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# KINGDEE INTERNATIONAL SOFTWARE GROUP COMPANY LIMITED 金 蝶 國 際 軟 件 集 團 有 限 公 司

(incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 268)

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The Shares are currently traded in board lots of 500 Shares. Upon the Share Subdivision becoming effective, the Subdivided Shares will be trade in board lots of 2,000 Subdivided Shares.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

A circular containing, amongst other things, further information on the Share Subdivision, the trading arrangements in respect of the Subdivided Shares, the procedure for the free exchange of Existing Share Certificates together with a notice convening the EGM, will be dispatched to the Shareholders as soon as practicable.

# PROPOSED SUBDIVISION OF SHARES

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### **Conditions of the Share Subdivision**

The Share Subdivision is conditional, amongst other things, upon:

- (i) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the Shareholders at the EGM for approving the Share Subdivision; and
- (ii) the Listing Committee granting the approval for the listing of, and permission to deal in, the Subdivided Shares.

# **Reason for the Share Subdivision**

The Board believes that the Share Subdivision will improve the liquidity in trading of the Shares, thereby enabling the Company to attract more investors and widen the Company's shareholder base. Given the prevailing market conditions, a more liquid market will provide more flexibility for investors to buy and sell the Shares. Accordingly, the Board considers the Share Subdivision to be in the best interests of the Company and its Shareholders as a whole.

Save for the costs to be incurred by the Company in implementing the Share Subdivision, the Share Subdivision will not alter the underlying assets, business operations, management or financial position of the Company or the proportional interests of the Shareholders. The Board considers that the Share Subdivision will not have any adverse effect on the financial position of the Company.

# **Shareholding structure**

As at the date of this announcement, the authorised share capital of the Company is HK\$100,000,000 divided into 1,000,000,000 Shares, of which 458,293,344 Shares are in issue and fully paid. Assuming that no further Shares will be issued or repurchased after the date of this announcement, the effect of the Share Subdivision on the share capital of the Company is set out as follows:

	<b>Before Share Subdivision</b>	After Share		
	(assuming no Share is	Subdivision (assuming		
	issued or repurchased	no Share is issued or		
	after the date hereof)	repurchased after the		
		date hereof)		
Par value of each share	HK\$0.1	HK\$0.025		
Number of authorised shares	1,000,000,000	4,000,000,000		
Authorised share capital	HK\$100,000,000	HK\$100,000,000		
Number of shares in issue	458,293,344	1,833,173,376		
Issued share capital	HK\$45,829,334.4	HK\$45,829,334.4		
Number of unissued shares	541,706,656	2,166,826,624		
Unissued share capital	HK\$54,170,665.6	HK\$54,170,665.6		

The Subdivided Shares will rank *pari passu* in all respects with each other and the Share Subdivision will not result in any change in relevant rights of the Shareholders.

#### Adjustments to share options

As at the date of this announcement, there are outstanding share options for subscription of up to 57,686,964 Shares under the Share Option Schemes. The Share Subdivision may lead to adjustments to the exercise price and the number of Subdivided Shares which may fall to be issued upon exercise of the outstanding share options. The Company will ascertain the required adjustments to the share options of which will be reviewed by the auditors or independent financial advisor of the Company pursuant to Rule 17.03 (13) of the Listing Rules and the rules of the Share Option Schemes, and the holders of the share options will be informed of the required adjustments as soon as practicable.

# **Expected Timetable**

It is currently expected that the Share Subdivision will become effective on 9 May 2008. The expected timetable for the implementation of the Share Subdivision and the associated trading arrangement are set out as follows:

	Time	Date
Latest time from lodging forms of proxy for the EGM	10:00 a.m.	Tuesday, 6 May
EGM	10:00 a.m.	Thursday, 8 May
Publication of further announcement for the effectiveness of the Share Subdivision		Friday, 9 May
Effective date of the Share Subdivision		Friday, 9 May
Dealings in the Subdivided Shares commence	9:30 a.m.	Friday, 9 May
Original counter for trading in existing Shares in board lots of 500 Shares temporarily closes	9:30 a.m.	Friday, 9 May
Temporary counter for trading in board lots of 2,000 Subdivided Shares (in the form of Existing Share Certificates) opens	9:30 a.m.	Friday, 9 May
First day of free exchange of Existing Share Certificate for the New Share Certificates		Friday, 9 May
Original counter for trading in Subdivided Shares in board lots of 2,000 Subdivided Shares (in the form of New Share Certificates) re-opens	9:30 a.m.	Monday, 26 May
Parallel trading in Subdivided Shares (in the form of New Share Certificates and Existing Share Certificates) commences	9:30 a.m.	Monday, 26 May
Temporary counter for trading in board lots of 2,000 Subdivided Shares (in the form of Existing Share Certificates) closes	4:00 p.m.	Tuesday, 17 June
Parallel trading in Subdivided Shares (in the form of New Share Certificates and Existing Share Certificates) ends	4:00 p.m.	Tuesday, 17 June
Last day for free exchange of Existing Share Certificates for New Share Certificates		Friday, 20 June

# **Exchange of Certificates**

The Existing Share Certificates will only be valid for delivery, trading and settlement purposes for the period up to 4:00p.m. on Tuesday, 17 June 2008 and thereafter will not be accepted for delivery, trading and settlement purposes. However, the Existing Share Certificates will continue to be good evidence of legal title to the Subdivided Shares on the basis of one Share for four Subdivided Shares and may be exchanged free of charge for the New Share Certificates for Subdivided Shares at any time between Friday, 9 May 2008 and Friday, 20 June 2008, and on payment of a prescribed fee of

HK\$2.50 at any time after Friday, 20 June 2008 at the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, Shops 1712-16, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wan Chai, Hong Kong. It is expected that the New Share Certificates will be available for collection within a period of 10 Business Days after the submission of the Existing Share Certificates.

#### **GENERAL**

An application will be made to the Stock Exchange for the approval for the listing of, and permission to deal in, the Subdivided Shares.

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#### **DEFINITIONS**

In this announcement, unless the context requires otherwise, the following expressions have the meanings as set out below:

"2001 Scheme"	The share	option scheme	adopted b	ov the	Company	on 30

January 2001

"2002 Scheme" The share option scheme adopted by the Company on 26

April 2002

"2005 Scheme" The share option scheme adopted by the Company on 11 July

2005

"associate(s)" has the meaning ascribed thereto under the Listing Rules

"Board" the board of Directors

"Business Day(s)" any day(s) (other than Saturday) on which commercial banks

in Hong Kong are generally open for business

"Company" Kingdee International Software Group Company Limited, a

company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability, the Shares of which are listed on the Stock

Exchange

"Directors" the directors of the Company

"Group" the Company and its subsidiaries

"EGM" the extraordinary general meeting of the Company to be

convened and held on 8 May 2008

"Existing Share Certificate(s)" existing form of certificates of the Shares

"HK\$" Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong

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

"Listing Committee" the listing sub-committee of the board for Main Board of the

Stock Exchange

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

Exchange

"New Share Certificate(s)" form of certificates of the Subdivided Shares

"Old Share(s)" old ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.10 each in the share capital of

the Company before the Share Subdivision became effective

on 9 May 2008

"Share Option Schemes" collectively, 2001 Scheme, 2002 Scheme and 2005 Scheme

"Shareholders" The holders of the Shares

"Shares" Ordinary shares of HK\$0.10 each in the share capital of the

Company, or if the Share Subdivision is approved at the EGM, ordinary shares of HK\$0.025 each in the share capital

of the Company

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"Share Subdivision" subdivision of every issued and unissued Old Share into four

Shares

"Subdivided Share(s)" ordinary share(s) of par value of HK\$0.025 each in the share

capital of the Company upon completion of the Share

Subdivision

By order of the Board
KINGDEE INTERNATIONAL SOFTWARE
GROUP COMPANY LIMITED

Xu Shao Chun Chairman

Hong Kong, 31 March 2008

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Mr. Xu Shao Chun (Chairman of the Board), Mr. Ho Ching-hua (Chief Executive Officer) and Mr. Chen Deng Kun as executive directors; Mr. James Ming King and Mr. Charles Po-shun Wu as non-executive directors; and Ms. Yang Zhou Nan, Mr. Wu Cheng, Mr. Yeung Kwok On and Mr. Gary Clark Biddle as independent non-executive directors.