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POSITIVE PROFIT ALERT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2025

This announcement is made by the Company pursuant to Rule 13.09 of the Listing Rules and the inside information provisions under Part XIVA of the SFO.

The Board of the Company wishes to inform the shareholders of the Company and potential investors that, based on the preliminary review of the management accounts of the Group, the Group is expected to record a profit for the Year ranging from approximately RMB2,100 million to RMB2,300 million, an increase ranging from 165% to 190%, as compared to RMB793.9 million for the Last Year. The increase in profit mainly contributed by the increase in sales volume, the decrease in the cost of raw materials being more significantly and faster than the decrease in the selling prices of the products, which led to the increase of gross profit.

The USD400 million perpetual capital securities was issued in June 2024. The profit attributable to the holders of perpetual capital securities for the Year amounted approximately RMB400.0 million. Therefore, the Group is expected to record a profit attributable to equity holders of the Company ranging from approximately RMB1,700 million to RMB1,900 million, an increase ranging from 126% to 153%, for the Year which compared to RMB750.7 million for the Last Year.

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

This announcement is made by Nine Dragons Paper (Holdings) Limited (the "Company", together with its subsidiaries, collectively, the "Group") pursuant to Rule 13.09 of The Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules") and the Inside Information Provisions (as defined in the Listing Rules) under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance ("SFO") (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

The board of directors of the Company (the "Board") wishes to inform the shareholders of the Company and potential investors that, based on the preliminary review of the management accounts of the Group, the Group is expected to record a profit ranging from approximately

RMB2,100 million to RMB2,300 million, an increase ranging from 165% to 190%, for the year ended 30 June 2025 (the "Year") as compared to RMB793.9 million for the year ended 30 June 2024 (the "Last Year"). The increase in profit mainly contributed by the increase in sales volume, the decrease in the cost of raw materials being more significantly and faster than the decrease in the selling prices of the products, which led to the increase of gross profit.

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As the Company is in the course of preparing its annual results for the Year, the information contained in this announcement is only a preliminary assessment by the Board based on the information currently available. The preliminary annual results of the Group for the Year as provided in this announcement have not been audited or reviewed by the Company's auditor or the audit committee of the Board, and will be subject to change and finalisation. The annual results announcement of the Group for the Year is expected to be published before the end of September 2025.

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By Order of the Board
Nine Dragons Paper (Holdings) Limited
Cheung Yan
Chairlady

Hong Kong, 20 August 2025

As at the date of this announcement, the Board of the Company comprises seven Executive Directors, being Ms. Cheung Yan, Mr. Liu Ming Chung, Mr. Zhang Cheng Fei, Mr. Ken Liu, Mr. Lau Chun Shun, Mr. Zhang Lianpeng and Ms. Zhang Lianru and four Independent Non-Executive Directors, being Mr. Lam Yiu Kin, Ms. Chan Man Ki Maggie, Dr. Li Huiqun and Dr. Cao Zhenlei.

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