

Corporate Governance

The Company strives to attain and maintain high standards of corporate governance best suited the needs and interests of the Group as it believes that an effective corporate governance framework is fundamental to promoting and safeguarding the interests of shareholders and other stakeholders and enhancing shareholder value. Accordingly, the Company has adopted and applied corporate governance principles and practices that emphasise a quality Board, effective risk management and internal control systems, stringent disclosure practices, transparency and accountability as well as effective communication and engagement with shareholders and other stakeholders. It is, in addition, committed to continuously enhancing these standards and practices in light of current and emerging corporate governance development of relevance to the Group to reflect market practice, expectations and regulatory changes as appropriate, inculcating a robust culture of compliance and accountability across the businesses of the Group.

Compliance with the Corporate Governance Code

The Company has complied throughout the six months ended 30 June 2024 with all applicable code provisions of the Corporate Governance Code contained in Appendix C1 of the Listing Rules.

Compliance with the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors

The Board has adopted its own HTHKH Securities Code regulating Directors' dealings in securities (Group and otherwise), on terms no less exacting than the required standard of the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers set out in Appendix C3 of the Listing Rules. In response to specific enquiries made, all Directors have confirmed that they have complied with the HTHKH Securities Code in their securities transactions throughout their tenure during the six months ended 30 June 2024.