

MALAYAN CEMENT BERHAD

[Company No. 195001000048 (18) (Incorporated in Malaysia)

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT that the Seventieth Annual General Meeting of Malayan Cement Berhad will be held on Tuesday, 1 December 2020 at 4:45 p.m. and will be conducted as a **fully virtual** meeting through live streaming from the broadcast venue at the Town Hall, 8th Floor, Menara YTL, 205 Jalan Bukit Bintang, 55100 Kuala Lumpur, Wilayah Persekutuan, Malaysia ("**Broadcast Venue**") to transact the following business:-

AS ORDINARY BUSINESS

To lay before the meeting the Audited Financial Statements for the financial period ended 30 June 2020 Please refer to 1. together with the Reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon. Explanatory Note A elect the following Directors who retire pursuant to Article 85 of the Company's Constitution Tan Sri Dato' (Dr) Francis Yeoh Sock Ping Resolution 1 Resolution 2 Yeoh Khoon Cheng (ii) To re-elect the following Directors who retire pursuant to Article 84 of the Company's Constitution:-З. Tan Sri Datuk Asmat Bin Kamaludin Resolution 3 Dato' Tan Guan Cheong **Resolution** 4 (ii) (iii) Dato' Yoogalingam A/L Vyramuttu Resolution 5 To approve the payment of fees to the Non-Executive Directors amounting to RM886,667 for the financial period ended 30 June 2020. 4 Resolution 6

- To approve the payment of meeting attendance allowance of RM1,000 per meeting for each Non-Executive Director for the period from January 2021 to December 2021.
 Resolution 7
- To re-appoint Deloitte PLT as Auditors of the Company and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration.
 Resolution 8

AS SPECIAL BUSINESS

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolutions:

ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS:-

7. PROPOSED AUTHORITY TO ALLOT SHARES PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 75 AND 76 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2016

"THAT pursuant to Sections 75 and 76 of the Companies Act, 2016, the Directors be and are hereby empowered to allot and issue shares in the Company at any time until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes as the Directors may, in their absolute discretion, deem fit provided that the aggregate number of shares to be issued does not exceed twenty per centum (20%) of the total number of issued shares of the Company for the time being and that the Directors be and are also empowered to obtain the approval for the listing of and quotation for the additional shares so issued on Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad."

8. PROPOSED RENEWAL OF SHARE BUY-BACK AUTHORITY

"THAT subject to the Company's compliance with all applicable rules, regulations, orders and guidelines made pursuant to the Companies Act, 2016, the provisions of the Company's Constitution and the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities") Main Market Listing Requirements ("Main LR") and the approvals of all relevant authorities, the Company be and is hereby authorised, to the fullest extent permitted by law, to buy back and/or hold from time to time and at any time such amount of ordinary shares in the Company as may be determined by the Directors of the Company from time to time through Bursa Securities upon such terms and conditions as the Directors may deem fit and expedient in the interests of the Company ("the Proposed Share Buy-Back") provided that:-

- (i) The maximum number of shares which may be purchased and/or held by the Company at any point of time pursuant to the Proposed Share Buy-Back shall not exceed ten per centum (10%) of the total number of issued shares of the Company for the time being quoted on Bursa Securities provided always that in the event that the Company for the time being quoted on Bursa Securities as a result of, amongst others, cancellation of shares, sale of shares on the market of Bursa Securities or distribution of treasury shares to shareholders as dividend in respect of shares bought back under the previous shareholder mandate for share buy-back which was obtained at the Annual General Meeting held on 30 May 2019, the Company shall be entitled to further purchase and/or hold such additional number of shares as shall (in aggregate with the shares then still held by the Company) not exceed ten per centum (10%) of the total number of issued shares of the Company for the time being quoted on Bursa Securities;
- (ii) The maximum amount of funds to be allocated by the Company pursuant to the Proposed Share Buy-Back shall not exceed the retained profits of the Company at the time of purchase by the Company of its own shares; and
- (iii) The shares purchased by the Company pursuant to the Proposed Share Buy-Back may be dealt with by the Directors in all or any of the following manner:-
 - (a) the shares so purchased may be cancelled; and/or
 - (b) the shares so purchased may be retained in treasury for distribution as dividends to the shareholders and/or resold on the market of Bursa Securities and/or subsequently cancelled; and/or
 - (c) part of the shares so purchased may be retained as treasury shares with the remainder being cancelled; and/or
 - (d) transfer the shares, or any of the shares for the purposes of or under an employees' shares scheme; and/or
 - (e) transfer the shares, or any of the shares as purchase consideration; and/or
 - (f) deal with the shares in any other manner as may be permitted by the applicable laws and/or regulations in force from time to time;

AND THAT such authority shall commence upon the passing of this resolution, until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company or the expiry of the period within which the next Annual General Meeting is required by law to be held unless revoked or varied by Ordinary Resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting, whichever occurs first, but so as not to prejudice the completion of a purchase made before such expiry date;

AND THAT the Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to take all steps as are necessary or expedient to implement or to give effect to the Proposed Share Buy-Back with full powers to amend and/or assent to any conditions, modifications, variations or amendments (if any) as may be imposed by the relevant governmental/regulatory authorities from time to time and with full power to do all such acts and things thereafter in accordance with the Companies Act, 2016, the provisions of the Company's Constitution and the Main LR and all other relevant governmental/regulatory authorities." 9. PROPOSED RENEWAL OF SHAREHOLDER MANDATE FOR RECURRENT RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS OF A REVENUE OR TRADING NATURE ("RRPT")

"THAT the Company and/or its subsidiaries be and is/are hereby authorised to enter into RRPT from time to time with the related parties as specified in section 2.3(a) of the Circular to Shareholders dated 30 October 2020 ("**Related Parties**") subject to the following:-

- (i) the transactions are necessary for the day-to-day operations of the Company and/or its subsidiaries and are transacted on terms consistent or comparable with market or normal trade practices and/or based on normal commercial terms and on terms not more favourable to the Related Parties than those generally available to the public and are not to the detriment of the minority shareholders; and
- (ii) disclosure is made in the annual report of the aggregate value of transactions conducted during the financial year pursuant to the shareholder mandate in accordance with the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Main Market Listing Requirements;

THAT the mandate given by the shareholders of the Company shall continue to be in force until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company or the expiry of the period within which the next Annual General Meeting is required to be held pursuant to Section 340(2) of the Companies Act, 2016 (the "Act") (but shall not extend to such extension as may be allowed pursuant to Section 340(4) of the Act); unless revoked or varied by resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting, whichever is the earlier;

AND THAT the Directors of the Company be authorised to complete and do such acts and things as they may consider expedient or necessary to give full effect to the shareholder mandate." **Resolution 11**

By Order of the Board,

HO SAY KENG Company Secretary

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KUALA LUMPUR 30 October 2020

Notes:-

REMOTE PARTICIPATION AND VOTING

1. The Annual General Meeting ("AGM") will be conducted on a virtual basis through live streaming and online remote voting using the Remote Participation and Voting ("RPV") facilities provided by the appointed share registrar and poll administrator for the AGM. Tricor Investor & Issuing Houses Services Sdn Bhd ("Tricor") on its TIIH Online website at <u>https://tilin.online</u>. Please follow the procedures set out in the Administrator G the AGM which is available on the Company's website at <u>https://tilin.online</u>. Please follow the procedures set out in the Administrative Guide for the AGM which is available on the Company's website at <u>https://tilin.online</u>. Please follow the procedures set out in the administrative Guide for the AGM which is available on the Company's website at <u>https://tilin.online</u>. Please follow the procedures set out in the submission of typed texts) and vote remotely via the RPV facilities.
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 The Broadcast Venue of the AGM is strictly for the purpose of complying with Section 327(2) of the Companies Act, 2016 which requires the Chairperson of the meeting to be at the main venue of the meeting. Members/proxies/representatives are not allowed to be physically present at the Broadcast Venue on the day of the AGM.
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- 3. A member (including an Authorised Nominee as defined under the Securities Industry (Central Depositories) Act, 1991 ("SICDA")) entitled to attend and vote at a general meeting of the Company may appoint not more than two (2) proxies to participate instead of the member at the AGM via the RPV facilities.
- 4. Where a member is an Exempt Authorised Nominee as defined under the SICDA, which holds ordinary shares in the Company for multiple beneficial owners in one securities account ("Omnibus Account"), there is no limit to the number of proxies which the Exempt Authorised Nominee may appoint in respect of each Omnibus Account it holds.
- 5. A proxy may but need not be a member of the Company. Where a member appoints more than one (1) proxy, the appointment shall be invalid unless he specifies the proportion of his shareholdings to be represented by each proxy.
- . The instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing under the hand of the appointor or his attorney duly authorised in writing or, if the appointor is a corporation, either under its seal or under the hand of an officer or attorney duly authorised in writing.

The appointment of proxy may be made in hardcopy form or by electronic means as specified below and must be received by Tricor not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM i.e. no later than 29 November 2020 at 4:45 p.m.:

In hardcopy form [applicable for all members]

The original Form of Proxy and the power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a notarially certified or office copy of that power or authority shall be deposited at the office of Tricor at Unit 32-01, Level 32, Tower A, Vertical Business Suite, Avenue 3, Bangsar South, No. 8, Jalan Kerinchi, 59200 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia,

or alternatively,

at its Customer Service Centre at Unit G-3, Ground Floor, Vertical Podium, Avenue 3, Bangsar South, No. 8, Jalan Kerinchi, 59200 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

(ii) By Tricor Online System (TIIH Online) [applicable only for members who are individuals]

The Form of Proxy can be electronically lodged with Tricor via TIIH Online at <u>https://tilh.online</u>, Please follow the procedures set out in the Administrative Guide For the purpose of determining a member who shall be entitled to attend the AGM via the RPV facilities the Company shall be requesting Bursa Malavsia

For the purpose of determining a member who shall be entitled to attend the AGM via the RPV facilities, the Company shall be requesting Bursa Malaysia Depository Sdn Bhd, in accordance with Article 59 of the Company's Constitution and Section 34(1) of the SICDA to issue a General Meeting Record of Depositors as at 23 November 2020. Only a depositor whose name appears on the General Meeting Record of Depositors as at 23 November 2020 shall be entitled to attend the said meeting or appoint proxy(ies) to attend and/or vote in his stead.

REPRESENTATIVE FROM CORPORATE MEMBER

 For a corporate member who has appointed an authorised representative, please deposit the <u>original</u> certificate of appointment of corporate representative with Tricor at Unit 32-01, Level 32, Tower A, Vertical Business Suite, Avenue 3, Bangsar South, No. 8, Jalan Kerinchi, 59200 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia,

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less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the AGM or adjourned meeting at which the person named in the appointment proposes to vote

Explanatory Notes to Ordinary Business

Note A

This Agenda item is meant for discussion only as under the provisions of Section 340(1)(a) of the Companies Act, 2016, the audited financial statements do not require formal approval of shareholders and hence, the matter will not be put forward for voting.

Payment of Directors' Benefits

In accordance with the requirements of Section 230(1) of the Companies Act, 2016, approval of the members is sought for the payment of meeting attendance allowance (a benefit) to the Non-Executive Directors of the Company. If Resolution 7 is passed, the meeting attendance allowance will be payable for such period at the quantum executive.

Explanatory Notes to Special Business -

Resolution pursuant to Sections 75 and 76 of the Companies Act, 2016

Resolution 9 is a new general mandate/authority for Directors of the Company to allot and issue shares

Resolution 9, if passed, will give the Directors authority to allot and issue ordinary shares at any time up to a maximum of 20% of the total number of issued shares of the Company (*20% General Mandate*) for such purposes as the Directors consider expedient and in the best interest of the Company. This authority will expire at the next Annual General Meeting of the Company unless revoked or varied by the Company at a general meeting.

The 20% limit is the increased limit (from the 10% limit prescribed in the Listing Requirements) accorded to listed issuers by Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad vide its letter dated 16 April 2020 as part of its interim relief measures to help listed issuers raise funds quickly and efficiently during this challenging time as a result of the pandemic.

The Board of Directors of the Company is of the view that the 20% General Mandate will provide the Company the flexibility to raise capital in a fast and timely manner for funding future investment project(s), working capital and/or acquisitions or strategic opportunities involving equity deals such as but not limited to placement of shares. The cost and delay involved in convening a general meeting to approve such issuance of shares will be eliminated. As such, the Board considers the 20% General Mandate proposal to be in the best interest of the Company and its shareholders.

Resolution pertaining to the Renewal of Authority to Buy Back Shares of the Company

or Resolution 10, further information on the Share Buy-Back is set out in Part A of the Statement to Shareholders dated 30 October 2020 which is dispatched together th the Company's Annual Report 2020.

Resolution pertaining to the Recurrent Related Party Transactions of a Revenue or Trading Nature ("RRPT")

For Resolution 11, further information on the RRPT is set out in Part B of the Circular to Shareholders dated 30 October 2020 which is dispatched together with the Company's Annual Report 2020.