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KINGBOARD
HOLDINGS LIMITED
建滔集團有限公司
*(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands
with limited liability)*
(Stock Code: 148)

KB
KINGBOARD LAMINATES
HOLDINGS LIMITED
建滔積層板控股有限公司
*(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands
with limited liability)*
(Stock Code: 1888)

JOINT ANNOUNCEMENT
ANNOUNCEMENT RELATED TO THE UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED
QUARTERLY RESULTS OF A SUBSIDIARY

KBCF announced its unaudited consolidated results for the three months ended June 30, 2018 on the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited on August 1, 2018.

Pursuant to Rule 705 and Rule 920 (1)(a)(ii) of the Listing Manual of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited, Kingboard Copper Foil Holdings Limited (“KBCF” or the “Company”), a public company listed on the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited announced its unaudited consolidated results of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the “Group”) for the three months ended June 30, 2018 on the website of www.sgx.com of Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited on August 1, 2018. The results are prepared in accordance with Singapore Financial Reporting Standards and Interpretations of Financial Reporting Standards.

KBCF is an indirect 87.90%-owned subsidiary of Kingboard Laminates Holdings Limited (“Kingboard Laminates”). In turn, Kingboard Laminates is a 69.79%-owned subsidiary of Kingboard Holdings Limited (“Kingboard Holdings”). Both Kingboard Holdings and Kingboard Laminates are companies listed on the Main Board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (“Stock Exchange”).

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**“KINGBOARD COPPER FOIL HOLDINGS LIMITED
FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND DIVIDEND ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE PERIOD
ENDED JUNE 30, 2018**

**PART I INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS OF QUARTERLY
(Q1,Q2 &Q3) HALF-YEAR AND FULL YEAR RESULTS**

1(a) An income statement (for the group) together with a comparative statement for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.

	Group		
	3 Months ended		
	June 30,	June 30,	%
	2018	2017	Change
	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>	
Revenue	158,233	137,444	15.13%
Cost of sales	(136,306)	(117,733)	15.78%
Gross profit	21,927	19,711	11.24%
Other operating income	670	549	22.04%
Distribution costs	(4,645)	(4,686)	-0.87%
Administrative expenses	(5,910)	(6,715)	-11.99%
Share of losses of an associate	(1,698)	(1,417)	19.83%
Profit before tax	10,344	7,442	38.99%
Income tax expense	(3,185)	(2,093)	52.17%
Profit for the period	<u>7,159</u>	<u>5,349</u>	<u>33.84%</u>
Profit for the period attributable to:			
Owners of the Company	<u>6,639</u>	<u>4,413</u>	<u>50.44%</u>
Non-controlling interests	<u>520</u>	<u>936</u>	<u>-44.44%</u>

Profit for the period has been arrived at after (crediting) charging:

	Group		% Change
	3 Months ended		
	June 30, 2018	June 30, 2017	
	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>	
Other operating income including interest income	(670)	(549)	22.04%
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	20,492	21,146	-3.09%
Amortisation of prepaid land use rights	276	270	2.22%

1(b)(i) A statement of financial position (for the issuer and group), together with a comparative statement as at the end of the immediately preceding financial year.

	Group		Company	
	As at June 30, 2018	As at December 31, 2017	As at June 30, 2018	As at December 31, 2017
	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>
ASSETS				
Current assets:				
Cash and bank balances	1,720,910	1,691,732	–	–
Trade and other receivables and prepayments	71,829	78,331	166	166
Bills receivable	43,488	42,476	–	–
Prepaid land use rights	1,064	1,074	–	–
Inventories	22,298	24,273	–	–
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Total current assets	1,859,589	1,837,886	166	166

	Group		Company	
	As at	As at	As at	As at
	June 30, 2018 HK\$'000	December 31, 2017 HK\$'000	June 30, 2018 HK\$'000	December 31, 2017 HK\$'000
Non-current assets:				
Investment in subsidiaries	–	–	393,775	393,775
Investment in an associate	34,021	36,571	12,326	12,326
Due from a subsidiary	–	–	883,121	884,038
Investment property	6,029	6,081	–	–
Property, plant and equipment	292,807	327,928	–	–
Prepaid land use rights	35,229	36,068	–	–
Other non-current assets	685,318	691,213	–	–
Goodwill	238	238	–	–
Total non-current assets	<u>1,053,642</u>	<u>1,098,099</u>	<u>1,289,222</u>	<u>1,290,139</u>
Total assets	<u>2,913,231</u>	<u>2,935,985</u>	<u>1,289,388</u>	<u>1,290,305</u>
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY				
Current liabilities:				
Due to a subsidiary	–	–	2,713	2,713
Bills payable	2,628	2,290	–	–
Trade and other payables	116,476	104,344	2,435	2,435
Income tax payable	9,844	9,619	38	38
Total current liabilities	<u>128,948</u>	<u>116,253</u>	<u>5,186</u>	<u>5,186</u>
Non-current liability:				
Deferred tax liabilities	<u>4,793</u>	<u>4,793</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>–</u>
Total non-current liability	<u>4,793</u>	<u>4,793</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>–</u>
Total liabilities	<u>133,741</u>	<u>121,046</u>	<u>5,186</u>	<u>5,186</u>
Capital and reserves and non-controlling interests:				
Share capital	560,200	560,200	560,200	560,200
Reserves	<u>2,191,937</u>	<u>2,227,441</u>	<u>724,002</u>	<u>724,919</u>
Equity attributable to owners of the Company	2,752,137	2,787,641	1,284,202	1,285,119
Non-controlling interests	<u>27,353</u>	<u>27,298</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>–</u>
Total equity	<u>2,779,490</u>	<u>2,814,939</u>	<u>1,284,202</u>	<u>1,285,119</u>
Total liabilities and equity	<u>2,913,231</u>	<u>2,935,985</u>	<u>1,289,388</u>	<u>1,290,305</u>

1b(ii) Aggregate amount of group's borrowing and debt securities.

Amount repayable in one year or less, or on demand

As at June 30, 2018		As at December 31, 2017	
Secured	Unsecured	Secured	Unsecured
<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>
–	–	–	–

Amount repayable after one year

As at June 30, 2018		As at December 31, 2017	
Secured	Unsecured	Secured	Unsecured
<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>
–	–	–	–

Details of any collateral

Not applicable.

1(c) A statement of cash flows (for the group), together with a comparative statement for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.

	3 Months ended	
	June 30, 2018	June 30, 2017
	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>
Operating activities:		
Profit before tax	10,344	7,442
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	20,492	21,146
Amortisation of prepaid land use rights	276	270
Interest income	(547)	(453)
Share of losses of an associate	1,698	1,417
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	3 Months ended	
	June 30, 2018	June 30, 2017
	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>
Operating cash flow before movements in working capital	32,263	29,822
Trade and other receivables and prepayments	(67)	(10,440)
Bills receivable	(2,271)	11,270
Inventories	2,610	923
Trade and other payables	15,393	(22,946)
Bills payable	62	(4,442)
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Cash generated from operations	47,990	4,187
Income tax paid	(2,261)	(2,275)
Interest received	547	453
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Net cash from operating activities	46,276	2,365
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Investing activities:		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(5,578)	(3,138)
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Net cash used in investing activities	(5,578)	(3,138)
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Financing activities:		
Dividend paid to non-controlling interest of a subsidiary	–	(565)
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Net cash used in financing activities	–	(565)
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Net increase (decrease) in cash and bank balances	40,698	(1,338)
Cash and bank balances at the beginning of the period	1,729,652	1,586,417
Effect of exchange rate changes on the balance of cash and bank held in foreign currencies	(49,440)	17,469
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Cash and bank balances at the end of the period	1,720,910	1,602,548
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- 1(d) **A statement of comprehensive income (for the issuer and the group), together with a comparative statement for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.**

	Group		Company	
	3 Months ended		3 Months ended	
	June 30,	June 30,	June 30,	June 30,
	2018	2017	2018	2017
	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>
Profit (loss) for period	7,159	5,349	(451)	(446)
Other comprehensive income (expense):				
<i>Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:</i>				
Exchange difference arising on translation to foreign operations	<u>(107,366)</u>	<u>43,911</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
Total comprehensive income (expense) for the period	<u>(100,207)</u>	<u>49,260</u>	<u>(451)</u>	<u>(446)</u>
Total comprehensive income (expense) attributable to:				
Owners of the Company	(99,302)	47,717	(451)	(446)
Non-controlling interests	<u>(905)</u>	<u>1,543</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
	<u>(100,207)</u>	<u>49,260</u>	<u>(451)</u>	<u>(446)</u>

1(e)(i) A statement (for the issuer and group) showing either (i) all changes in equity or (ii) changes in equity other than those arising from capitalisation issues and distributions to shareholders, together with a comparative statement for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.

	Attributable to owners of the Company							
	Share capital HK\$'000	Share premium HK\$'000	Capital reserves HK\$'000	Foreign currency translation reserves HK\$'000	Retained profits HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000	Non-controlling interests HK\$'000	Total equity HK\$'000
Group								
Second Quarter 2018 ("Q2 2018")								
Balance at April 1, 2018	560,200	296,573	7,287	504,949	1,482,430	2,851,439	28,258	2,879,697
Total comprehensive income (expense) for the period								
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	6,639	6,639	520	7,159
Other comprehensive expense for the period	-	-	-	(105,941)	-	(105,941)	(1,425)	(107,366)
Total	-	-	-	(105,941)	6,639	(99,302)	(905)	(100,207)
Balance at June 30, 2018	560,200	296,573	7,287	399,008	1,489,069	2,752,137	27,353	2,779,490
Second Quarter 2017 ("Q2 2017")								
Balance at April 1, 2017	560,200	296,573	7,287	319,084	1,466,639	2,649,783	26,242	2,676,025
Total comprehensive income for the period								
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	4,413	4,413	936	5,349
Other comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	43,304	-	43,304	607	43,911
Total	-	-	-	43,304	4,413	47,717	1,543	49,260
Transactions with owners, recognised directly in equity								
Dividend paid to non-controlling interest of a subsidiary	-	-	-	-	-	-	(565)	(565)
Balance at June 30, 2017	560,200	296,573	7,287	362,388	1,471,052	2,697,500	27,220	2,724,720

	Share capital <i>HK\$'000</i>	Share premium <i>HK\$'000</i>	Capital reserves <i>HK\$'000</i>	Retained profits <i>HK\$'000</i>	Total <i>HK\$'000</i>
Company					
Second Quarter 2018 ("Q2 2018")					
Balance at April 1, 2018	560,200	296,573	6,275	421,605	1,284,653
Total comprehensive expense for the period					
Loss for the period	—	—	—	(451)	(451)
Balance at June 30, 2018	<u>560,200</u>	<u>296,573</u>	<u>6,275</u>	<u>421,154</u>	<u>1,284,202</u>
Second Quarter 2017 ("Q2 2017")					
Balance at April 1, 2017	560,200	296,573	6,275	418,418	1,281,466
Total comprehensive expense for the period					
Loss for the period	—	—	—	(446)	(446)
Balance at June 30, 2017	<u>560,200</u>	<u>296,573</u>	<u>6,275</u>	<u>417,972</u>	<u>1,281,020</u>

1(e)(ii) Details of any changes in the Company's share capital arising from rights issue, bonus issue, share buy-backs, exercise of share options or warrants, conversion of other issues of equity securities, issue of shares for cash or as consideration for acquisition or for any other purpose since the end of the previous period reported on. State also the number of shares that may be issued on conversion of all the outstanding convertibles as well as the number of shares held as treasury shares, if any, against the total number of issued shares excluding treasury shares of the issuer, as at the end of the current financial period reported on and as at the end of the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.

There was no change in the Company's issued share capital for the 3 months' period ended June 30, 2018. The Company does not have any convertibles or treasury shares as at the end of the current financial period report on and as at the end of the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.

- 1(e)(iii) To show the total number of issued shares excluding treasury shares as at the end of the current financial period and as at the end of the immediately preceding year.**

	As at June 30, 2018 '000	As at December 31, 2017 '000	As at June 30, 2018 HK\$'000	As at December 31, 2017 HK\$'000
Share capital				
	Number of ordinary shares of US\$0.10 each			
Authorised	<u>2,000,000</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>	<u>1,550,000</u>	<u>1,550,000</u>
Issued and fully paid	<u>722,500</u>	<u>722,500</u>	<u>560,200</u>	<u>560,200</u>

- 1(e)(iv) A statement showing all sales, transfers, disposal, cancellation and/or use of treasury shares as at the end of the current financial period reported on.**

Not applicable.

- 2 Whether the figures have been audited or reviewed and in accordance with which auditing standard or practice.**

The figures have not been audited or reviewed by our auditors.

- 3 Where the figures have been audited or reviewed, the auditors' report (including any qualifications or emphasis of a matter).**

Not applicable.

- 4 Whether the same accounting policies and methods of computation as in the issuer's most recently audited annual financial statements have been applied.**

The same accounting policies and methods of computation have been applied in the financial statements as in the most recently audited annual financial statements as at 31 December 2017 except for the adoption of Financial Reporting Standards ("FRSs") which are relevant to the Group's operations and became effective for the financial years beginning on or after 1 January 2018.

- 5 If there are any changes in the accounting policies and methods of computation, including any required by an accounting standard, what has changed, as well as the reasons for, and the effect of, the change.**

The adoption of the new and revised FRSs have no material effect on the Group's and Company's accounting policies.

6 Earnings per ordinary share of the group for the current financial period reported on and the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year, after deducting any provision for preference dividends.

	3 months from April 1, 2018 to June 30, 2018	3 months from April 1, 2017 to June 30, 2017
Based on the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue	0.92 HK cents	0.61 HK cents
On a fully diluted basis	0.92 HK cents	0.61 HK cents

7 Net asset value (for the issuer and group) per ordinary share based on issued share capital of the issuer at the end of the:

- (a) current financial period reported on; and**
- (b) immediately preceding financial year.**

	Group		Company	
	June 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	June 30, 2018	December 31, 2017
Net asset value per ordinary share based on issued share capital at the end of the period reported on	380.92 HK cents	385.83 HK cents	177.74 HK cents	177.87 HK cents

8 A review of the performance of the group, to the extent necessary for a reasonable understanding of the group’s business. It must include a discussion of the following:

- (a) any significant factors that affected the turnover, costs, and earnings of the group for the current financial period reported on, including (where applicable) seasonal or cyclical factors; and**
- (b) any material factors that affected the cash flow, working capital, assets or liabilities of the group during the current financial period reported on.**

On behalf of the Board of Directors, it is my pleasure to present the financial results of Kingboard Copper Foil Holdings Limited (“the Company”) and its subsidiaries (together with the Company, “the Group”) for the second quarter of 2018 (“Q2 2018”). Revenue for the current period comprised (i) the receipt of license fee of HK\$30 million pursuant to the on-going licensing arrangement and

(ii) the sale of polyvinyl butyral (“PVB”) resin for HK\$128 million, a basic raw material for the production of PVB film which is used to produce reinforced glass for both automotive industry and buildings. The Group’s turnover increased 15% to HK\$158 million against the second quarter of 2017 (“Q2 2017”) and net profit attributable to owners of the Company for Q2 2018 was HK\$6.6 million. Gross profit margin were 14.3% in Q2 2017 and 13.9% in Q2 2018.

Distribution costs in Q2 2018 and Q2 2017 were similar, which were HK\$4.6 million and HK\$4.7 million respectively. Administrative expenses decreased by 12% from HK\$6.7 million in Q2 2017 to HK\$5.9 million in Q2 2018, mainly because of expenses occurred in relation to the voluntary unconditional cash offer rolled out in March to May 2017.

Our financial position continued to be sound. As at June 30, 2018, net current assets and current ratio were approximately HK\$1,731 million and 14.42 respectively. Current assets mainly comprised cash and bank balances of HK\$1,721 million, trade and other receivables and prepayments of HK\$72 million, bills receivables of HK\$43 million and inventories of HK\$22 million. As at the end of Q2 2018, the Company’s interest in Linkfit Investment Holdings Limited (“Linkfit”), a private company incorporated in Samoa, was 29.67%. The unquoted equity shares were stated at costs less accumulated impairment losses at the end of the reporting period.

9 Where a forecast, or a prospect statement, has been previously disclosed to shareholders, any variance between it and the actual results.

Not applicable.

10 A commentary at the date of the announcement of the significant trends and competitive conditions of the industry in which the group operates and any known factors or events that may affect the group in the next reporting period and the next 12 months.

Licensing Arrangement

At the Annual General Meeting of the Company held on April 29, 2011, the shareholders of the Company did not approve the renewal of the mandate (“Shareholders’ Mandate”) to enable the Group to enter into interested person transactions with Kingboard Holdings Limited (“Kingboard Holdings”) and its associates (together, the “Interested Persons”). The Company has entered into a licensing agreement, as amended by the letters of extension and amendments dated August 30, 2013 and August 28, 2015, to license the properties, inventory and machinery that were previously used for the production of copper foil with effect from September 1, 2011 to August 31, 2017 to Harvest Resource Management Limited, an independent third party, in order to ensure that a steady stream of license fee is received by the Group. On August 30, 2017, the licensing agreement is renewed for the term of further two years to end of August 2019. The Group will, in compliance with the Listing Manual, make relevant disclosures as and when appropriate.

PVB Business

The economic growth rate in the People's Republic of China (the "PRC") is continued to maintain at a low level, while the prices of commodities, like crude oil and copper, showed a slow rebound. The first tier and second tier cities in the PRC have imposed restriction orders on residential units, which has affected the real estate industry and hence the construction industry. In this regard, PVB business has also been affected. The Group will continue to improve the production efficiency, reducing the defect rate, lowering the production costs and shortening the lead time so that to deliver greater returns to the shareholders.

Litigation in Bermuda

Annuity & Re Life Limited has on April 13, 2017, filed a notice of motion for leave to appeal to the Privy Council in relation to the appeal judgment issued on March 24, 2017 by the Court of Appeal of Bermuda and was granted leave to appeal on June 16, 2017. As disclosed per announcement dated May 11, 2018, the parties have settled and agreed to discontinue the action, and to this end, have filed a Notice of Withdrawal of All Remaining Actions including Costs by Consent with the Supreme Court of Bermuda.

11 Dividend.

(a) Current Financial Period Reported on

Any dividend declared for the current financial period reported on? None.

(b) Corresponding Period of the Immediately Preceding Financial Year

Any dividend declared for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year? None.

(c) Date Payable

Not applicable.

(d) Books closure date

Not applicable.

12 If no dividend has been declared/recommended, a statement to that effect.

No dividend has been proposed or declared for the period ended June 30, 2018.

13 Confirmation of Directors and Executive Officers' undertakings pursuant to Listing Rule 720(1)

The Company confirmed that it has procured the undertakings under Listing Rule 720(1) of the Listing Manual from all its directors and executive officers in the format set out in Appendix 7.7.

PART II ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR FULL YEAR ANNOUNCEMENT

(This part is not applicable to Q1, Q2, Q3 and half-year results)

14 Segmented revenue and results for business or geographical segments (of the group) in the form presented in the issuer's most recently audited annual financial statements, with comparative information for the immediately preceding year.

Not applicable.

15 In the review of performance, the factors leading to any material changes in contributions to turnover and earnings by the business or geographical segments.

Not applicable.

16 A breakdown of sales.

Not applicable.

17 A breakdown of the total annual dividend (in dollar value) for the issuer's latest full year and its previous full year.

Not applicable.

18 Disclosure of person occupying a managerial position in the issuer or any of its principal subsidiaries who is a relative of a director or chief executive officer or substantial shareholder of the issuer pursuant to Rule 704(13) in the format below. If there are no such persons, the issuer must make an appropriate negative statement.

Not applicable.

19 Interested Person Transactions – Pursuant to Rule 920(1)(a)(ii) of the Listing Manual.

The Company does not have any interested person transaction mandate or any interested person transaction required to be disclosed pursuant to Rule 920(1)(a)(ii) of the Listing Manual.

Confirmation By the Board

We, LAM KA PO and CHEUNG KWOK PING being two directors of Kingboard Copper Foil Holdings Limited, do hereby confirm on behalf of the directors of the Company that, to the best of our knowledge, nothing has come to the attention of the board of directors of the Company which may render the Q2 2018 financial results to be false or misleading in all aspects.

On behalf of the board of directors
Kingboard Copper Foil Holdings Limited

Lam Ka Po
Director

Cheung Kwok Ping
Director”

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD
Kingboard Holdings Limited
Lo Ka Leong
Company Secretary

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD
Kingboard Laminates Holdings Limited
Lam Ting Hin
Company Secretary

Hong Kong, August 1, 2018

As at the date of this announcement, the board of directors (“Board”) of Kingboard Holdings consists of Messrs. Cheung Kwok Wing, Chang Wing Yiu, Cheung Kwong Kwan, Ho Yin Sang, Cheung Wai Lin, Stephanie, Cheung Ka Shing and Chen Maosheng, being the executive directors, Messrs. Cheung Ming Man, Chong Kin Ki, Leung Tai Chiu and Chan Wing Kee, being the independent non-executive directors.

As at the date of this announcement, the Board of Kingboard Laminates consists of Messrs. Cheung Kwok Wa, Cheung Kwok Keung, Cheung Kwok Ping, Lam Ka Po, Cheung Ka Ho, Liu Min and Zhou Pei Feng, being the executive directors, Mr. Lo Ka Leong, being the non-executive director, and Messrs. Leung Tai Chiu, Ip Shu Kwan, Stephen, Zhang Lu Fu and Lau Ping Cheung, Kaizer, being the independent non-executive directors.