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## **PROFIT WARNING**

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The board (the "**Board**") of directors (the "**Directors**") of the Company wish to inform the shareholders of the Company (the "**Shareholders**") and potential investors that, based on a preliminary review of the unaudited consolidated management accounts of the Group for the year ended 31 March 2025 (the "**Reporting Period**") and information available to the Board, the Group is expected to record a net loss of approximately HK\$13,000,000 for the Reporting Period, as compared with a net profit of approximately HK\$8,890,000 for the year ended 31 March 2024 (the "**Corresponding Period**").

The Board considers that the aforesaid change from profit to loss position was primarily attributable to several factors. The most substantial impact came from a HK\$15,000,000 negative swing in the fair value of investments, which shifted from a profit of approximately HK\$6,700,000 for the Corresponding Period to a loss of approximately HK\$8,300,000 for the Reporting Period. Additional negative contributors included increase in impairment of assets of approximately HK\$9,200,000, decrease in other income of approximately HK\$1,300,000, increase in depreciation expenses for right-of-use of assets of approximately HK\$800,000, increase in finance costs of approximately HK\$1,600,000 and elevated income tax expenses of approximately HK\$600,000. These negative factors were partially offset by increased in total revenue of approximately HK\$6,900,000, though this positive element was insufficient to prevent the overall decline.

The information contained in this announcement is only a preliminary assessment by the management of the Company based on the unaudited consolidated management accounts of the Group for the Reporting Period and the information currently available to the Board, which have not been audited by the auditor of the Company or reviewed by the audit committee of the Company. The Company is in the process of finalising the annual result of the Group for the Reporting Period, which is expected to be published by end of June 2025.

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

By order of the Board Gaoyu Finance Group Limited Fok Yuk Tong Chairman and Executive Director

Hong Kong, 17 June 2025

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises six Directors, namely Mr. Fok Yuk Tong (Chairman), Ms. Hsieh Ching Chun and Ms. Fok Kit Yee as executive Directors; and Ms. Chan Hoi Wuen Katherine, Mr. Tong Wing Chi and Mr. Kwan Tsz Chun Sun as independent non-executive Directors.

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