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**華邦金融控股有限公司**

**Huabang Financial Holdings Limited**

*(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)*

**(Stock code: 3638)**

**VOLUNTARY ANNOUNCEMENT  
INCREASE IN SHAREHOLDING BY  
SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDER**

This is a voluntary announcement made by Huabang Financial Holdings Limited (the “**Company**”) to inform its shareholders and potential investors in relation to the increase in shareholding by a substantial shareholder, Forever Star Capital Limited (“**Forever Star**”). Each of Mr. George Lu and his spouse, Ms. Shen Wei holds 50% interests in Forever Star respectively. Mr. George Lu is also the chairman and an executive director of the Company.

The Company was informed that Forever Star acquired an aggregate of 44,736,000 ordinary shares of the Company (the “**Shares**”) at an average price of HK\$1.233 each from 4 October 2017 to 6 October 2017 (the “**Acquisition**”).

Immediately prior to the Acquisition, Forever Star was interested in 2,480,792,000 Shares, representing approximately 64.33% of the total issued share capital of the Company. Immediately after the Acquisition, Forever Star was interested in 2,525,528,000 Shares, representing approximately 65.49% of the total issued share capital of the Company as at the date of this announcement.

By order of the Board  
**Huabang Financial Holdings Limited**  
**George Lu**  
*Chairman & Chief Executive Officer*

Hong Kong, 6 October 2017

*As at the date of this announcement, the Executive Directors of the Company are Mr. George Lu, Mr. Lau Wan Po, Mr. Pang Chung Fai Benny and Ms. Lau Wing Sze; and the independent Non-Executive Directors of the Company are Mr. Loo Hong Shing, Vincent, Mr. Shin Yick Fabian, Mr. Mu Binrui and Mr. Lam Allan Loc.*