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金屬電子交易所集團有限公司\*

*(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)*

**(Stock code: 8161)**

## **NOTICE OF SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that a special general meeting of WorldMetal Holdings Limited (the “Company”) will be held at Renaissance Harbour View Hotel, Board Rooms 3 & 4, Mezzanine Floor, 1 Harbour Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong on Monday, 4 July 2005 at 10:00 a.m. for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing with or without amendments, the following resolutions as ordinary resolutions of the Company:

### **ORDINARY RESOLUTION NO. 1**

**“THAT:**

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the exercise by the directors of the Company (the “Directors”) during the Relevant Period (as defined in paragraph (d) below) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with the unissued shares of HK\$0.01 each in the capital of the Company (the “Shares”) or securities convertible into Shares, options, warrants or similar rights to subscribe for any Shares, and to make or grant offers, agreements, options and warrants, which might require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) above shall be in addition to any other authorisation given to the Directors and shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the aggregate nominal amount of share capital allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise), issued or dealt with by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as defined in paragraph (d) below); or (ii) the exercise of any options granted under the share option scheme; or (iii) any scrip dividend or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of Shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on Shares in accordance with the bye-laws of the Company in force from time to time; or (iv) any issue of Shares upon the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any warrants of the Company or any securities which are convertible into Shares, shall not exceed 20% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue on the date of passing of this resolution and the approval pursuant to paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be limited accordingly; and

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(d) for the purpose of this resolution:

“Relevant Period” means the period from the date of the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the end of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the bye-laws of the Company, the Companies Act 1981 of Bermuda or any other applicable law of Bermuda to be held; or
- (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking or varying the authority given to the Directors by this resolution;

“Rights Issue” means an offer of Shares, or offer or issue of warrants, options or other securities giving rights to subscribe for Shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to eligible holders of Shares on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of Shares (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the Directors may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements, or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of, or the expense or delay which may be involved in determining the existence or extent of any restriction or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of, and jurisdiction outside Hong Kong or any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange outside Hong Kong).”

## **ORDINARY RESOLUTION NO. 2**

“**THAT** conditional upon the passing of Resolution numbered 1 set out in the notice of special general meeting dated 17 June 2005, the aggregate nominal amount of the Shares that the Directors may allot, issue or deal with the unissued Shares or securities convertible into Shares, options, warrants or similar rights to subscribe for any Shares, and to make or grant offers, agreements and options under the general mandate granted to the Directors pursuant to such Resolution numbered 1 be and is hereby increased by the aggregate nominal amount of Shares repurchased by the Company pursuant to and in accordance with Resolution numbered 6 passed at the annual general meeting of the Company held on 3 August 2004, provided that such amount shall not exceed 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue at the date of passing such Resolution numbered 6.”

By Order of the Board  
**NG Lai Ping, Grace**  
*Company Secretary*

Hong Kong, 17 June 2005

*Notes:*

- (1) A member entitled to attend and vote at the special general meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy or proxies to attend and vote instead of him. A proxy need not be a member of the Company. In the event that a member appoints more than one proxy, on a show of hands, all such proxies shall collectively have one vote unless otherwise provided for in the bye-laws of the Company.
- (2) A form of proxy for use at the special general meeting is enclosed. To be valid, the form of proxy together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed or notarially certified copy thereof must be deposited at the principal place of business of the Company at Unit 1406, 14th Floor, Office Tower, Convention Plaza, 1 Harbour Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong as soon as possible and, in any event, not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the meeting. Completion and deposit of the form of proxy will not preclude a member from attending and voting in person.
- (3) If two or more persons are joint holders of a Share, the vote of the senior who tenders a vote, whether in person or by proxy, will be accepted to the exclusion of the vote(s) of the other joint holder(s) and for this purpose seniority shall be determined by the order in which the names stand in the register of members of the Company in respect of the Share.

*As at the date of this announcement, the board of Directors of the Company comprises Ms. Lau Ting, Mr. Chen Aizheng and Mr. Ng Man Fai, Matthew as Executive Directors and Mr. King Roger, Mr. Huang Shenglan and Mr. Li Xiaojun as Independent Non-Executive Directors.*

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