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ORIENTAL PAYMENT GROUP HOLDINGS LIMITED

東方支付集團控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 8613)

PROFIT WARNING

This announcement is made by Oriental Payment Group Holdings Limited (the "Company", together with its subsidiaries, the "Group") pursuant to Rule 17.10 of the Rules (the "GEM Listing Rules") Governing the Listing of Securities on GEM of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") and the Inside Information Provisions under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Cap. 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

The board (the "Board") of directors ("Director(s)") of the Company hereby informs the shareholders of the Company (the "Shareholder(s)") and potential investors that based on the preliminary assessment of the unaudited consolidated management accounts of the Group for the nine months ended 31 December 2021 and other information currently available to the Board, the Group is expected to record (1) a decrease in revenue by approximately 74% for the nine months ended 31 December 2021, as compared with the revenue of approximately HK\$10.4 million for the corresponding period in 2020; and (2) a loss attributable to equity holders of the Company of approximately HK\$25.0 million for the nine months ended 31 December 2021, as compared with the loss attributable to equity holders of the Company of approximately HK\$17.9 million for the corresponding period in 2020.

The foregoing decrease in the revenue and increase in the loss attributable to equity holders of the Company were primarily attributable to the facts that some of the Chinese tourists, who were previously stuck in Thailand due to the lockdown in Thailand and closure of airports in the People's Republic of China (the "PRC"), for the corresponding period in 2020, having gradually returned to the PRC and also a majority of the international flights to Thailand remaining to have not resumed. This resulted in a further drop of the Chinese tourists' spending in Thailand, and hence a further decrease in the transaction volume via UnionPay processed by the Group for the nine months ended 31 December 2021 as compared with that of the corresponding period in 2020.

Details of the preliminary unaudited condensed consolidated third quarterly results for the nine months ended 31 December 2021 is as follows:

	For the three months ended 31 December		For the nine months ended 31 December	
	2021 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2020 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2021 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2020 <i>HK\$'000</i>
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
Revenue	592	2,839	2,717	10,435
Cost of services rendered	(340)	(1,709)	(1,656)	(6,712)
Gross profit	252	1,130	1,061	3,723
Other income	499	371	1,675	1,220
General administrative expenses	(4,943)	(4,081)	(16,504)	(12,308)
Selling and distribution costs	(1,800)	(2,657)	(5,962)	(7,970)
Finance costs	(1,584)	(863)	(4,569)	(1,772)
Share of results of an associate		(340)	(624)	(794)
Loss before tax	(7,576)	(6,440)	(24,923)	(17,901)
Income tax expenses			(73)	
Loss for the period	(7,576)	(6,440)	(24,996)	(17,901)
Attributable to:				
Equity holders of the Company	(7,576)	(6,440)	(24,996)	(17,901)

The Company is still in the course of preparing and finalising the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group for the nine months ended 31 December 2021. The information contained in this announcement is only a preliminary assessment by the Company based on the unaudited consolidated management accounts of the Group for the nine months ended 31 December 2021 and other information currently available to the Board, which has not been reviewed or agreed by the independent auditor or the audit committee of the Company and is subject to possible adjustments upon their further review. The actual financial results for the nine months ended 31 December 2021 may be different from the information disclosed in this announcement. The Group's unaudited condensed consolidated third quarterly results announcement for the nine months ended 31 December 2021 is expected to be published by the Company on 9 February 2022.

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

By Order of the Board

Oriental Payment Group Holdings Limited

Dr. Ng Kit Chong

Chairman

Hong Kong, 27 January 2022

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Dr. Ng Kit Chong and Mr. Lin Xiaofeng as executive Directors, Mr. Xiong Wensen and Mr. Shiu Shu Ming as non-executive Directors and Mr. Chung, Wai Chuen Alfred, Ms. Huang Ping and Mr. Ng Ka Po as independent non-executive Directors.

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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