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# CHINA UNICOM (HONG KONG) LIMITED

## 中國聯合網絡通信(香港)股份有限公司

(incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 0762)

### NOTICE OF EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an Extraordinary General Meeting of China Unicom (Hong Kong) Limited (the "Company") will be held at Ballroom A, Level 5, Island Shangri-La Hotel, Pacific Place, Supreme Court Road, Central, Hong Kong on Friday, 21 December 2012 at 3:00 p.m. (the "Meeting") for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing, with or without modifications, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

#### ORDINARY RESOLUTION

"THAT the transfer agreement dated 21 November 2012 (the "Transfer Agreement") entered into between China United Network Communications Corporation Limited ("CUCL") and China United Network Communications Limited ("Unicom A Share Company") relating to the transfer of all of the rights and obligations of Unicom A Share Company under the Equity Acquisition Agreement (as defined in the circular to the shareholders of the Company dated 29 November 2012, of which this Notice forms part) relating to the acquisition of 100% of the equity interest of Unicom New Horizon Telecommunications Company Limited (the "Proposed Acquisition") to CUCL so that CUCL will enter into the Proposed Acquisition on the same terms (including the consideration payable) as those set out in the Equity Acquisition Agreement, a copy of each of the Equity Acquisition Agreement and the Transfer Agreement having been produced to this Meeting marked "A" and "B", respectively,

and signed by the Chairman of this Meeting for identification purposes, be and is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, and the directors of the Company, acting together, individually or by committee, be and are hereby authorised to execute all such documents and/or to do all such acts on behalf of the Company as they may consider necessary, desirable or expedient for the purpose of, or in connection with, the implementation and completion of the Transfer Agreement and the transactions contemplated therein."

By Order of the Board

China Unicom (Hong Kong) Limited

Chang Xiaobing

Chairman

Hong Kong, 29 November 2012

#### Notes:

- 1. A shareholder of the Company ("Shareholder") entitled to attend and vote at the Meeting is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote instead of him/her/it. A proxy need not be a Shareholder.
- 2. In order to be valid, a form of proxy, together with any power of attorney (if any), or other authority under which it is signed (if any), or a notarially certified copy thereof, shall be deposited at the Company's registered office at 75th Floor, The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong, not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the Meeting. Delivery of the form of proxy shall not preclude a Shareholder from attending and voting in person at the Meeting or at any adjourned meeting and, in such event, the form of proxy delivered by such Shareholder shall be deemed to be revoked.
- 3. In accordance with the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited, each of China Unicom (BVI) Limited and China Unicom Group Corporation (BVI) Limited and their respective associates who are Shareholders will abstain from voting on the above resolution.
- 4. The register of the Shareholders will be closed from 19 December 2012 to 21 December 2012 (both days inclusive), during which dates no transfer of Shares will be effected. In order to qualify for voting at the Meeting, all transfers, accompanied by the relevant certificates must be lodged with the Company's Share Registrar, Hong Kong Registrars Limited at Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong by not later than 4:30 p.m. on 18 December 2012.
- 5. The votes to be taken at the Meeting will be taken by poll, the results of which will be published on the Company's and Hong Kong Stock Exchange's websites after the Meeting.

6. Shareholders are suggested to telephone the Company's hotline on (852) 2126 2018 for arrangements of the Meeting in the event that a No.8 (or above) typhoon or black rainstorm warning is hoisted on the day of the Meeting.

As at the date of this announcement, the Board of Directors of the Company comprises:

Executive directors: Chang Xiaobing, Lu Yimin, Tong Jilu and Li Fushen

Non-executive director: Cesareo Alierta Izuel

Independent Cheung Wing Lam Linus, Wong Wai Ming, John Lawson Thornton, non-executive Chung Shui Ming Timpson, Cai Hongbin and Law Fan Chiu Fun Fanny

directors: