration" above in this announcement until full payment.

#### EFFECTS ON THE SHAREHOLDING STRUCTURE OF THE COMPANY

The following table illustrates the Company's shareholding structure (i) as at the date of this announcement; and (ii) immediately after completion of the Share Buy-back, assuming there will be no other change in the issued share capital and the shareholding structure of the Company between the date of this announcement and the date on which the Share Buy-back is completed.

Name of Shareholder	As at the date of this announcement		Immediately after the completion of the Share Buy-back	
	v	Approximate	0	Approximate
	Shares held	%	Shares held	%
Foga Group Ltd. <sup>(1)(7)</sup>	21,673,338	13.60%	21,673,338	15.81%
WANG Dongfeng <sup>(2)</sup>	1,650,800	1.04%	1,650,800	1.20%
Foga Holdings Ltd. <sup>(1)</sup>	7,763,997	4.87%	7,763,997	5.66%
Subtotal — Foga Group Ltd. and				
its concert parties	31,088,135	19.51%	31,088,135	22.67%
Foga Internet Development Ltd. <sup>(4)</sup>	7,785,700	4.89%	7,785,700	5.68%
YANG Tao <sup>(5)(7)</sup>	1,340,000	0.84%	1,340,000	0.98%
Subtotal — Foga Internet Development Ltd. and its concert party	9,125,700	5.73%	9,125,700	6.66%
its concert party	9,129,700	5.1570	),123,700	0.00 //
KongZhong <sup>(3)</sup>	10,202,168	6.40%	10,202,168	7.44%
Shanghai Dacheng <sup>(3)</sup>	22,268,908	13.97%	0	0%
Subtotal — KongZhong and				
its concert party	32,471,076	20.37%	10,202,168	7.44%
China Create Capital Limited <sup>(6)</sup>	9,584,000	6.01%	9,854,000	6.99%
ZHANG Qiang <sup>(8)</sup>	93,333	0.06%	93,333	0.07
Other Shareholders	77,016,994	48.32%	77,016,994	56.17
Total	159,379,238	100%	137,110,330	100%

Notes:

(1) Foga Group Ltd. is wholly-owned by Managecorp Limited as the trustee of Wang Trust. Wang Trust is a discretionary trust set up by Mr. WANG Dongfeng, who is its settlor and protector, with Managecorp Limited as trustee on 15 March 2013. The beneficiary objects of Wang Trust include Mr. WANG Dongfeng and certain of his family members. Mr. WANG Dongfeng and Managecorp Limited are taken to be interested in 21,673,338 Shares held by Foga Group Ltd.. In addition, Foga Holdings Ltd. is wholly-owned by Managecorp Limited as the trustee of Hao Dong Trust. Hao Dong Trust is a discretionary trust set up by Mr. LIAO Dong, who is its settlor and protector, with Managecorp Limited

as trustee on 15 March 2013. The beneficiary object of Hao Dong Trust is Mr. LIAO Dong himself. Mr. LIAO Dong and Managecorp Limited are taken to be interested in 7,763,997 Shares held by Foga Holdings Ltd.

- (2) Mr. WANG Dongfeng was granted 500,000 RSUs under the RSU Scheme in 2016, all of which vested during the period from 1 December 2016 to 1 June 2018. Mr. WANG Dongfeng bought an aggregate of 850,800 Shares during the period from 26 June to 13 July 2017. He was further granted 300,000 RSUs under the RSU Scheme in 2018, 50,000 of which vested on 1 December 2018 and 250,000 of which were cancelled on 30 June 2019. The Company further granted 250,000 RSUs to Mr. WANG Dongfeng under the RSU Scheme in 2019, 50,000 of which vested on 1 July 2019 and 50,000 vested on 1 January 2020. Mr. WANG Dongfeng resigned from executive Director with effect from 30 September 2019. Given that 1 RSU represents 1 Share upon vesting, the figure of 1,650,800 comprising 1,500,800 Shares and 150,000 uncancelled RSUs as well is considered as a prudent and complete disclosure by the Company of Mr. WANG Dongfeng's interests in the Company.
- (3) Shanghai Dacheng is owned as to 98.54% by KongZhong China by way of certain contractual arrangements, which is in turn 100% owned by KongZhong. By virtue of the SFO, the KongZhong Group are taken to be interested in the 22,268,908 Shares held by Shanghai Dacheng.
- (4) Foga Internet Development Ltd. is wholly-owned by Mr. YANG Tao. Mr. YANG Tao is taken to be interested in the 7,785,700 Shares held by Foga Internet Development Ltd.
- (5) Mr. YANG Tao was granted 1,340,000 RSUs under the RSU Scheme in 2016, all of which vested during the period from 1 December 2016 to 1 June 2018.
- (6) China Create Capital Limited is a company incorporated in the BVI and interested in 9,584,000 Shares in the capacity of a beneficial owner. To the best of the knowledge of the Company, none of the Directors is holding any shares in China Create Capital Limited and China Create Capital Limited is not related to other Shareholders.
- (7) Mr. WANG Dongfeng, Mr. LIAO Dong and Mr. YANG Tao are co-founders of the Group. For further details of their relationship, please refer to the sections headed "Our History, Reorganization and Corporate Structure" and "Directors and Senior Management" of the prospectus of the Company dated 19 September 2013.
- (8) As at the date of this announcement, Mr. ZHANG Qiang, a non-executive Director, is holding 93,333 Shares in the capacity as a beneficial owner, representing approximately 0.06% of the issued share capital of the Company. Mr. ZHANG Qiang was granted 100,000 RSUs, all of which vested during the period from 1 December 2016 to 1 June 2018. He was further granted 50,000 RSUs, 8,333 of which vested on 1 December 2018 and 41,667 of which were cancelled on 30 June 2019. Mr. ZHANG Qiang sold 75,000 Shares on 17 January 2019. The Company further granted 60,000 RSUs to Mr. ZHANG Qiang, of which 12,000 vested on 1 July 2019, 12,000 vested on 1 January 2020 and 12,000 vested on 1 July 2020. Given that 1 RSU represents 1 Share upon vesting, the figure of 93,333 comprising 69,333 Shares and 24,000 uncancelled RSUs as well is considered as a prudent and complete disclosure by the Company of Mr. ZHANG Qiang's interests in the Company.

The Company has adopted the Pre-IPO Share Option Scheme by a resolution of the Shareholders on 31 October 2012, which was amended on 1 September 2013. The Pre-IPO Share Option Scheme is not subject to the provision of Chapter 17 of the Listing Rules as the Pre-IPO Share Option Scheme does not involve the grant of options by the Company to subscribe for Shares once the Company is a listed issuer. No further options will be granted under the Pre-IPO Share Option Scheme.

Pursuant to the Pre-IPO Share Option Scheme, the Company had granted options to subscribe for 6,440,911 Shares to the Directors and employees/former employees of the Group. The following persons are holders of the outstanding share options:

Name of share option holders	Outstanding as at 30 June 2020
Four former Directors and 361 employees/former employees	452,370
Total	452,370

The 452,370 share options outstanding as at 30 June 2020 represent 452,370 Shares in the event that the former are exercised in full.

In addition, the Company has approved and adopted the RSU Scheme. The RSU Scheme is not subject to the provisions of Chapter 17 of the Listing Rules as the RSU Scheme does not involve the grant of options by the Company to subscribe for new Shares. The following persons are holders of the outstanding RSUs:

	Unvested as at 30 June
Name of RSU holders	2020
ZHANG Qiang Five former Director and 16 employees	36,000 <sup>(Note)</sup> 1,312,000 <sup>(Note)</sup>

#### Total

1,348,000<sup>(Note)</sup>

*Note:* The RSUs which have vested shall be satisfied at the Company's absolute discretion within a reasonable period from the vesting date of such RSUs by directing and procuring the professional trustee of the RSU Scheme to transfer the Shares underlying the award to the relevant grantees which such trustee has acquired by making on-market purchases of the Shares in accordance with the relevant terms and conditions of the RSU Scheme.

Save as disclosed above, the Group has no outstanding warrants, options, convertible securities or other derivatives convertible into Shares, and no share or loan capital of the Group has been put under option or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be put under option and no other conversion right affecting the Shares or other derivatives in respect of securities which are being offered for or which carry voting rights have been issued or granted or agreed conditionally to be issued or granted.

Upon Completion, pursuant to the Share Buy-back, the Consideration Shares will be cancelled and the number of Shares in issue following the Share Buy-back will be reduced from 159,379,238 (being the number of issued Shares as at the date of this announcement) to 137,110,330 and the shareholding interest of the Shareholders will be increased proportionally. The percentage interest of all other Shareholders in the issued Shares will be proportionally increased following the cancellation of the Consideration Shares and as a

result of the reduction in the number of issued Shares. Shanghai Dacheng will no longer hold any Shares upon Completion. No less than 25% of the issued Shares will remain in public following the Completion.

#### **INFORMATION ABOUT THE GROUP**

The Company is an investment holding company. The Group is principally engaged in developing and publishing domestic and overseas webgames and mobile games as well as providing internet micro-credit service and financial information service in the PRC.

The Investor is a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company and a company established under the laws of the PRC with limited liability. It is principally engaged in the development of software and design of game software.

Guangzhou Feidong is an indirectly wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company. It is principally engaged in the business of webgames development.

## INFORMATION ABOUT THE KONGZHONG GROUP AND SHANGHAI DACHENG

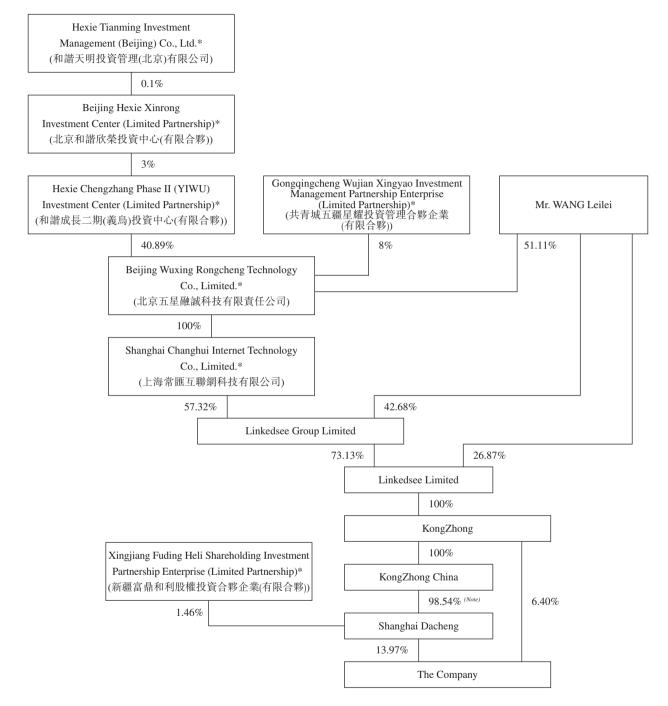
KongZhong is a company incorporated under the laws of the Cayman Islands with limited liability and is an investment holding company. To the best of the knowledge, information and belief of the Company after making reasonable enquiries:

- (1) KongZhong is 100% owned by Linkedsee Limited, which in turn is 73.13% owned by Linkedsee Group Limited and 26.87% owned by Mr. WANG Leilei;
- (2) Shanghai Changhui Internet Technology Co., Limited.\* (上海常匯互聯網科技有限公司) and Mr. WANG Leilei hold 57.32% and 42.68% of equity interest of Linkedsee Group Limited, respectively;
- (3) Beijing Wuxing Rongcheng Technology Co., Limited.\* (北京五星融誠科技有限責任公司) holds 100% equity interest of Shanghai Changhui Internet Technology Co., Limited\* (上海常匯互聯網科技有限公司);
- (4) Beijing Wuxing Rongcheng Technology Co., Limited.\* (北京五星融誠科技有限責任公司) is 51.11% owned by Mr. Wang Leilei, 40.89% owned by Hexie Chengzhang Phase II (YIWU) Investment Center (Limited Partnership)\* (和諧成長二期(義烏)投資中心(有限合夥)) and 8.0% owned by Gongqingcheng Wujiang Xingyao Investment Management Partnership Enterprise (Limited Partnership)\* (共青城五疆星耀投資管理合夥企業(有限合夥)); and
- (5) Hexie Chengzhang Phase II (YIWU) Investment Center (Limited Partnership)\* (和諧成 長二期(義烏)投資中心(有限合夥)) is 3% held by Beijing Hexie Xinrong Investment Center (Limited Partnership)\* (北京和諧欣榮投資中心(有限合夥)). Beijing Hexie Xinrong Investment Center (Limited Partnership)\* (北京和諧欣榮投資中心(有限合夥)) is 0.1% owned by Hexie Tianming Investment Management (Beijing) Co., Ltd.\* (和諧 天明投資管理(北京)有限公司);

KongZhong China is a company established under the laws of the PRC with limited liability and is wholly-owned by KongZhong. It is principally engaged in developing computer software and providing integrated technical advisory services of computer systems.

Shanghai Dacheng is a company established under the laws of the PRC with limited liability. It is principally engaged in publication of internet games and owned as to 98.54% by KongZhong by way of certain contractual arrangements.

To the best of the knowledge, information and belief of the Company after making reasonable enquiries, set out below is a chart in respect of the shareholding structure of Shanghai Dacheng as at the date of this announcement:



Note: Shanghai Dacheng is owned as to 98.54% by KongZhong by way of certain contractual arrangements.

## **INFORMATION ABOUT BEIJING XIGUA**

Beijing Xigua is a company established under the laws of the PRC with limited liability. Beijing Xigua is principally engaged in offering self-developed games as well as exclusively licensed games in its physical stores that are equipped with space positioning technology and virtual reality devices. As at the date of this announcement, Beijing Xigua is owned as to 69.84% by the Investor, 4.54% by Shanghai Wangyu, 18.14% by Mr. Jiang, 6.12% by Mr. Sheng and 1.36% by Shanghai Dacheng.

Set out below is a summary of the unaudited consolidated financial information of Beijing Xigua as prepared in accordance with IFRS for the years ended 31 December 2018 and 2019:

	For the year ended	For the year ended
	<b>31 December</b>	<b>31 December</b>
	2018	2019
	(RMB)	(RMB)
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
Loss before tax	5,402,953	87,238,980
Loss after tax	5,402,953	87,238,980

As at 31 December 2019, Beijing Xigua has audited consolidated net liabilities of approximately RMB73,702,000. As at 30 June 2020, Beijing Xigua has unaudited consolidated net liabilities of approximately RMB89,522,000.

Pursuant to Rule 14.58 of the Listing Rules, the Company is required to disclose the net profits and book value of Beijing Xigua set out above (the "Unaudited Beijing Xigua Financial Information"). However, in light of the qualified opinion issued by the Auditor in the 2019 Annual Report set out below, the Directors are of the view that the Unaudited Beijing Xigua Financial Information may not be true and accurate.

Meanwhile, pursuant to Rule 10 of the Takeovers Code, the Unaudited Beijing Xigua Financial Information constitutes a profit forecast and must be reported on by the Auditor and the Company's financial adviser(s) in accordance with the Takeovers Code and such report must be lodged with the Executive in accordance with Rule 10.4 of the Takeovers Code. However, as discussed above, the Auditor has issued a qualified opinion in relation to the financial information of Beijing Xigua for the period from 26 June 2019, being the date of the completion of the Acquisition, to 31 December 2019, in the 2019 Annual Report, and hence the Auditor would not be able to provide an assurance on the compilation of the Unaudited Beijing Xigua Financial Information. Accordingly, the Unaudited Beijing Xigua Financial Information would not be reported on by the Auditor and financial adviser of the Company in accordance with Rule 10.4 of the Takeovers Code.

Shareholders and potential investors of the Company should note that the Unaudited Beijing Xigua Financial Information does not meet the standard required by Rule 10 of the Takeovers Code and has not been reported on in accordance with the Takeovers Code. In addition, Shareholders and potential investors of the Company should not rely on the Unaudited Beijing Xigua Financial Information when they deal or contemplate dealing in the Shares or other securities (if any) of the Company. Shareholders and potential investors of the Company should also exercise caution in placing reliance on the Unaudited Beijing Xigua Financial Information in assessing the merits and demerits of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment).

As disclosed in the 2019 Annual Report, the Auditor issued a qualified opinion in relation to Beijing Xigua, which is as set out below:

"As disclosed in note 38(a) to the consolidated financial statements, the Group acquired a 69.84% equity interest in Beijing Xigua Huyu Technology Co., Ltd. ("Beijing Xigua") on 26 June 2019. Ms. Li Luyi ("Ms. Li"), the former executive director and chief executive officer of the Company, was responsible for the management and operation of Beijing Xigua prior to her loss of contact from late October to early November 2019 and her resignation on 7 November 2019. Due to the insufficient supporting documents and relevant explanations on the accounting books and records in respect of Beijing Xigua and its operations, we were unable to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to satisfy ourselves as to whether the acquisition of Beijing Xigua and the following income and expenses for the year ended 31 December 2019 and the assets and liabilities as at 31 December 2019, and the segment information and other related disclosure notes in relation to the Group, as included in the consolidated financial statements of the Group, have been accurately recorded and properly accounted for in the consolidated financial statements ..."

For further details of the above qualified opinion, please refer to the 2019 Annual Report and the supplemental Announcement dated 22 October 2020.

Beijing Xigua has been held by the Company for less than 12 months prior to the date of the Transfer Agreement. The original acquisition cost of Beijing Xigua to the Group was RMB150,152,857 (composed of a cash consideration RMB20,000,000 and a consideration of RMB130,152,857 in the form of 22,268,908 Consideration Shares), which was determined taking into account a number of factors including but not limited to: (i) the previous assessment on the prospects of the virtual reality game industry by the Company's management; (ii) the Thresholds as guaranteed profits pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Investment Agreement; (iii) a valuation of the 100% equity value of Beijing Xigua and its subsidiaries, namely 北京玩氪科技有限責任公司 (Beijing Wan Ke Technology Co., Ltd.\*), 蕪湖空見信息科技有限公司 (Wuhu Kongjian Information Technology Co., Ltd.\*) and 天津玩氪科技有限公司 (Tianjin Wan Ke Technology Co., Ltd.\*) prepared by an independent valuer adopting market approach; (iv) the expected future development of Beijing Xigua, in particular its potential of being one of the largest VR game brands in the PRC; and (v) the expected benefits to be derived by the Group from the transaction as described under the paragraph headed "Reasons for and benefits of the Transaction" in the Announcement dated 24 April 2019.

#### FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF THE TRANSFER

Set out below are the impact of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder on the financial performance and financial position of the Group. It should be noted that they are for illustrative purpose only.

## Earnings

Upon completion of the Equity Disposal, the Group expects to record a gain or loss on the Equity Disposal which will be reflected in the consolidated statement of profit or loss after taking into account the fair value of the Consideration Shares as at the date of the Completion less the net assets value of Beijing Xigua attributable to the Company as at the date of the Completion and the transaction costs to be incurred for the Equity Disposal.

Based on the net liabilities of Beijing Xigua attributable to the Company of approximately RMB89,522,000 as at 30 June 2020, the Company currently expects to recognise a gain of approximately RMB74,707,000 (by using the then closing price as the deemed fair value of the Consideration Shares of approximately HK\$69,702,000 (calculated by using the closing price of the Shares on 30 June 2020 of HK\$3.13 per Share times the number of Consideration Shares of 22,268,908) less the net liabilities of Beijing Xigua attributable to the Company of approximately RMB89,522,000 as at 30 June 2020). It is contemplated that the reserves of the Remaining Group will be increased upon the recognition of the disposal gain and the transaction costs in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

It should be noted that the disposal gain calculated above is only for illustrative purpose which assumes the completion of the Equity Disposal had taken place on 30 June 2020. The actual profit or loss on the Equity Disposal will depend on the fair value of the Consideration Shares and the net assets value of Beijing Xigua as at the completion date of the Equity Disposal.

#### Working Capital

According to the estimations of the Company, the working capital of the Remaining Group is expected to increase slightly from approximately RMB512,478,000 to approximately RMB534,780,000, mainly due to exclusion of the working capital of Beijing Xigua.

Since there is no cash outflow required by the Company in order to effect the Share Buyback, the Directors consider that the Share Buy-back will not have a material adverse effect on the working capital sufficiency of the Company upon completion of the Share Buy-back.

#### Net assets

It is expected that the net asset value of the Remaining Group attributable to the owners of the Company will increase from approximately RMB632,916,000 as at 30 June 2020 to RMB644,258,000. Accordingly, the Group's net assets attributable to the owners of the Company per Share as at 30 June 2020 would increase from approximately RMB4.06 to approximately RMB4.82.

Upon completion of the Equity Disposal, Beijing Xigua will cease to be a subsidiary of the Company.

Assuming that the Loan Assignment had taken place on 30 June 2020, the Group would have incurred loss in the amount of approximately RMB24,180,000 for the Loan Assignment due to the net effect of (a) approximately RMB28,078,000 being the outstanding principal

under the Loan Agreement; (b) approximately RMB1,621,000 being the accumulated interest as at 30 June 2020; and (c) RMB5,519,000 being the consideration of the Loan Assignment received under the Transfer Agreement.

#### **REASONS FOR AND BENEFITS OF THE TRANSFER**

Given that starting from September 2019, the results of Beijing Xigua have fallen short of expectation, the Company has been considering different solutions and taking up certain actions to deal with the deteriorating business and operations of Beijing Xigua in order to protect the interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. Such actions include but not limited to actively communicating with Beijing Xigua with the hope to improve its performance, instructing the Company's PRC legal advisers to issue a demand letter to each of the KongZhong Group and Shanghai Dacheng stating the Company's decision to opt for the Full Cash Compensation and demanding a compensation payment from the KongZhong Group and Shanghai Dacheng, as disclosed in the Announcements.

However, the Company is given to understand that the KongZhong Group, Beijing Xigua and Shanghai Dacheng had serious difficulties in arranging the Full Cash Compensation. In light of the circumstances, the Company considers that the Transfer involving the Equity Disposal and the Share Buy-back would be an optimal solution for the KongZhong Group and Shanghai Dacheng to compensate the loss that the Company suffers as it does not extensively call on the funding resources of the KongZhong Group and Shanghai Dacheng.

The terms of the Transfer Agreement are also generally in line with the original terms under the Investment Agreement to the extent that:

- (i) under the Investment Agreement, should Beijing Xigua be unable to meet the Profit Guarantee, the Company is entitled to elect the Full Cash Compensation;
- (ii) the number of Consideration Shares issued under the Investment Agreement and to be cancelled under the Transfer Agreement is the same without any adjustment;
- (iii) the Investment Agreement allows the Company to take actions to seek compensation and according to the dispute resolution clause of the Investment Agreement, to resolve any disputes between the parties, the parties have to first resolve through discussions and negotiations. During discussions and negotiations, the parties have explored various settlement proposals and finally agreed on the Transfer arrangement under the Transfer Agreement; and
- (iv) except Guangzhou Feidong which is a party to the Loan Agreement and Shanghai Wangyu, the existing parties involved in the Investment Agreement continue to be the parties to the Transfer Agreement. Despite not being a party to the Transfer Agreement, Shanghai Wangyu has confirmed that it has no objection to the terms and conditions of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder, and waives the pre-emptive right (if any) that it may be entitled to being an existing shareholder of Beijing Xigua.

In addition, considering that the net asset value of the Company shall be increased from approximately RMB632,916,000 to RMB644,258,000, representing an increase in total net asset value of RMB11,342,000, the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated

thereunder (including the Share Buy-back) are expected to bring about positive effects on the net asset value per Share which is in the interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. The Company also believes that it is in the interest of the Shareholders to be compensated by way of the Transfer instead of protracted arbitration and legal proceedings which could have been taken on or around 9 April 2020, being the cut-off date on which the KongZhong Group and Shanghai Dacheng should have repaid the Full Cash Compensation, as the latter could potentially last for an uncertain period of time with unforeseeable cost implications and enforcement outcome.

In considering proceeding with the Share Buy-back, the Company has taken into consideration that:

- (i) the Share Buy-back is part and parcel of the Transfer, which is considered an optimal solution for the KongZhong Group and Shanghai Dacheng to compensate the loss that the Company suffers which does not extensively call on the funding resources of Shanghai Dacheng and create excessive funding burden;
- (ii) the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including the Share Buy-back) are expected to enhance consolidated net asset value attributable to the Shareholders per Share and bring about other positive financial effects as discussed in the paragraph headed "Financial effects of the Transfer" above in this announcement; and
- (iii) it is a good opportunity for the Company to buy-back and cancel a significant block of Shares in a single transaction without significantly affecting the normal trading of the Shares in terms of price and volume as opposed to conducting a large number of daily on-market buy-back transactions under a general buy-back mandate over a period of time.

Further, in addition to the fact that the KongZhong Group and Shanghai Dacheng had serious difficulties arranging the Full Cash Compensation as disclosed above, based on the existing financial conditions and operational performance of Beijing Xigua, it is anticipated that the latter may not be able to repay the Outstanding Sum to Guangzhou Feidong, at least not within a short period of time. If Beijing Xigua fails to repay the Outstanding Sum, Guangzhou Feidong is entitled to commence legal proceedings to recover the same. The Company is of the view that it is not in the interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole to commence such legal proceedings given that:

- (i) the Company intends to discontinue its investment in the VR game business;
- (ii) it is anticipated that Beijing Xigua will continue to be loss making in the near future;
- (iii) legal proceedings could potentially last for long time with unforeseeable and unpredictable cost implications and enforcement outcome; and
- (iv) the Company intends to focus its resources on its other existing businesses.

Considering the above, the Company is of the view that the Loan Assignment is able to lower the asset losses of the Company, reduce unhealthy assets of the Company, improve the quality of the Company's assets and recoup its investment in Beijing Xigua, which will improve the overall financial position of the Company.

The Board (excluding members of the Independent Board Committee who will advise the Independent Shareholders after taking advice from the Independent Financial Adviser) is of the view that the terms and conditions of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buyback and the Loan Assignment) are on normal commercial terms, fair and reasonable and in the interest of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

#### **REGULATORY IMPLICATIONS**

#### Share Buy-back Code

The Share Buy-back constitutes an off-market share buy-back by the Company. The Company will make an application to the Executive for approval of the Share Buy-back pursuant to Rule 2 of the Share Buy-back Code. The Executive's approval, if granted, will normally be conditional upon, among other things, the approval of the Share Buy-back by at least three-fourths of the votes cast on a poll by the Independent Shareholders present in person or by proxy at the EGM.

As disclosed in the paragraph headed "Conditions Precedents" above in this announcement, the Completion is subject to the condition precedent that the Share Buy-back having been approved by the Executive. Therefore, the Company will not proceed with the Share Buy-back unless the Executive approves the Share Buy-back pursuant to Rule 2 of the Share Buyback Code. However, there is no assurance that such approval will be granted or that all other conditions precedent to the Transfer Agreement will be fulfilled.

#### Takeovers Code

As at the date of this announcement, other than (a) approximately 6.40% interest in the existing total issued share capital of the Company owned by KongZhong; and (b) the Consideration Shares representing approximately 13.97% interest in the existing total issued share capital of the Company which were originally to be released to Shanghai Dacheng pursuant to the Investment Agreement but would be subject to the Share Buy-back contemplated under the Transfer Agreement as disclosed in this announcement, none of Shanghai Dacheng or parties acting in concert with it and the Company and parties acting in concert with it:

- (i) holds, owns, controls or directs any Shares, convertible securities, warrants, options or derivatives in respect of the Shares;
- (ii) has secured an irrevocable commitment to vote in favour of or against the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder;
- (iii) holds outstanding warrants, options or securities convertible into Shares or derivatives in respect of the Shares;

- (iv) save for the Investment Agreement, has any arrangement (whether by way of option, indemnity or otherwise) or contracts under Note 8 to Rule 22 of the Takeovers Code in relation to the Shares which might be material to the Transfer Agreement and/or the Share Buy-back;
- (v) save for the Transfer Agreement, has any agreement or arrangement to which Shanghai Dacheng and parties acting in concert with it is a party which relates to the circumstances in which it may or may not invoke or seek to invoke a pre-condition or a condition to the Transfer Agreement and/or the Share Buy-back; or
- (vi) has borrowed or lent any relevant securities (as defined in Note 4 to Rule 22 of the Takeovers Code) in the Company.

In addition, the Company and KongZhong China confirm that as at the date of this announcement:

- (i) apart from the consideration as provided in the paragraph headed "Implied Transfer Consideration" in this announcement, there is no other consideration, compensation or benefit in whatever form paid or to be paid by the KongZhong China or any parties acting in concert with it to the Company or any party acting in concert with it in connection with the Transfer;
- (ii) apart from the Investment Agreement, the Loan Agreement and the Transfer Agreement, there is no understanding, arrangement or agreement or special deal (as defined under Rule 25 of the Takeovers Code) between the KongZhong China or any party acting in concert with it on the one hand, and Company and any party acting in concert with it on the other hand; and
- (iii) there is no understanding, arrangement or agreement or special deal (as defined under Rule 25 of the Takeovers Code) between (I) any Shareholders; and (II)(a) KongZhong China and any party acting in concert with it; or (b) the Company, its subsidiaries or associated companies.

#### Special Deal

As the amount of the Outstanding Sum is higher than the consideration for the Loan Assignment, and the relevant proposed settlement is not extended to all the other Shareholders, the Loan Assignment constitutes a special deal under Rule 25 of the Takeovers Code, and will be conditional upon obtaining the prior consent of the Executive under Rule 25 of the Takeovers Code. An application will be made to the Executive for consent under Rule 25 of the Takeovers Code for the Loan Assignment. Such consent, if granted, will be subject to (i) the Independent Financial Adviser publicly states that in its opinion the terms of the Loan Assignment are fair and reasonable; and (ii) the Loan Assignment is approved by the Independent Shareholders by way of poll at the EGM, in which the KongZhong Group, Shanghai Dacheng and parties acting in concert with any of them who are Shareholders, will be required to abstain from voting in the EGM.

# Listing Rules

As one or more of the applicable percentage ratios in respect of the Transfer exceed 25% but less than 75%, the Transfer constitutes a major transaction of the Company under Chapter 14 of the Listing Rules. In addition, as at the date of this announcement, Beijing Xigua is a non-wholly owned subsidiary and Shanghai Dacheng is a substantial shareholder (as defined under the Listing Rules) of the Company, respectively. Accordingly, Shanghai Dacheng is a connected person of the Company. The Transfer therefore also constitutes a connected transaction for the Company and is therefore subject to the reporting, announcement, circular and Independent Shareholders' approval requirements under Chapters 14 and 14A of the Listing Rules.

## EGM

EGM will be held to consider and approve, among others, the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder.

#### Voting

As at the date of this announcement, the KongZhong Group is interested in 32,471,076 Shares, representing approximately 20.37% of the issued share capital of the Company, of which KongZhong is interested in 10,202,168 Shares and Shanghai Dacheng is interested in 22,268,908 Consideration Shares, representing approximately 6.40% and 13.97% of the issued share capital of the Company, respectively. Save for these holdings, none of the members of the KongZhong Group or Shanghai Dacheng or parties acting in concert with any of them held any Shares as at the date of this announcement. By reason of the requirements of the Share Buy-back Code, the Takeovers Code and the Listing Rules, the KongZhong Group and Shanghai Dacheng will abstain from voting in the EGM. Save for these parties, to the best of the knowledge, information and belief of the Directors after making all reasonable enquiries, no other Shareholder is required to abstain from voting on the resolutions approving the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment).

# INDEPENDENT BOARD COMMITTEE AND INDEPENDENT FINANCIAL ADVISER

The Listing Rules IBC comprising all the independent non-executive Directors has been established under the Listing Rules to give recommendations to the Independent Shareholders as to whether the terms and conditions of the Transfer Agreement are on normal commercial terms, fair and reasonable, as well as how to vote on the resolution(s) to be proposed at the EGM in respect of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buyback and the Loan Assignment).

The Takeovers Code IBC comprising all the non-executive Director and independent nonexecutive Directors has been established under the Takeovers Code to give recommendations to the Independent Shareholders as to whether the terms and conditions of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment) are fair and reasonable so far as the Independent Shareholders are concerned, as well as how to vote on the resolution(s) to be proposed at the EGM in respect of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment).

Pelican Financial Limited, a licensed corporation under the SFO (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong) to carry out type 6 (advising on corporate finance) regulated activity, has been appointed as the Independent Financial Adviser by the Company with the approval of the Independent Board Committee to advise the Independent Board Committee and the Independent Shareholders in this regard.

## **DESPATCH OF CIRCULAR**

A circular containing, among other things (i) further details of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment); (ii) the letter from the Independent Board Committee giving its recommendation to the Independent Shareholders on the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment); (iii) the letter from the Independent Financial Adviser containing its advice to Independent Board Committee and the Independent Shareholders in the same regard; (iv) the notice of the EGM; and (v) other information as required under the Listing Rules, the Takeovers Code and the Share Buy-back Code.

#### GENERAL

Shareholders and potential investors of the Company should be aware that the Transfer is subject to a number of conditions being satisfied or waived (if applicable), including but not limited to the approval of the Share Buy-back by the Executive, and consequently the Transfer may or may not proceed. Accordingly, they are advised to exercise caution when they deal or contemplate dealing in the securities of the Company.

#### DEFINITIONS

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

"2019 Annual Report"	the annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2019
"Acquisition"	the acquisition of the 69.84% equity interests in Beijing Xigua by the Investor pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Investment Agreement
"acting in concert"	has the meaning ascribed to it under the Takeovers Code

"Actual Net Profits"	the net profits after tax of Beijing Xigua recognised by the relevant Auditor's report for the period from 1 June 2019 to 31 December 2019, the year ending 31 December 2020 and the year ending 31 December 2021 under the Investment Agreement, details of which were disclosed in the Announcement dated 24 April 2019
"Announcements"	collectively, the announcements of the Company dated 24 April 2019, 24 May 2019, 26 June 2019, 21 November 2019, 11 December 2019, 10 March 2020, 19 March 2020, 8 May 2020, 22 October 2020 and 23 October 2020 in relation to the Acquisition, the non-fulfilment of the Profit Guarantee and the follow up actions taken by the Company, and each an "Announcement"
"associate(s)"	has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules
"Auditor"	ZHONGHUI ANDA CPA Limited, certified public accountants
"Beijing Xigua"	北京西瓜互娛科技有限責任公司 (Beijing Xigua Huyu Technology Co., Ltd.*), a company established with limited liability in the PRC
"Board"	the board of Directors
"Buy-back Price"	HK6.876 per Share under the Share Buy-back
"BVI"	the British Virgin Islands
"Cash Consideration"	a sum of RMB25,519,280 in cash composed of RMB20,000,000 for the Equity Disposal and RMB5,519,280 for the Loan Assignment
"Company"	Forgame Holdings Limited (Stock Code: 00484), a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability and the issued Shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange
"Completion"	completion of the relevant registration procedures for change (工商變更登記) with respect to the Equity Disposal
"connected person(s)"	has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules
"Consideration Shares"	22,268,908 Shares for the purpose of satisfying the consideration with respect to the Acquisition, which are currently held by the Escrow Agent and have not been released to Shanghai Dacheng as Beijing Xigua has not fulfilled the Profit Guarantee pursuant to the terms of the Investment Agreement, and each a "Consideration Share"

"Director(s)"	director(s) of the Company
"EGM"	an extraordinary general meeting of the Company to be convened for the Independent Shareholders to consider and, if thought fit, to approve the resolutions approving the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment)
"Equity Disposal"	the disposal of the 69.84% equity interest in Beijing Xigua from the Company and the Investor to KongZhong China (or its designated third party)
"Escrow Agent"	Valuable Capital Limited (華盛資本證券有限公司), an independent third party to the Company, who is the agent managing the escrow account containing the Consideration Shares
"Executive"	the Executive Director of the Corporate Finance Division of the SFC or any of his delegates
"Full Cash Compensation"	the election by the Company to demand the cash compensation in the amount of RMB150,152,857 from Shanghai Dacheng being the consideration for the Acquisition, due to the non-fulfilment of the Profit Guarantee pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Investment Agreement
"Group"	the Company and its subsidiaries
"Guangzhou Feidong"	廣州菲動軟件科技有限公司 (Guangzhou Feidong Software Technology Co., Ltd.*), a company incorporated in PRC and a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, which Beijing Xigua was indebted to in the amount of the Outstanding Sum under the Loan Agreement
"HK\$"	Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong
"Hong Kong"	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC
"IFRS"	International Financial Reporting Standards issued by the International Accounting Standards Board

"Implied Transfer the implied amount of RMB155,672,137 payable by Consideration" Shanghai Dacheng and KongZhong China to the Company for the Transfer contemplated under the Transfer Agreement with respect to the unwinding of the Acquisition and the Loan Assignment, which is equivalent to the sum of consideration for the Acquisition (i.e. RMB150,152,857) consideration for the Loan Assignment (i.e. and RMB5,519,280) "Independent Board collectively, the Listing Rules IBC and the Takeovers Code Committee" IBC "Independent Financial Pelican Financial Limited, a corporation licenced by the Adviser" SFC to carry out Type 6 (advising on corporate finance) regulated activities under the SFO, being the independent financial adviser appointed by the Company to advise the Independent Board Committee and the Independent Shareholders (as applicable) in connection with the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder "Independent the Shareholder(s) of the Company other than (i) the Shareholder(s)" KongZhong Group, Shanghai Dacheng and the parties acting in concert with each of them; (ii) the Shareholders who are involved in or interested in the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder; and (iii) Shareholders who have a material interest in the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder which is different from the interest of all other Shareholders, and who are required to abstain from voting on the relevant resolutions at the EGM "Investment Agreement" the investment agreement dated 24 April 2019 entered into, among others, the Company, the Investor, the KongZhong Group, Shanghai Dacheng and Beijing Xigua in respect of, among others, the Acquisition "Investor" 廣州市雲米軟件科技有限公司 (Guangzhou Yunmi Software Technology Co., Ltd.\*), a company established with limited

"KongZhong"

"KongZhong China"

空中(中國)有限公司 (KongZhong (China) Co., Ltd.\*), a company established with limited liability in the PRC and is owned as to 100% by KongZhong

liability in the PRC and a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of

KongZhong Corporation, a company incorporated in the

"KongZhong Group" collectively, KongZhong and KongZhong China

the Company

Cayman Islands with limited liability

"Last Trading Day"	11 November 2020, being the last trading day of the Shares immediately before the issue of this announcement
"Listing Rules"	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange
"Listing Rules IBC"	the independent committee of the Board, comprising Mr. WANG Dong, Mr. WONG Chi Kin, Mr. CUI Yuzhi and Mr. LU Xiaoma, being all the independent non-executive Directors, established to give recommendations to the Independent Shareholders in respect of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder (including but not limited to the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment)
"Loan Agreement"	the loan agreement dated 21 November 2019 entered into, among others, Beijing Xigua and Guangzhou Feidong, pursuant to which Guangzhou Feidong agreed to grant the loan in the amount of no more than RMB53,000,000 to Beijing Xigua
"Loan Assignment"	the assignment of the Outstanding Sum to KongZhong China (or its designated third party) originally due to Guangzhou Feidong pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Transfer Agreement
"Long Stop Date"	31 December 2020 (or any such later date as the parties to the Transfer Agreement may agree in writing)
"Mr. Jiang"	姜騰 (Mr. JIANG Teng*), a resident of the PRC and is interested in 18.14% equity interests of Beijing Xigua
"Mr. Sheng"	盛勇 (Mr. SHENG Yong*), a resident of the PRC and is interested in 6.12% equity interests of Beijing Xigua
"Mr. Wang Leilei"	王雷雷 (Mr. WANG Leilei*), a resident of the PRC and the de facto controller of KongZhong. In respect of the relationship between Mr. WANG Leilei and KongZhong Group as well as his interests thereof, please refer to the paragraph headed "Regulations Implications — Takeovers Code" of this announcement for a chart in respect of the shareholding structure of Shanghai Dacheng for further details
"Outstanding Sum"	the sum of RMB30,599,878 composed of the outstanding principal of RMB28,077,600 and the accumulated interest of RMB2,522,278 (as at 7 October 2020) that Beijing Xigua is indebted to Guangzhou Feidong under the Loan Agreement

"PRC"	the People's Republic of China which, for the purpose of this announcement, excludes Hong Kong, the Macau Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China and Taiwan
"Pre-IPO Share Option Scheme"	the pre-IPO share option scheme approved and adopted by the Shareholders on 31 October 2012, which was amended and restated on 1 September 2013, for the benefit of the Directors, members of senior management, employees and other eligible participants defined in such scheme
"Profit Guarantee"	the profits guaranteed by the KongZhong Group, Shanghai Dacheng and Beijing Xigua with respect to the relevant net profit after tax of Beijing Xigua not less than the Thresholds, details of which were disclosed in the Announcements dated 24 April 2019 and 25 May 2019
"Remaining Group"	the Group immediately after the Completion
"RMB"	Renminbi, the lawful currency of the PRC
"RSU"	restricted share unit(s) granted pursuant to the RSU Scheme
"RSU Scheme"	the scheme conditionally approved and adopted by the Company on 1 September 2013 for the grant of RSUs to RSU participants following the completion of initial public offering of the Shares on the Stock Exchange
"SFC"	the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong
"SFO"	the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong)
"Share Buy-back"	the buy-back of the Consideration Shares by the Company from Shanghai Dacheng for cancellation pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Transfer Agreement, which constitutes an off-market share buy-back by the Company under Rule 2 of the Share Buy-back Code
"Shanghai Dacheng"	上海大承網絡技術有限公司 (Shanghai Dacheng Network Technology Co., Ltd.*), a company established in the PRC with limited liability, a company owned as to 98.54% by KongZhong China by way of certain contractual arrangements and the vendor with respect to the Acquisition in the Investment Agreement
"Shanghai Wangyu"	上海網魚網咖投資管理有限公司 (Shanghai Wangyu Wangka Investment Management Co., Ltd.*), a company established in the PRC with limited liability and is interested in 1.36% equity interests of Beijing Xigua

"Share Buy-back Code"	the Hong Kong Code on Share Buy-backs
"Share(s)"	ordinary share(s) in the share capital of the Company with a par value of US\$0.0001 each
"Shareholder(s)"	the holder(s) of the Shares
"Stock Exchange"	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited
"substantial shareholder(s)"	has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules
"Takeovers Code"	the Hong Kong Code on Takeovers and Mergers
"Takeovers Code IBC"	the independent committee of the Board, comprising Mr. ZHANG Qiang, Mr. WANG Dong, Mr. WONG Chi Kin, Mr. CUI Yuzhi and Mr. LU Xiaoma, being all the non- executive Director and independent non-executive Directors, who have no direct or indirect interest in the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder, established to give recommendations to the Independent Shareholders in respect of the Equity Disposal, the Share Buy-back and the Loan Assignment
"Thresholds"	the relevant Actual Net Profits of Beijing Xigua for the period from 1 June 2019 to 31 December 2019, the year ending 31 December 2020 and the year ending 31 December 2021 would not be less than RMB43,000,000, RMB52,000,000 and RMB62,000,000 pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Investment Agreement, and each a Threshold. For further details, please refer to the Announcements dated 24 April 2019 and 24 May 2019
"Transfer"	the transactions with respect to the unwinding of the Acquisition (i.e. the Equity Disposal) and the Loan Assignment
"Transfer Agreement"	the Transfer agreement entered into, among others, the Company, the Investor, Shanghai Dacheng, the KongZhong Group, Beijing Xigua and Guangzhou Feidong on 12 November 2020 (after trading hours) in relation to the Transfer
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	By the order of the Board Forgame Holdings Limited ZHANG Qiang Chairman

Chairman

Hong Kong, 12 November 2020

As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. HAN Jun, Mr. DIAO Guoxin and Mr. ZHU Liang; the non-executive Director is Mr. ZHANG Qiang; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. WANG Dong, Mr. WONG Chi Kin, Mr. CUI Yuzhi and Mr. LU Xiaoma.

All the Directors jointly and severally accept full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in this announcement and confirm, having made all reasonable inquiries, that to the best of their knowledge, opinions expressed in this announcement have been arrived at after due and careful consideration and there are no other facts not contained in this announcement, the omission of which would make any statement in this announcement misleading.

\* For identification purpose only