# Malayan Flour Mills Berhad (4260-M)

(Incorporated in Malaysia)

# **Notice of Annual General Meeting**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Fifty-Seventh Annual General Meeting of Malayan Flour Mills Berhad will be held at the Auditorium, 3rd Floor, Wisma MCA, 163 Jalan Ampang, 50450 Kuala Lumpur on Thursday, 25 May 2017 at 10.00 a.m. for the following purposes:-

- 1. To receive the Audited Financial Statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2016 together with the Reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon. [Please refer to Explanatory Notes].
- To re-elect Mr Teh Wee Chye who retires by rotation in accordance with Article 111 of the Company's Articles of Association, and being eligible, has offered himself for reelection.

(Resolution 1)

3. To re-appoint Tan Sri Dato' Seri Utama Arshad bin Ayub as Director of the Company.

(Resolution 2)

4. To re-appoint Dato' Hj Shaharuddin bin Hj Haron as Director of the Company.

(Resolution 3)

5. To re-appoint Datuk Oh Chong Peng as Director of the Company.

(Resolution 4)

6. To approve the payment of Directors' fees of RM840,000 for the financial year ended 31 December 2016.

(Resolution 5)

7. To approve the payment of benefits payable to the Directors with effect from 31 January 2017.

(Resolution 6)

8. To re-appoint Messrs KPMG PLT as Auditors of the Company for the financial year ending 31 December 2017 and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration.

(Resolution 7)

### 9. As Special Business:-

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications, the following motions:

## 9.1 Ordinary Resolution

(Resolution 8)

Authority to Directors to Allot and Issue Shares Pursuant to Sections 75 and 76 of the Companies Act 2016

"THAT subject to the Companies Act 2016 and approval from the relevant authorities, where such approval is necessary, full authority be and is hereby given to the Directors pursuant to Sections 75 and 76 of the Companies Act 2016 to issue and allot shares in the Company at any time and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes as the Directors may, in their absolute discretion deem fit, provided that the aggregate number of shares issued pursuant to this resolution does not exceed ten percent (10%) of the total number of issued shares of the Company for the time being and that the Directors be and are also empowered to obtain the approval for the listing of and quotation for the additional shares so issued on Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad and that such authority shall continue in force until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company."

### 9.2 Ordinary Resolution

(Resolution 9)

Proposed Renewal of Shareholders' Mandate for Recurrent Related Party Transactions of a Revenue or Trading Nature pursuant to paragraph 10.09 of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Main Market Listing Requirements

"THAT subject to the Companies Act 2016, the provisions of the Articles of Association of the Company, Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities") Main Market Listing Requirements and approvals of all relevant authorities, approval be and is hereby given to Malayan Flour Mills Berhad ("Company") and its subsidiary companies ("Malayan Flour Mills Group") to enter into recurrent transactions with Dindings Soya & Multifeeds Sdn Berhad, the nature of which is set out in Section 2 of the Circular to Shareholders dated 28 April 2017 for the purposes of paragraph 10.09 of Bursa Securities Main Market Listing Requirements, subject to the following:-

- (a) the transactions are carried out in the ordinary course of business, at arm's length, on normal commercial terms and on terms not more favourable to the related party than those generally available to the public and are not to the detriment of the minority shareholders;
- (b) disclosure is made in the annual report of the aggregate value of transactions conducted pursuant to the shareholders' mandate during the financial year and that such approval shall continue in force, unless revoked or varied by Ordinary Resolution of the Company in a general meeting and will subject to renewal thereat, expire at the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company following the passing of this Ordinary Resolution or at the expiration of the period within which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required to be held under the Companies Act 2016 (excluding any extension of such period as may be allowed under the Companies Act 2016); and

(c) the Directors and/or any of them be and are hereby authorised to complete and do all such acts and things to give effect to the transactions contemplated and/or authorised by this Ordinary Resolution."

# **9.3 Ordinary Resolution**

(Resolution 10)

# **Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back**

"THAT subject to the Companies Act 2016, the provisions of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities") Main Market Listing Requirements and the approvals of all relevant governmental and/or regulatory authorities, the Company be and is hereby authorised, to the fullest extent permitted by law, to purchase such amount of ordinary shares in the Company ("Proposed Share Buy-back") as may be determined by the Directors of the Company from time to time through Bursa Securities upon such terms and conditions as the Directors may deem fit and expedient in the interest of the Company provided that the aggregate number of shares purchased pursuant to this Resolution does not exceed ten per cent (10%) of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the point of purchase and that an amount not exceeding the Company's retained profits at the time of the purchase(s) will be allocated by the Company for the Proposed Share Buy-back;

**THAT** the authority conferred by this resolution will be effective immediately and shall continue in force until: -

- (a) the conclusion of the annual general meeting of the Company following the general meeting at which such resolution was passed at which time it shall lapse unless by ordinary resolution passed at that meeting, the authority is renewed, either conditionally or subject to conditions; or
- (b) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting after that date is required by law to be held; or
- (c) revoked or varied by ordinary resolution passed by shareholders in a general meeting,

whichever occurs first;

AND THAT authority be and is hereby given unconditionally and generally to the Directors of the Company to take all such steps as are necessary or expedient (including without limitation, the opening and maintaining of central depository account(s) under the Securities Industry (Central Depositories) Act, 1991, and the entering into of all other agreements, arrangements and guarantee with any party or parties) to implement, finalise and give full effect to the aforesaid purchase with full powers to assent to any conditions, modifications, revaluations, variations and/or amendments (if any) as may be imposed by the relevant authorities and with the fullest power to do all such acts and things thereafter (including without limitation, the cancellation or retention as treasury shares of all or any part of the repurchased shares) in accordance with the Companies Act 2016, the provisions of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and the requirements and/or guidelines of the Bursa Securities and all other relevant governmental and/or regulatory authorities and to do all such things as the said Directors may deem fit and expedient in the best interest of the Company."

10. To transact any other business of which due notice shall have been given.

By Order of the Board

Mah Wai Mun (MAICSA 7009729) Company Secretary

Kuala Lumpur 28 April 2017

#### Notes:-

- 1. A member entitled to attend, speak and vote at the 57<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting is entitled to appoint not more than two (2) proxies to attend, speak and to vote in his/her stead. A proxy may but need not be a member of the Company.
- 2. Where a member appoints two (2) proxies, the appointment shall be invalid unless he/she specifies the proportion of his/her holding to be represented by each proxy.
- 3. Where a member of the Company is an authorised nominee as defined under the Securities Industry (Central Depositories) Act, 1991, it may appoint at least one (1) proxy but not more than two (2) proxies in respect of each securities account it holds which is credited with ordinary shares of the Company.
- 4. Notwithstanding the above, an exempt authorised nominee may appoint multiple proxies in respect of each Omnibus Account held.
- 5. The instrument appointing a proxy must be in writing under the hand of the appointer or his attorney duly authorised in writing or, if the appointer is a corporation, either under its common seal or the hand of the attorney duly authorised.
- 6. The Form of Proxy shall not be treated as valid unless the posted Form is received or the Form is deposited at the office of the Company's Share Registrar, Symphony Share Registrars Sdn Bhd at Level 6, Symphony House, Pusat Dagangan Dana 1, Jalan PJU 1A/46, 47301 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, not less than forty-eight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or any adjournment thereof. Forms of Proxy transmitted by fax or email will not be accepted. The Company will not accept any photocopies of the form of proxy in place of the original signed copy.
- 7. For the purpose of determining a member who shall be entitled to attend this 57<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting, the Company shall be requesting Bursa Malaysia Depository Sdn Bhd in accordance with Article 66(b) of the Company's Articles of Association and Section 34(1) of the Securities Industry (Central Depositories) Act, 1991 to issue a Record of Depositors as at 18 May 2017. Only a depositor whose name appears on such Record of Depositors shall be entitled to attend the said meeting or appoint proxies to attend and vote on his/her behalf.

## **Explanatory Notes to Ordinary and Special Business**

## Item 1 of the Agenda

This Agenda item is meant for discussion only as the provision of Section 340(1) of the Companies Act 2016 does not require a formal approval of the shareholders and hence, is not put forward for voting.

### Resolutions 2, 3 and 4

With the enforcement of the Companies Act 2016 ("CA 2016") on 31 January 2017, there is no age limit for directors.

At the 56<sup>th</sup> AGM of the Company held on 17 May 2016, Tan Sri Dato' Seri Utama Arshad bin Ayub, Dato' Hj Shaharuddin bin Hj Haron and Datuk Oh Chong Peng, who are above the age of 70, were re-appointed pursuant to Section 129(6) of the Companies Act, 1965 to hold office until the conclusion of the 57<sup>th</sup> AGM. As their term of office will end at the conclusion of the 57<sup>th</sup> AGM, and being eligible, they have offered themselves for re-appointment.

The proposed Ordinary Resolutions 2, 3 and 4, if passed, will enable Tan Sri Dato' Seri Utama Arshad bin Ayub, Dato' Hj Shaharuddin bin Hj Haron and Datuk Oh Chong Peng to continue to act as Directors of the Company and they shall subject to retirement by rotation at a later date.

### Resolutions 5 and 6

Section 230(1) of the CA 2016 provides amongst others, that the fees and any benefits payable to the Directors of a listed company shall be approved at a general meeting.

*In this respect, the Board wishes to seek shareholders' approval for the following payments to Directors at the 57<sup>th</sup> AGM:-*

Resolution 5: Payment of Directors' Fees totalling RM840,000 in respect of the financial year ended 31 December 2016; and

Resolution 6: Payment of benefits payable to the Directors, which have been reviewed by the Remuneration Committee and Board of Directors of the Company, with effect from 31 January 2017.

The details of the benefits payable to the Directors are as follows:-

| Description                     | Chairman | Board Member |
|---------------------------------|----------|--------------|
| Board Committee Fee (per annum) | RM9,000  | RM6,000      |
| Meeting Allowance (per meeting) |          |              |
| • Board                         | RM500    | RM500        |
| Board Committee                 | RM300    | RM300        |

| Description      | Chairman             | Non-Executive Director |
|------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| Benefits in kind | Car and Fuel benefit | Not Applicable         |

### Resolution 8

The proposed Resolution 8 is for the purpose of seeking a renewal of the general mandate ("General Mandate") and if passed, will empower the Directors of the Company pursuant to Sections 75 and 76 of the Companies Act 2016, to issue and allot new shares in the Company from time to time provided that the aggregate number of shares issued pursuant to the General Mandate does not exceed 10% of the total number of issued shares of the Company for the time being. The General Mandate, unless revoked or varied by the Company in general meeting, will expire at the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of the Company.

The General Mandate will provide flexibility to the Company for any possible fund raising activities, including but not limited to further placing of shares, for the purpose of funding future investment project(s), working capital and/or acquisition(s) and any share issuance for acquisition involving equity deal which requires the Company to allot and issue new shares, which is only to be undertaken if the Directors consider it to be in the best interest of the Company.

As at the date of this Notice, no new share in the Company was issued pursuant to the General Mandate granted to the Directors at the 56<sup>th</sup> AGM of the Company held on 17 May 2016.

### Resolution 9

The proposed Resolution 9, if passed, will enable Malayan Flour Mills Group to enter into recurrent related party transactions with Dindings Soya & Multifeeds Sdn Berhad for the purposes of paragraph 10.09 of Bursa Securities Main Market Listing Requirements. This authority, subject to renewal thereat, will expire at the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company following the passing of this Ordinary Resolution or at the expiration of the period within which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required to be held under the Companies Act 2016 (excluding any extension of such period as may be allowed under the Companies Act 2016) (unless earlier revoked or varied by Ordinary Resolution of the Company in a general meeting), whichever is earlier.

#### Resolution 10

The proposed Resolution 10, if passed, will empower the Directors to purchase the Company's shares of up to a maximum of ten per cent (10%) of the total number of issued shares of the Company by utilising the funds allocated out of the retained profits of the Company. This authority, unless revoked or varied at a general meeting, will expire at the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company.