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(incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability) (Stock Code: 0017) (the "**Offeror**")

Tender offer to purchase for cash the U.S.\$1,200,000,000 5.75 per cent. guaranteed senior perpetual capital securities (ISIN: XS1497605805; Common Code: 149760580) issued by NWD Finance (BVI) Limited (the "Issuer") and unconditionally and irrevocably guaranteed by the Offeror (the "Securities")

(Stock Code: 4561)

## SETTLEMENT OF TENDER OFFER

Reference is made to the announcements of the Offeror dated 27 May 2021 and 9 June 2021 (together, the "**Announcements**") in respect of the Offer. Capitalised terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings given to them in the Announcements.

The Board of the Offeror accordingly announces that payment of the Purchase Consideration for all Securities validly tendered and accepted for purchase by the Offeror was made on 10 June 2021.

Further to the settlement of the Offer, U.S.\$381,255,000 in aggregate principal amount of the Securities were purchased and redeemed by the Offeror on 10 June 2021 and cancelled pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Securities. U.S.\$818,745,000 in aggregate principal amount of the Securities remain outstanding.

By Order of the Board Dr. Cheng Kar Shun, Henry *Chairman* 

Hong Kong, 11 June 2021

As at the date of this announcement, (a) the executive directors of the Offeror are Dr. Cheng Kar Shun, Henry, Dr. Cheng Chi Kong, Adrian, Mr. Cheng Chi Heng, Ms. Cheng Chi Man, Sonia, Mr. Sitt Nam Hoi, Ms. Huang Shaomei, Echo and Ms. Chiu Wai Han, Jenny; (b) the non-executive directors of the Offeror are Mr. Doo Wai Hoi, William and Mr. Cheng Kar Shing, Peter; and (c) the independent non-executive directors of the Offeror are Mr. Yeung Ping Leung, Howard, Mr. Ho Hau Hay, Hamilton, Mr. Lee Luen Wai, John, Mr. Liang Cheung Biu, Thomas and Mr. Ip Yuk Keung, Albert.