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VERTEX COMMUNICATIONS & TECHNOLOGY GROUP LIMITED 慧峯集團有限公司*

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 8228)

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual general meeting (the "**Meeting**") of the shareholders of Vertex Communications & Technology Group Limited (the "**Company**") will be held at Plaza IV, Lower Lobby, Novotel Century Hong Kong, 238 Jaffe Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong on Friday, 29 April 2005 at 3:30 p.m. for the following purposes: –

- 1. to receive and consider the audited financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December, 2004 together with the reports of the board of directors of the Company (the "Board of Directors") and Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu, the auditors of the Company;
- 2. to re-elect directors of the Company (the "**Directors**") and authorise the Board of Directors to fix the Director's remuneration;
- 3. to re-appoint Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu as the auditors of the Company and to authorise the Board of Directors to fix their remuneration:
- 4. to consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass, with or without modification, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"THAT:

(a) subject to paragraph (c) of this resolution, and pursuant to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Growth Enterprise Market ("GEM") of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited ("Stock Exchange"), the exercise by the Directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the share capital of the Company and to

make or grant offers, agreements and options (including but not limited to warrants, bonds and debentures convertibles into shares of the Company) which might require the exercise of such power be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;

- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution shall authorise the Directors during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including but not limited to warrants, bonds and debentures convertibles into shares of the Company) which might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- the aggregate nominal value of share capital allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted or issued (whether pursuant to options or otherwise) by the Directors pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined); or (ii) the grant or exercise of any option under the share option scheme of the Company or any other option scheme or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the grant or issue to any officers and/ or other participants of such scheme or arrangement of shares or rights to acquire shares of the Company; or (iii) any scrip dividend scheme or similar arrangement providing for the allotment and issue of shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on shares of the Company in accordance with the articles of association of the Company in force from time to time; or (iv) an issue of shares in the Company upon the exercise of subscription or conversion rights attaching to any warrants which may be issued by the Company from time to time or any existing securities of the Company which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into shares of the Company, shall not exceed 20% of the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company in issue at the date of passing of this resolution, and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be limited accordingly; and
- (d) for the purpose of this resolution,

"Relevant Period" means the period from the date of the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest 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 the articles of association of the Company, or any applicable law of the Cayman Islands to be held; and
- (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking, varying or renewing the authority given to the Directors by this resolution; and

"Rights Issue" means an offer of shares in the Company, or offer or issue of warrants, options or other securities giving the right to subscribe for shares, open for a period fixed by the Directors to holders of shares whose names appear on the register of shareholders of the Company on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares (subject to such exclusion 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, or the expense or delay which may be involved in determining the existence or extent of any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of, any jurisdiction applicable to the Company, or any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange applicable to the Company)."

5. to consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass, with or without modification, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"THAT:

- (a) subject to paragraph (b) of this resolution, the exercise by the Directors during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all powers of the Company to repurchase its shares on the GEM or any other stock exchange on which the shares of the Company may be listed and recognised by The Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong ("Securities and Futures Commission") and the Stock Exchange for such purpose, and otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Securities and Futures Commission, the Stock Exchange or of any other stock exchange as amended from time to time and all applicable laws in this regard, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the aggregate nominal value of shares of the Company authorised to be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) of this resolution during the Relevant Period shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate of the total nominal value of the issued share capital of the Company at the date of the passing of this resolution, and the authority pursuant to paragraph (a) of this resolution shall be limited accordingly; and
- (c) for the purpose of this resolution, "Relevant Period" means the period from the date of the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest 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 the Articles of Association of the Company, or any applicable law of the Cayman Islands to be held; and

- (iii) the passing of an ordinary resolution by the shareholders of the Company in general meeting revoking, varying or renewing the authority given to the Directors by this resolution."
- 6. to consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass, with or without modification, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"THAT conditional upon resolutions nos. 4 and 5 being passed, the unconditional general mandate granted to the Directors and for the time being in force to exercise the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with any additional shares in the share capital of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options (including but not limited to warrants, bonds and debentures convertibles into shares of the Company) which might require the exercise of such power pursuant to resolution no. 4 above be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto of an amount representing the aggregate nominal value of the share capital of the Company repurchased by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to resolution no. 5 above, provided that such extended amount shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate nominal value of the issued share capital of the Company at the date of the passing of the said resolution."

By Order of the Board Vertex Communications & Technology Group Limited AU YEUNG Pui Shan Karen

Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 31st March 2005

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Notes:

- 1. Every shareholder of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the Meeting is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and, on a poll, vote in his stead. A proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company.
- 2. In order to be valid, the form of proxy and the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy thereof, must be deposited with the principal place of business of the Company in Hong Kong at Room 2703, China Merchants Tower, Shun Tak Centre, 168-200 Connaught Road Central, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the Meeting or, as the case may be, any adjournment thereof.
- 3. Delivery of an instrument appointing a proxy shall not preclude a shareholder from attending and voting in person at the meeting if the shareholder of the Company so desires and in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.
- 4. The Register of Members of the Company will be closed from 28 April 2005 to 29 April 2005, both days inclusive, during which period no share transfers will be registered. To qualify for attendance of the annual general meeting, all transfers accompanied by the relevant share certificates of the Company must be lodged with the Company's share registrar, Secretaries Limited at G/F., Bank of East Asia Harbour View Centre, 56 Gloucester Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong, no later than 4:00 p.m. on 27 April 2005, for registration.

As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors of the Company are Dr. Poon Kwok Lim Steven, Mr. Poon Shu Yan Joseph and Ms. Au Yeung Pui Shan Karen, the non-executive Directors of the Company are Dr. Lee Peng Fei Allen and Mr. Lee Shu Fan, and the independent non-executive Directors of the Company are Mr. Tsui Yiu Wa Alec, Mr. Yeung Pak Sing and Mr. Tam Tak Wah.

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