ACQUISITION OF REMAINING 15% EQUITY INTEREST IN AN INDIRECT SUBSIDIARY – WINTASTAR CONCEPTS PTE. LTD.

The Board of Directors (“Board”) of KOP Limited (“Company”, and together with its subsidiaries, “Group”) wishes to announce that its indirect wholly-owned subsidiary, Wintastar Holdings Pte. Ltd. (“Wintastar Holdings”) had today acquired the 15% equity interest (“Acquisition”) in Wintastar Concepts Pte. Ltd. (“Wintastar Concepts”) from Xpanse Capital Pte. Ltd. (“Xpanse Capital”) for a consideration of S$15.00 (“Consideration”).

The net tangible liabilities of Wintastar Concepts is approximately S$2.8 million. This net tangible liabilities arose mainly from the operating expenses incurred since the incorporation of Wintastar Concepts. Wintastar Holdings is buying the remaining equity interest in Wintastar Concepts at cost in order to have full ownership over future projects of Wintastar Concepts.

The Consideration was arrived at arm’s length negotiations, on a willing-buyer, willing-seller basis. No valuation was carried out in connection with the Acquisition. The Consideration will be funded through internal resources.

Wintastar Holdings, an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, currently owns 85% equity interest in Wintastar Concepts. On the completion of the Acquisition, Wintastar Concepts will be wholly-owned by Wintastar Holdings.

The Acquisition is not expected to have a material impact on the consolidated net tangible assets and earnings per share of the Company for the financial year ending 31 March 2020.

Save for their shareholdings in the Company, none of the Directors, controlling shareholders or substantial shareholders of the Company has any interest, direct or indirect, in the Acquisition.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

Ong Chih Ching
Executive Chairman and Executive Director
15 January 2020

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