



HOTEL ROYAL LIMITED

(Co. Reg. No. 196800298G)
(Incorporated in the Republic of Singapore)

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the 44th Annual General Meeting of Hotel Royal Limited will be held at the Hotel Royal, 36 Newton Road, Royal Room 1, Level 3, Singapore 307964 on 27 April 2013 at 2.30 p.m. for the following purposes:-

Ordinary Business

1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and Audited Financial Statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2012 together with the Auditors' Report thereon. (Resolution 1)
2. To declare a First and Final Dividend of 5 cents per ordinary share one-tier tax exempt for the financial year ended 31 December 2012. (Resolution 2)
3. To approve the sum of S\$167,000.00 as Directors' Fees for the financial year ended 31 December 2012. (FY2011: S\$147,000.00) (Resolution 3)
4. To re-elect Mr Lee Khin Tien who is retiring in accordance with Article 117 of the Company's Articles of Association, as Director of the Company. (Resolution 4)
(Note: Mr Lee Khin Tien will, upon re-election as Director of the Company, remain as a member of the Audit Committee, Remuneration Committee and Nominating Committee).
5. To re-appoint COL (Ret) Rodney How Seen Shing as Director who will retire and seek re-appointment under Section 153(6) of the Companies Act, Cap. 50, to hold office from the date of this Annual General Meeting until the next Annual General Meeting of the Company. (Resolution 5)
(Note: COL (Ret) Rodney How Seen Shing will, upon re-election as Director of the Company, remain as the Chairman of the Audit Committee and a member of the Remuneration Committee and Nominating Committee and will be considered independent).
6. To re-appoint Mr Ng Kok Lip as Director who will retire and seek re-appointment under Section 153(6) of the Companies Act, Cap. 50, to hold office from the date of this Annual General Meeting until the next Annual General Meeting of the Company. (Resolution 6)
(Note: Mr Ng Kok Lip will, upon re-election as Director of the Company, remain as the Chairman of the Nominating Committee and a member of the Audit Committee and Remuneration Committee and will be considered independent).
7. To re-appoint Deloitte & Touche LLP as Auditors of the Company and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration. (Resolution 7)

Special Business

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolutions, with or without amendments, as Ordinary Resolutions:-

8. Authority to issue shares
"That pursuant to Section 161 of the Companies Act, Chapter 50 (the "Act"), the Articles of Association and the listing rules of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited ("SGX-ST"), authority be and is hereby given to the Directors of the Company to:-
(a) (i) allot and issue shares in the capital of the Company (the "Shares") (whether by way of rights, bonus or otherwise); and/or
(ii) make or grant offers, agreements, or options (collectively, "Instruments") that might or would require Shares to be issued, including but not limited to the creation and issue of warrants, debentures and other instruments convertible into Shares, at any time and upon such terms and for such purposes and to such persons as the Directors may in their absolute discretion deem fit; and
(b) (notwithstanding the authority conferred by this Resolution may have ceased to be in force):
(i) issue additional instruments as adjustments in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Instruments made or granted by the Directors while this Resolution was in force; and
(ii) issue Shares in pursuance of any Instruments made or granted by the Directors while this Resolution was in force or such additional Instruments in (b)(i) above, provided that:
(1) the aggregate number of Shares to be issued pursuant to this Resolution (including Shares to be issued in pursuance of Instruments made or granted pursuant to this Resolution) does not exceed 50% of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares, if any) at the time of the passing of this Resolution (as calculated in accordance with sub-paragraph (2) below), of which the aggregate number of Shares issued other than on a pro-rata basis to existing shareholders (including Shares to be issued in pursuance of Instruments made or granted pursuant to this Resolution) does not exceed 5% of the Company's total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares, if any) (as calculated in accordance with sub-paragraph (2) below); and
(2) subject to such manner of calculation as may be prescribed by the SGX-ST for the purpose of determining the aggregate number of Shares that may be issued under sub-paragraph (1) above, the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares, if any) shall be calculated based on the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares, if any) at the time of the passing of this Resolution, after adjusting for:-
(a) new Shares arising from the conversion or exercise of convertible securities;
(b) new Shares arising from the exercise of share options or vesting of share awards outstanding or subsisting at the time this Resolution is passed, provided the options or awards were granted in compliance with Part VIII of Chapter 8 of the SGX-ST Listing Manual; and
(c) any subsequent bonus issue, consolidation or subdivision of Shares;
(3) in exercising the authority conferred by this Resolution, the Company shall comply with the provisions of the listing rules of the SGX-ST for the time being in force (unless such compliance has been waived by the SGX-ST) and the Articles of Association for the time being of the Company; and
(4) (unless revoked or varied by the Company in general meeting) the authority conferred by this Resolution shall continue in force until the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company or the date by which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by law to be held, whichever is the earlier."
[See Explanatory Note (a)] (Resolution 8)
9. Renewal of Share Purchase Mandate
"That for the purposes of Sections 76C and 76E of the Companies Act, Cap. 50, the Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to make purchases or otherwise acquire issued shares in the capital of the Company from time to time (whether by way of market purchases or off-market purchases on an equal access scheme) of up to ten per centum (10%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) in the capital of the Company (as ascertained as at the date of the Annual General Meeting of the Company) at the price of up to but not exceeding the Maximum Price as defined in the section entitled "Definitions" set out on Page 4 of the Circular dated 9 April 2009 to the Shareholders of the Company and in accordance with the "Guidelines on Share Purchases" set out in Appendix I of the said Circular and this mandate shall, unless revoked or varied by the Company in general meeting, continue in force until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company or the date by which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law to be held, whichever is earlier." [See Explanatory Note (b)] (Resolution 9)

Any Other Business

10. To transact any other business which may be properly transacted at an Annual General Meeting.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

Sharon Yeoh
Company Secretary

Singapore,
12 April 2013

Explanatory Notes:-

- (a) Resolution 8, if passed, will empower the Directors from the date of the Annual General Meeting until the date of the next Annual General Meeting, to issue shares and convertible securities in the Company. The number of shares and convertible securities that the Directors may allot and issue under this Resolution would not exceed 50% of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) of the Company at the time of the passing of this resolution. For issue of shares and convertible securities other than on a pro-rata basis to all shareholders, the aggregate number of shares and convertible securities to be issued shall not exceed 5% of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) of the Company.
- (b) Resolution 9, if passed, will renew the Share Purchase Mandate and will authorise the Directors to purchase or otherwise acquire Shares on the terms and subject to the conditions of the resolution. The rationale for, the authority and limitation on, the sources of funds to be used for the purchase or acquisition including the amount of financing and the financial effects of the purchase or acquisition of Shares by the Company pursuant to the Share Purchase Mandate on the audited consolidated financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 31 December 2012 are set out in greater detail in the Appendix enclosed together with the Annual Report. The authority will expire at the next Annual General Meeting of the Company, unless previously revoked or waived at a general meeting.

NOTES:-

1. A member entitled to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting is entitled to appoint not more than two proxies to attend and vote in his/her stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
2. The instrument appointing a proxy shall, in the case of an individual, be signed by the appointor or his attorney, and in case of a corporation, shall be either under the Common Seal or signed by its attorney or an officer on behalf of the corporation.
3. The instrument appointing a proxy must be deposited at the Registered Office of the Company at 36 Newton Road, Singapore 307964 not less than forty-eight (48) hours before the time for holding the Annual General Meeting.