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The board (the "Board") of directors (the "Directors") of the Company wishes to inform the shareholders of the Company (the "Shareholders") and potential investors that, based on the information currently available to the Board and the draft unaudited consolidated management accounts for the financial year ended 31 December 2020 (the "Year"), the Group is expected to record a loss attributable to owners of the Company of approximately HK\$14 million for the Year (loss attributable to owners of the Company of approximately HK\$0.7 million for the financial year ended 31 December 2019). Such loss was mainly attributable to (i) the decrease in the Group's revenue and gross profit due to the delay in purchase of the Group's products by its customers as a result of the outbreak of the COVID-19 during the Year; (ii) the impairment losses under expected credit loss model recognised on the Group's trade receivables, mainly because some of the customers were affected by the COVID-19 and the economic downturn during the Year; and (iii) the increase in administrative expenses mainly as a result of increase in legal and professional compliance fees and testing expenses related to development of new products.

As the Company is still in the course of finalising the consolidated financial results of the Group for the Year, the information contained in this announcement is only based on the preliminary assessment by the Board of the information currently available to it including but not limited to the draft unaudited consolidated management accounts of the Group for the Year, which has not been reviewed nor audited by the auditors of the Company nor reviewed by the audit committee of the Board as at the date of this announcement and is subject to possible adjustments upon further review.

Shareholders and potential investors are advised to read carefully the annual results announcement of the Group for the Year which is expected to be published on 24 March 2021.

The Shareholders and potential investors are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the shares of the Company.

By Order of the Board
Niche-Tech Group Limited
Chow Bok Hin Felix

Executive Chairman and Executive Director

Hong Kong, 15 March 2021

As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. Chow Bok Hin Felix, Professor Chow Chun Kay Stephen and Mr. Shi Yiwu, the non-executive Director is Mr. Li Chiu Fan, and the independent non-executive Directors are Professor Ng Wang Wai Charles, Mr. Tai Chun Kit and Mr. Poon Lai Yin Michael.

This announcement, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the GEM Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Company. The Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that to the best of their knowledge and belief the information contained in this announcement is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this announcement misleading.

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