

# MHC Plantations Bhd.

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SPECIAL ISSUE OF 17,975,000 NEW ORDINARY SHARES
OF RM1.00 EACH TO THE BUMIPUTERA INVESTORS APPROVED BY
THE MINISTRY OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY AT
RM1.40 PER SHARE PAYABLE IN FULL UPON APPLICATION

PUBLIC ISSUE OF 4.423,000 NEW ORDINARY SHARES
OF RM1.00 EACH TO THE MALAYSIAN PUBLIC AT RM1.40 PER SHARE
PAYABLE IN FULL UPON APPLICATION
AND

SUBSEQUENT LISTING OF MHC PLANTATIONS BHD. ON THE MAIN BOARD OF THE KUALA LUMPUR STOCK EXCHANGE



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#### **DEFINITIONS**

In this Prospectus, unless the context otherwise requires, the following abbreviations shall apply throughout:-

"Acquisitions" : Collectively, the AOI Acquisition, the MPP Acquisition and the

YLH Acquisition

"ADA" : Authorised Depository Agent

"ADA Code" : ADA (Broker) Code

"AG" : Ayu Gemilang Sdn. Bhd. (336221-X)

"AOI" : Anson Oil Industries Berhad (8960-T)

"AOI Acquisition" : The acquisition of the 20.99% equity interest in AOI comprising

2,103,281 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each by MHC for a total cash

consideration of RM8,015,565

"AS" : Ayu Sempurna Sdn. Bhd. (336217-T)

"ATM" : Automated Teller Machine

"Board" : Board of Directors of MHC

"Bonus Issue" : The bonus issue of 28,228,286 new MHC Shares on the basis of

2.431 new MHC Shares for every existing MHC Share

"CDS" : Central Depository System

"CIMB" : Commerce International Merchant Bankers Berhad (18417-M)

"CP" : Champion Point Sdn. Bhd. (342124-D)

"CP Subscription" : The subscription by MHC of 1,900,000 new ordinary shares of

RM1.00 each in CP at par

"CPO" : Crude palm oil

"CPKO" : Crude palm kernel oil

"Disposals" : Collectively, the IC Disposal and Land Disposal

"DMPSR" : Dato Mah Pooi Soo Realty Sdn. Bhd. (33342-T)

"Electronic Share Application" : An application for the Issue Shares through a Participating

**Financial Institution** 

"EPS" : Earnings per share

"FFB" : Fresh palm oil fruit bunches

"FIC" : Foreign Investment Committee

"GDP" : Gross Domestic Product

"Great Glory" : Great Glory Sdn. Bhd. (252663-U)

"HMP" : Hutan Melintang Plantations Sdn. Berhad (14568-U)

"IC" : Infinite Cashflow Sdn. Bhd. (309338-H)

#### **DEFINITIONS** (Cont'd)

"IC Disposal" : The disposal of 250,000 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each in IC

representing the entire issued and paid-up share capital of IC by

MHC for a cash consideration of RM258,936

"Issue Shares" : The 22,398,000 new MHC Shares to be issued by the Company

pursuant to the Public and Special Issues at an issue price of

RM1.40 per share

"KLSE" : Kuala Lumpur Stock Exchange

"Land Disposal" : The disposal of a piece of land held under Grant Nos. 35309,

35310 and 55772, Lot Nos. 1679, 1680 and 2188, Bandar Georgetown, Daerah Timur Laut, State of Pulau Pinang by AOI for

a total cash consideration of RM2,000,000

"Listing" : The admission to the Official List and the listing of and quotation

for 63,238,086 MHC Shares representing the entire issued and paid-up share capital of MHC on the Main Board of the KLSE

"LM-K" : Ladang MHC – KPD Sdn. Bhd. (344431-H)

"Major Shareholders" : A person who has interest in not less than five per centum (5%) of

the enlarged issued and paid-up share capital of the Company

comprising 63,238,086 MHC Shares

"MCD" : Malaysian Central Depository Sdn. Bhd. (165570-W), a subsidiary

of the KLSE

"MHC" or "Company" : MHC Plantations Bhd. (4060-V)

"MHC Group" : MHC and its subsidiaries

"MHC Shares" : Ordinary shares of RM1.00 each in MHC

"MKP" : MHC Kemayan Plantation Sdn. Bhd. (50489-P)

"MIH" : Malaysian Issuing House Sdn. Bhd. (258345-X)

"MITI" : Ministry of International Trade and Industry

"MKWH" : Mah King Woon Holdings Sdn. Bhd. (74779-X)

"MPOB" : Malaysian Palm Oil Board

"MPP" : Majuperak Plantation Sdn. Bhd. (230916-T)

"MPP Acquisition" : The acquisition of 4,600,000 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each

representing the entire issued and paid-up share capital of MPP by MHC for a purchase consideration of RM10,230,129 which was satisfied by an issue of 1,000,000 new MHC Shares at RM3.07 per

share and RM7,161,090 in cash

"MPS" : Majuperak Sawit Sdn. Bhd. (182038-M)

"MT" : Metric Tonne

"Muzwin" : Sharikat Muzwin Bersaudara Sdn. Bhd. (12587-X)

"NBV" : Net book value

#### **DEFINITIONS** (Cont'd)

"NTA" : Net tangible assets

"Participating Financial : The participating financial institution(s) for Electronic Share

Institution(s)" Application as listed in Section XIII(5)(ii) of this Prospectus

"PE Multiple" : Price earnings multiple

"PK" : Palm kernel

"PKC" : Palm kernel cake

"PORAM" : Palm Oil Refiners Association of Malaysia

"PORIM" : Palm Oil Research Institute of Malaysia

"PORLA" : Palm Oil Registration and Licensing Authority

"Public Issue" : Public issue of 4,423,000 new MHC Shares at an issue price of

RM1.40 per share payable in full upon application

"Public and Special Issues" : Collectively, the Public Issue and Special Issue

"RM" and "sen" : Ringgit Malaysia and sen respectively

"SC" : Securities Commission

"Special Issue" : Special issue of 17,975,000 new MHC Shares to the Bumiputera

investors approved by the MITI at an issue price of RM1.40 per

share payable in full upon application

"TAH" : Teluk Anson Hotel Sdn. Berhad (75054-M)

"TLKH" : Tan Lai Kim Holdings Sdn. Bhd. (29164-W)

"Underwriters" : CIMB and CIMB Securities Sdn. Bhd. (163712-V)

"YLH" : Yew Lee Holdings Sdn. Berhad (16736-X)

"YLH Acquisition" : The acquisition of approximately 50.00% equity interest in YLH

comprising 3,445,165 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each by MHC for

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