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## **SOMERLEY CAPITAL HOLDINGS LIMITED**

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### **新百利融資控股有限公司**

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

**(Stock Code: 8439)**

## **REDUCTION OF LOSS**

This announcement is made by Somerley Capital Holdings Limited (the “Company”, and together with its subsidiaries, the “Group”) pursuant to Rule 17.10(2) of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on GEM of the Stock Exchange (the “GEM Listing Rules”) and the Inside Information Provisions (as defined under the GEM Listing Rules) under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571, Laws of Hong Kong).

The board (the “Board”) of directors (the “Directors”) of the Company wishes to inform the shareholders of the Company (the “Shareholders”) and potential investors that, based on the preliminary unaudited consolidated management accounts of the Group and information currently available, the Group is expected to achieve a substantial reduction in its the after-tax loss from approximately HK\$9.4 million for the six months ended 30 September 2022 to around HK\$1 million for the six months ended 30 September 2023. Taking the second quarter in isolation, i.e. the three months ended 30 September 2023, the Group operated profitably based on the preliminary unaudited consolidated management accounts.

The significant improvement in financial performance for the six months period in 2023 compared to 2022 was mainly attributable to an approximate 28% increase in revenue from corporate finance advisory services. This was a result of determined efforts of the Group’s teams in facilitating the execution and completion of ongoing transactions for clients.

As the Company is still in the course of finalising the results of the Group for the six months ended 30 September 2023, the information contained in this announcement is a preliminary assessment by the Board based on the unaudited consolidated management accounts of the Group, which are subject to the review of the Company’s auditor and audit committee. The results of the Group for the six months ended 30 September 2023 are scheduled to be approved and announced by the Board on 10 November 2023.

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

By Order of the Board  
**Somerley Capital Holdings Limited**  
**SABINE Martin Nevil**  
*Chairman*

Hong Kong, 31 October 2023

*As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. SABINE Martin Nevil, Mr. CHEUNG Tei Sing Jamie and Mr. CHOW Wai Hung Kenneth; the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. CHENG Yuk Wo, Mr. YUEN Kam Tim Francis and Mr. LAW Cheuk Kin Stephen.*

*This announcement, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the GEM Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Company. The Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that, to the best of their knowledge and belief, the information contained in this announcement is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this announcement misleading.*

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