



# VICTORY GROUP LIMITED

*(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)*

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an Annual General Meeting of Victory Group Limited (the "Company") will be held at Constable Room, 1st Floor, Grand Stanford Inter-Continental Hong Kong, 70 Mody Road, Tsimshatsui East, Kowloon, Hong Kong on Tuesday, 5 June 2001, at 3:00 p.m. for the following purposes:-

1. To receive and consider the Audited Financial Statements and the Reports of the Directors and of the Auditors for the year ended 31 December 2000;
2. To re-elect Directors, to fix the maximum number of Directors, and to authorise the Board to appoint additional Directors and fix the Directors' remuneration;
3. To appoint auditors and to fix their remuneration taking into consideration of a notice received from a member pursuant to Section 89(3) of the Companies Act 1981 (as amended) of its intention to propose the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:-

**"THAT** Fan, Mitchell & Co., the retiring auditors who have been appointed by the Directors to fill the casual vacancy during the year, be appointed auditors of the Company to hold office until the conclusion of the next annual general meeting at a fee to be fixed by the Directors.";

4. To consider as Special Business and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:-

**"THAT:**

- (a) subject to paragraph 4(c) below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the capital of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (b) the approval in paragraph 4(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 and issued, or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted and issued (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph 4(a) above, otherwise than pursuant to a Rights Issue (as hereafter defined) or the exercise of options under the share option scheme of the Company, shall not exceed 20 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of the passing of this Resolution, and the authority granted pursuant to paragraph 4(a) shall be limited accordingly; and
- (d) for the purpose of this Resolution:-

"Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this Resolution until whichever is the earlier of:-

- (i) the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law or the Bye-laws of the Company to be held; or
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting.

"Rights Issue" means an offer of shares open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of shares on the register of members on a fixed record date in proportion to their holdings of such 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 any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange in any territory outside Hong Kong).";

- 5. To consider as Special Business and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:-

**"THAT:-**

- (a) subject to paragraph 5(c) below, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to repurchase issued shares subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph 5(a) above shall be in addition to any other authorisation given to the Directors;
- (c) the aggregate nominal amount of share capital purchased or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be purchased by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph 5(a) above during the Relevant Period shall be no more than 10 per cent. of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of the passing of this Resolution, and the authority granted pursuant to paragraph 5(a) shall be limited accordingly; and
- (d) for the purpose of this Resolution:-

"Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this Resolution until whichever is the earlier of :-

- (i) the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law or the Bye-laws of the Company to be held; or
- (iii) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this Resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting."; and

6. To consider as Special Business and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:-

**"THAT** conditional on the passing of the Ordinary Resolutions numbered 4 and 5 as set out in the notice of the Meeting of which this Resolution forms part, the aggregate nominal amount of the number of shares in the share capital of the Company that shall have been repurchased by the Directors after the date of the passing of this Resolution pursuant to and in accordance with the said Ordinary Resolution numbered 5 shall be added to the aggregate nominal amount of share capital that may be allotted and issued or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted and issued by the Directors

pursuant to the general mandate to allot and issue shares granted to the Directors by the said Ordinary Resolution numbered 4."

On Behalf of the Board

**Chan Chun Choi**

*Chairman*

Hong Kong, 26 April 2001

*Notes:*

1. A member of the Company who is entitled to attend and vote at the Meeting convened by the above notice is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote on his behalf. A proxy need not be a member of the Company. A member who is the holder of two or more shares may appoint more than one proxy to represent him and vote on his behalf. If more than one proxy is so appointed, the appointment shall specify the number and class of shares in respect of which each such proxy is so appointed.
2. In order to be valid, the form of proxy together with any power of attorney or other authority under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy of such power of authority, must be deposited with the Company's Branch Share Registrar in Hong Kong, Tengis Limited, at 4th Floor, Hutchison House, 10 Harcourt Road, Central, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time for holding the Meeting, or any adjournment thereof.
3. The Register of Members of the Company will be closed from 30 May 2001 to 5 June 2001 both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares will be effected. In order to qualify for attending the Meeting convened by the above notice, all transfers accompanied by the relevant share certificate and transfer forms must be lodged with the Company's Branch Share Registrar in Hong Kong, Tengis Limited, at 4th Floor, Hutchison House, 10 Harcourt Road, Central, Hong Kong not later than 4:00 p.m. on 29 May 2001.
4. An explanatory statement containing further details on Resolutions 4 to 6 above will be sent to members of the Company together with the Annual Report for the year ended 31 December 2000.

Please also refer to the published version of this announcement in the i-Mail.