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# KWUNG'S AROMA HOLDINGS LIMITED

# 曠世芳香控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 1925)

# DISCLOSEABLE TRANSACTION REDEMPTION OF INTERESTS IN FUNDS

#### REDEMPTION OF INTERESTS IN FUNDS

On 20 December 2024, Ningbo Kwung's, an indirectly wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, served a written notice to the Fund Manager to redeem its partial interest in the First Fund. The carrying amount of such interest in the First Fund as at 30 June 2024 under the First Redemption was approximately RMB20,557,000. On 23 December 2024, Ningbo Kwung's served another written notice to the Fund Manager to redeem its partial interest in the Second Fund. The carrying amount of such interest in the Second Fund as at 30 June 2024 under the Second Redemption was approximately RMB30,842,000.

# IMPLICATION UNDER THE LISTING RULES

All of the applicable percentage ratios (as defined under the Listing Rules) in respect of the First Redemption are less than 5%. Accordingly the First Subscription did not constitute a discloseable transaction under Chapter 14 of the Listing Rules at the time of entering into the subscription agreement.

As certain applicable percentage ratios (as defined under the Listing Rules) in respect of the Second Redemption after aggregation with the First Redemption exceed 5% but are less than 25%, the Redemptions constitutes a discloseable transaction for the Company and is subject to notification and announcement requirements under Chapter 14 of the Listing Rules.

#### INTRODUCTION

Ningbo Kwung's, an indirectly wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, subscribed interests in two funds (the "Funds"), namely Zhurunle No. 18 Private Equity Investment Fund\* (竹 潤樂在18號私募證券投資基金) (the "First Fund") and Qiukehui Haileshan No. 1 Private Equity Investment Fund\* (秋客匯霽海樂山1號私募證券投資基金) (the "Second Fund") on 2 January 2024 and the total subscription amounts in the Funds were RMB100,000,000. The Funds are managed by Shanghai Zhurun Investment Company Limited\* (上海竹潤投資有限公司) (the "Fund Manager"). Please refer to the announcement of the Company dated 2 January 2024 for the details of the subscriptions in the Funds.

As at 30 June 2024, the total carrying amounts of the interests in the Funds held by the Group was approximately RMB102,798,000.

On 20 December 2024, Ningbo Kwung's served a written notice to the Fund Manager to redeem its partial interest in the First Fund (the "**First Redemption**"). The carrying amount of such interest in the First Fund as at 30 June 2024 which was redeemed by Ningbo Kwung's was approximately RMB20,557,000.

On 23 December 2024, Ningbo Kwung's served another written notice to the Fund Manager to redeem its partial interest in the Second Fund (the "Second Redemption") (together with the First Redemption, the "Redemptions"). The carrying amount of such interest in the Second Fund as at 30 June 2024 which was redeemed by Ningbo Kwung's was approximately RMB30,842,000.

The estimated redemption proceeds from the First Redemption is approximately RMB21,600,000 and the estimated redemption proceeds from the Second Redemption is approximately RMB31,281,000. The redemption proceeds are expected to be received in two days after serving the written notices to the Fund Manager.

### INFORMATION OF THE PARTIES

## The Group

The Company is incorporated in Cayman Islands with limited liability and the Group is principally engaged in the design and manufacturing of home decoration products, comprising candles, home fragrance and home accessories in the PRC.

## The Fund Manager

Shanghai Zhurun Investment Company Limited\* (上海竹潤投資有限公司) was established in 2015 under the laws of PRC and was registered as a private fund manager under the Asset Management Association of China in October 2019 (registration number: P1070287), which is principally engaged in asset management services in the PRC.

Shanghai Zhurun Investment Company Limited\* (上海竹潤投資有限公司) is ultimately owned as to 60% by Mr. LE Zhengnan\* (樂徵楠) and 40% by Mr. LI Ye\* (栗葉). To the best knowledge, information and belief of the Directors, and having made all reasonable enquiries, Shanghai Zhurun Investment Company Limited\* (上海竹潤投資有限公司) and its ultimate beneficial owners are third parties independent of and not connected with the Company and its connected persons.

#### REASONS FOR AND BENEFITS OF THE REDEMPTIONS

The Group has subscribed interests in the Funds for approximately one year and there has been stable unrealised gain from such investments in the Funds throughout the subscription period up to the date of the Redemptions. The Directors are of the view that it is important to make periodic review on the performance and the outlook of the Funds, and consider that it is a good timing to redeem certain interests in the Funds to secure the unrealised gain and explore other investment opportunities in the market.

The Group intends to use the proceeds from the Redemptions for other investment and business opportunities that may arise in the future.

In view of the above, the Directors consider that the Redemptions are on normal commercial terms which are fair and reasonable and in the interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole.

### IMPLICATIONS UNDER THE LISTING RULES

All of the applicable percentage ratios (as defined under the Listing Rules) in respect of the First Redemption are less than 5%. Accordingly the First Redemption did not constitute a discloseable transaction under Chapter 14 of the Listing Rules.

Since the First Fund and the Second Fund involved under the Redemptions share similar transaction nature and investment terms, are entered into with the same fund manager, and transactions thereunder are carried out within 12 months prior to the date of this announcement, such transactions are required to be aggregated pursuant to Rule 14.22 of the Listing Rules.

As certain applicable percentage ratios (as defined under the Listing Rules) in respect of the Second Redemption after aggregation with the First Redemption, exceed 5% but are less than 25%, the Fund Subscriptions constitute a discloseable transaction for the Company and is subject to notification and announcement requirements under Chapter 14 of the Listing Rules.

#### **DEFINITIONS**

In this announcement, unless the context otherwise requires, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

"Board" the board of Directors

"Company" Kwung's Aroma Holdings Limited, a company incorporated in

the Cayman Islands with limited liability, the issued shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange (stock

code: 1925)

"Director(s)" director(s) of the Company

"First Fund" Zhurun Lezai No. 18 Private Equity Investment Fund\* (竹潤樂

在18號私募證券投資基金)

"First Redemption" Redemption of partial interest in the First Fund by Ningbo

Kwung's on 20 December 2024, the carrying amount of which

was approximately RMB20,557,000 as at 30 June 2024

"Fund Manager" Shanghai Zhurun Investment Company Limited\* (上海竹潤投

資有限公司), a company established in the PRC with limited liability and registered as a private fund manager under the Asset Management Association of China in October 2019 (registration

number: P1070287)

"Funds" collectively, the First Fund and the Second Fund

"Group" the Company and its subsidiaries

"Hong Kong" the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC

"Independent Third Party" a party independent of and not connected with the Company

and its connected persons

"Listing Rules" The Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock

Exchange

"Ningbo Kwung's" Ningbo Kwung's Wisdom Art & Design Company Limited\*

(寧波曠世智源工藝設計有限公司), a company established in the PRC with limited liability, and an indirectly wholly-owned

subsidiary of the Company

"PRC" the People's Republic of China which, for the purpose of

this announcement, excludes Hong Kong, the Macau Special

Administrative Region of the PRC and Taiwan

"Redemptions" collectively the First Redemption and the Second Redemption

"RMB" Renminbi, the lawful currency of PRC

"Second Fund" Qiukehui Haileshan No. 1 Private Equity Investment Fund\* (秋

客匯霽海樂山1號私募證券投資基金)

"Second Redemption" Redemption of partial interest in the Second Fund by Ningbo

Kwung's on 23 December 2024, the carrying amount of which

was approximately RMB30,842,000 as at 30 June 2024

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"%" percentage

By order of the Board

Kwung's Aroma Holdings Limited

JIN Jianxin

Chairman

Hong Kong, 23 December 2024

As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. JIN Jianxin and Mr. TIAN Dong; the non-executive Director is Mr. SHAO Patrick; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. LAI Chun Yu, Ms. XU Qiong and Mr. ZHOU Kai.