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# NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an annual general meeting of Geely Automobile Holdings Limited (the "Company") will be held at Room 2301, 23/F., Great Eagle Centre, 23 Harbour Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong on Friday, 18 May 2012 at 10:00 a.m. for the following purposes, as ordinary business:

- 1. to receive and consider the report of the directors, audited financial statements and auditors' report for the year ended 31 December 2011;
- 2. to declare a final dividend for the year ended 31 December 2011;
- 3. to re-elect Mr. Ang Siu Lun, Lawrence as an executive director;
- 4. to re-elect Mr. Liu Jin Liang as an executive director;
- 5. to re-elect Mr. Li Dong Hui, Daniel as an executive director;
- 6. to re-elect Mr. An Cong Hui as an executive director;
- 7. to re-elect Mr. Yin Da Qing, Richard as a non-executive director;
- 8. to re-elect Mr. Yeung Sau Hung, Alex as an independent non-executive director;
- 9. to re-elect Mr. Fu Yu Wu as an independent non-executive director;
- 10. to authorise the board of directors of the Company to fix the remuneration of the directors;
- 11. to re-appoint Grant Thornton Hong Kong Limited (previously known as "Grant Thornton Jingdu Tianhua") as the auditors of the Company and to authorise the board of directors of the Company to fix their remuneration;

and to consider as special business and, if thought fit, pass with or without modification the following resolutions, of which resolution numbers 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 will be proposed as ordinary resolutions and resolution numbers 17, 18, 19 and 20 will be proposed as special resolutions:

# **By Ordinary Resolutions**

to consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolutions as ordinary resolutions of the Company:

# 12. **"THAT**:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to repurchase issued shares of HK\$0.02 each in the capital of the Company, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and the requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities (the "Listing Rules") on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") as amended from time to time, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) shall be in addition to any other authorisation given to the directors of the Company and shall authorise the directors on behalf of the Company during the Relevant Period to procure the Company to repurchase its shares at a price determined by the directors;
- (c) the aggregate nominal amount of issued shares of the Company which may be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the approval in paragraph (a) shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing of this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (d) for the purposes of this resolution:

"**Relevant Period**" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by any applicable laws or the Company's Articles of Association to be held; or
- (iii) the date upon which the authority set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by ordinary resolution of Shareholders in general meeting."

# 13. **"THAT**:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the capital of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements, options and rights of exchange or conversion which would or might require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (b) the approval in paragraph (a) shall be in addition to any other authorisation given to the directors of the Company and shall authorise the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period to make or grant offers, agreements, options and rights of exchange or conversion which would or might require the exercise of such powers after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (c) the aggregate nominal amount of share capital allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to an option or otherwise) and issued by the directors of the Company pursuant to the approval granted in paragraph (a) of this resolution, otherwise than pursuant to (i) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined); or (ii) the exercise of or the grant of any option under any share option scheme of the Company or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the issue or grant to officers and/or employees of the Company and/or any of its subsidiaries of shares or options to subscribe for or rights to acquire shares of the Company; or (iii) any scrip dividend or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on shares of the Company in accordance with the Articles of Association of the Company from time to time, shall not exceed 20% of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (d) for the purposes of this resolution:

"**Relevant Period**" shall have the same meaning as that ascribed to it under resolution number 12 as set out in the notice convening the meeting of which this resolution forms part; and

"**Rights Issue**" means an offer of shares open for a period fixed by the directors of the Company to holders of shares on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the directors of the Company may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements, or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of any relevant jurisdiction, or the requirements of any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange, in any territory outside Hong Kong)."

14. **"THAT** conditional upon the passing of resolution numbers 12 and 13 as set out in the notice convening the meeting of which these resolutions form part, the general mandate granted to the directors of the Company pursuant to resolution number 13 as set out in the notice convening the meeting of which this resolution forms part be and is hereby extended by the addition thereto of an amount representing the aggregate nominal amount of share capital of the Company repurchased by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to the resolution number 12 as set out in the notice convening the meeting of which this resolution forms part, provided that such amount shall not exceed 10% of the aggregate nominal amount of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution."

# 15. **"THAT**:

- (a) subject to paragraph (b) below, the existing share option scheme adopted by the Company pursuant to an ordinary resolution passed by the shareholders of the Company at general meeting held on 31 May 2002 (the "**Existing Share Option Scheme**") be terminated with effect from the date on which a new share option scheme shall become unconditional and effective, and shall cease to have any further effect except that the Existing Share Option Scheme will remain in full force and effect to the extent necessary to give effect to the exercise of any option granted under the Existing Share Option Scheme prior to its termination, or otherwise to the extent as may be required in accordance with the rules of the Existing Share Option Scheme; and
- (b) subject to and conditional upon The Listing Committee of the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited granting approval of the listing of, and permission to deal in, the shares of the Company (not exceeding 10% of the Company's issued share capital on the date of this resolution) which may fall to be issued upon the exercise of the options to be granted under the new share option scheme of the Company (the "**New Share Option Scheme**"), the rules of which are contained in the document marked "**A**" produced to the meeting and initialed by the chairman of this meeting for identification purposes, the New Share Option Scheme be and is hereby approved and adopted and the directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to grant options and to allot, issue and deal with the shares which fall to be issued pursuant to the exercise of any option granted under the New Share Option Scheme and to take all such steps as may be necessary or expedient in order to give full effect to the New Share Option Scheme."

# 16. **"THAT**:

(a) conditional upon resolution number 18 being passed, the Company may send or supply Corporate Communications (as defined below) to its Shareholders (in relation to whom the conditions set out below are met) by making such Corporate Communications available on the Company's own website and the website of the Stock Exchange or in printed forms (in English only, in Chinese only or in both English and Chinese) be and is hereby approved, and any director be and is hereby authorised for and on behalf of the Company to sign all such documents and/or do all such things and acts as he/she may consider necessary or expedient and in the interests of the Company for the purpose of effecting or otherwise in connection with the Company's proposed communication with its Shareholders through the Company's website and the website of the Stock Exchange or in printed forms.

The supply of Corporate Communications by making such Corporate Communications available on the Company's own website and the website of the Stock Exchange is subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions:

- (i) each Shareholder has been asked individually by the Company to agree that the Company may send or supply Corporate Communications generally, or the Corporate Communications in question, to him by means of the Company's own website; and
- (ii) the Company has not received a response indicating objection from such Shareholder within a period of 28 days starting from the date on which the Company's request was sent.
- (b) for the purpose of this resolution:

"**Corporate Communication**(s)" means any document issued or to be issued by the Company for the information or action of Shareholders as defined in Rule 1.01 of the Listing Rules of the Stock Exchange, including but not limited to, (i) the directors' report, its annual accounts together with a copy of the auditor's report and, where applicable, its summary financial report; (ii) the interim report and, where applicable, its summary interim report; (iii) a notice of meeting; (iv) a listing document; (v) a circular; and (vi) a proxy form."

# **By Special Resolutions**

to consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolutions as special resolutions of the Company:

17. "THAT the Memorandum of Association of the Company be and are amended as follows:

By deleting the phase "The Companies Law (2004 Revision)" and substituting therefor with the phase "The Companies Law (2011 Revision)" in the heading on page 1 of the Memorandum of Association of the Company.

Clauses 2, 4, 6 and 7 of the Memorandum of Association of the Company be deleted in their entirety and replaced by the following new entries:

2. The Registered Office of the Company shall be at the offices of Maples Corporate Services Limited, PO Box 309, Ugland House, Grand Cayman, KY1-1104, Cayman Islands or at such other place in the Cayman Islands as the Board may from time to time decide.

- 4. Except as prohibited or limited by the Companies Law (2011 Revision), the Company shall have full power and authority to carry out any object not prohibited by any law as provided by Section 7(4) of the Companies Law (2011 Revision) and shall have and be capable of from time to time and at all times exercising any and all of the powers at any time or from time to time exercisable by a natural person or body corporate, irrespective of any question of corporate benefit, in doing in any part of the world whether as principal, agent, contractor or otherwise whatever may be considered by it necessary for the attainment of its objects and whatever else may be considered by it as incidental or conducive thereto or consequential thereon, including, but without in any way restricting the generality of the foregoing, the power to make any alterations or amendments to this Memorandum of Association and the Articles of Association of the Company considered necessary or convenient in the manner set out in the Articles of Association of the Company, and the power to do any of the following acts or things, viz: to pay all expenses of and incidental to the promotion, formation and incorporation of the Company; to register the Company to do business in any other jurisdiction; to sell, lease or dispose of any property of the Company; to draw, make, accept, endorse, discount, execute and issue promissory notes, debentures, bills of exchange, bills of lading, warrants and other negotiable or transferable instruments; to lend money or other assets and to act as guarantors; to borrow or raise money on the security of the undertaking or on all or any of the assets of the Company including uncalled capital or without security; to invest monies of the Company in such manner as the Directors determine; to promote other companies; to sell the undertaking of the Company for cash or any other consideration; to distribute assets in specie to members of the Company; to make charitable or benevolent donations; to pay pensions or gratuities or provide other benefits in cash or kind to Directors, officers, employees, past or present and their families; to purchase Directors and officers liability insurance; to carry on any trade or business and generally to do all acts and things which, in the opinion of the Company or the Directors, may be conveniently or profitably or usefully acquired and dealt with, carried on, executed or done by the Company in connection with the business aforesaid PROVIDED THAT the Company shall only carry on the businesses for which a license is required under the laws of the Cayman Islands when so licensed under the terms of such laws.
- 6. The share capital of the Company is HK\$240,000,000 divided into 12,000,000,000 shares of a nominal or par value of HK\$0.02 each with power for the Company insofar as is permitted by law, to redeem or purchase any of its shares and to increase or reduce the said capital subject to the provisions of the Companies Law (2011 Revision) and the Articles of Association and to issue any part of its capital, whether original, redeemed or increased with or without any preference, priority or special privilege or subject to any postponement of rights or to any conditions or restrictions and so that unless the conditions of issue shall otherwise expressly declare every issue of shares whether declared to be preference or otherwise shall be subject to the powers hereinbefore contained.

- 7. If the Company is registered as exempted, its operations will be carried on subject to the provisions of Section 174 of the Companies Law (2011 Revision) and, subject to the provisions of the Companies Law (2011 Revision) and the Articles of Association, it shall have the power to register by way of continuation as a body corporate limited by shares under the laws of any jurisdiction outside the Cayman Islands and to be deregistered in the Cayman Islands.
- 18. "THAT the Articles of Association of the Company be and are amended as follows:

By deleting the phase "The Companies Law (2004 Revision)" and substituting therefor with the phase "The Companies Law (2011 Revision)" in the heading on page 4 of the Articles of Association of the Company.

# (a) Inclusive of Electronic Means

Article 2 of the Articles of Association of the Company be added by the following new entries:

business day	"business day" shall mean a day on which the Exchange generally is open for the business of dealing in securities in Hong Kong. For the avoidance of doubt, where the Exchange is closed for business of dealing in securities in Hong Kong on a day by reason of a Number 8 or higher typhoon signal, black rainstorm warning or other similar event, such day shall for the purpose of these Articles be counted as a business day;
the Companies Law/the Law	"the Companies Law" or "the Law" shall mean the Companies Law (2011 Revision), Cap. 22 of the Cayman Islands and any amendments thereto or re-enactments thereof for the time being in force and includes every other law incorporated therewith or substituted therefore;
Company's Website	"Company's Website" shall mean the website of the Company, the address or domain name of which has been notified to members;
corporate communication(s)	"corporate communication(s)" shall have the same meanings attributed to it as may from time to time be prescribed by the Exchange;
electronic	"electronic" shall have the meaning given to it in the Electronic Transactions Law;

electronic format	"electronic format" shall mean notices, documents, any other information or corporate communications are in an electronic format if stored on a CD, diskette, USB storage device or other similar media;
electronic means	"electronic means" shall include sending or otherwise making available to the intended recipients of the notices, documents, any other information or corporate communications in electronic format;
Electronic Signature	"Electronic Signature" shall mean an electronic symbol or process attached to or logically associated with an electronic communication and executed or adopted by a person with the intent to sign the electronic communication;
Electronic Transactions Law	sections 8 and 19 of the Electronic Transactions Law shall not apply to the Company;
published on the Exchange's website	"published on the Exchange's website" shall mean published in English and Chinese on the Exchange's website in accordance with the Listing Rules;
rights issue	"rights issue" shall mean an offer by way of rights to existing holders of securities of the Company which enables those holders to subscribe for securities in proportion to their existing holdings;
special resolution	"special resolution" shall have the same meaning as ascribed thereto in the Law and shall include an unanimous written resolution of all members: for this purpose, the requisite majority shall be not less than three-fourths of the votes of such members of the Company as, being entitled to do so, vote in person or, where proxies are allowed, by proxy or, in the case of corporations, by their duly authorised representatives, at a general meeting of which notice specifying the intention to propose the resolution as a special resolution has been duly given and includes a special resolution passed pursuant to Article 84;

Writing/printing "writing" or "printing" shall include writing, printing, lithograph, photograph, type-writing and every other mode of representing words or figures in a legible and non-transitory form and, only where used in connection with a notice served by the Company on members or other persons entitled to receive notices hereunder, shall also include a record maintained in an electronic medium which is accessible in visible form so as to be useable for subsequent reference;

#### (b) Publish on the websites of the Company and the Stock Exchange

Articles 15(c), 28, 44 and 157(a)(iv) of the Articles of Association of the Company be deleted in their entirety and replaced by the following new entries:

The register may, on 14 days' notice (or on 6 business days' notice in the case 15. (c) of a rights issue) being given by advertisement published on the Exchange's website, or, subject to the Listing Rules, by electronic communication in the manner in which notices may be served by the Company by electronic means as herein provided or by advertisement published in the newspapers, be closed at such times and for such periods as the Board may from time to time determine, either generally or in respect of any class of shares, provided that the register shall not be closed for more than 30 days in any year (or such longer period as the members may by ordinary resolution determine provided that such period shall not be extended beyond 60 days in any year). The Company shall, on demand, furnish any person seeking to inspect the register or part thereof which is closed by virtue of these Articles with a certificate under the hand of the Secretary stating the period for which, and by whose authority, it is closed. In the event that there is an alteration of book closure dates, the Company shall give at least 5 business days' notice in accordance with the procedures set out in this Article.

# 28. Notice of call may be published in newspapers or given by electronic means

In addition to the giving of notice in accordance with Article 26, notice of the person appointed to receive payment of every call and of the times and places appointed for payment may be given to the members affected by notice published on the Exchange's website, or, subject to the Listing Rules, by electronic communication in the manner in which notices may be served by the Company by electronic means as herein provided or by advertisement published in the newspapers.

- 44. The registration of transfers may, on 14 days' notice (or on 6 business days' notice in the case of a rights issue) being given by advertisement published on the Exchange's website, or, subject to the Listing Rules, by electronic communication in the manner in which notices may be served by the Company by electronic means as herein provided or by advertisement published in the newspapers, be suspended and the register closed at such times for such periods as the Board may from time to time determine, provided always that such registration shall not be suspended or the register closed for more than 30 days in any year (or such longer period as the members may by ordinary resolution determine provided that such period shall not be extended beyond 60 days in any year). In the event that there is an alteration of book closure dates, the Company shall give at least 5 business days' notice before the announced closure, or the new closure, whichever is earlier. If, however, there are exceptional circumstances (e.g. during a Number 8 or higher typhoon signal and black rainstorm warning) that render the giving of such publication of advertisement impossible, the Company shall comply with these requirements as soon as practicable.
- 157. (a) (iv) upon expiry of the 12-year period, the Company has caused an advertisement to be published in the newspapers, or, subject to the Listing Rules, by electronic communication in the manner in which notices may be served by the Company by electronic means as herein provided, giving notice of its intention to sell such shares, and a period of three months has elapsed since such advertisement and the Exchange has been notified of such intention.

Articles 163(b), 167(a), 168, 169, 172 and 173 of the Articles of Association of the Company be deleted in their entirety and replaced by the following new entries:

- 163. (b) Copies of those documents to be laid before the members of the Company at an annual general meeting shall not less than 21 days before the date of the meeting be sent in the manner in which notices may be served by the Company as provided herein to every member of the Company and every holder of debentures of the Company, provided that the Company shall not be required to send copies of those documents to any person of whose address the Company is not aware or to more than one of the joint holders of any shares or debentures.
- 167. (a) Except as otherwise provided in these Articles, any notice or document may be served by the Company and any notices may be served by the Board on any member either personally or by sending it through the post in a prepaid letter addressed to such member at his registered address as appearing in the register or, to the extent permitted by the Listing Rules and all applicable laws and regulations, by electronic means by transmitting it to any electronic number or address or website supplied by the member to the Company or by placing it on the Company's Website provided that the Company has obtained either (a) the member's prior express positive confirmation in writing or (b) the member's deemed consent, in the manner specified in the Listing Rules to receive or otherwise have made available to him notices and documents to be given or issued to him by the Company by such electronic means, or (in the case of notice) by advertisement published in the manner prescribed under the Listing Rules. In

the case of joint holders of a share, all notices shall be given to that holder for the time being whose name stands first in the register and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the joint holders.

168. A member shall be entitled to have notice served on him at any address within Hong Kong. Any member who has not given an express positive confirmation in writing to the Company in the manner specified in the Listing Rules to receive or otherwise have made available to him notices and documents to be given or issued to him by the Company by electronic means and whose registered address is outside Hong Kong may notify the Company in writing of an address in Hong Kong which for the purpose of service of notice shall be deemed to be his registered address. A member who has no registered address in Hong Kong shall be deemed to have received any notice which shall have been displayed at the registered office of the Company and shall have remained there for a period of 24 hours and such notice shall be deemed to have been received by such member on the day following that on which it shall have been first so displayed, provided that, without prejudice to the other provisions of these Articles, nothing in this Article 168 shall be construed as prohibiting the Company from sending, or entitling the Company not to send, notices or other documents of the Company to any member whose registered address is outside Hong Kong.

#### 169. When notice deemed to be served

Any notice or document sent by post shall be deemed to have been served on the day following that on which it is put into a post office situated within Hong Kong and in proving such service it shall be sufficient to prove that the envelope or wrapper containing the notice or document was properly prepaid, addressed and put into such post office and a certificate in writing signed by the Secretary or other person appointed by the Board that the envelope or wrapper containing the notice or document was so addressed and put into such post office shall be conclusive evidence thereof. Any notice or other document delivered or left at a registered address otherwise than by post shall be deemed to have been served or delivered on the day it was so delivered or left. Any notice served by advertisement shall be deemed to have been served on the day of issue of the official publication and/or newspaper(s) in which the advertisement is published (or on the last day of issue if the publication and/or newspaper(s) are published on different dates). Any notice given by electronic means as provided herein shall be deemed to have been served and delivered on the day following that on which it is successfully transmitted or at such later time as may be prescribed by the Listing Rules or any applicable laws or regulations.

- 172. Any notice or document delivered or sent to any member in pursuance of these Articles, shall notwithstanding that such member be then deceased and whether or not the Company has notice of his death be deemed to have been duly served in respect of any registered shares whether held solely or jointly with other persons by such member until some other person be registered in his stead as the holder or joint holder thereof, and such service shall for all purposes of these Articles be deemed a sufficient service of such notice or document on his personal representatives and all persons (if any) jointly interested with him in any such shares.
- 173. The signature to any notice to be given by the Company may be written or printed by means of facsimile or, where relevant, by Electronic Signature."
- 19. "THAT the Articles of Association of the Company be and are amended as follows:

Articles 1, 7, 10(b), 14(a), 15(a), 15(b), 15(d), 16, 23, 37, 80, 81, 82, 83, 85, 100(a), 124, 133 and 165 of the Articles of Association of the Company be deleted in their entirety and replaced by the following new entries and Articles 7A, 14(e), 15(e), 38A, 163(c), 182 and 183 be added by the following new entries:

- 1. The regulations contained in Table A in the First Schedule to the Companies Law shall not apply to the Company.
- 7. Subject to the Law, or any other law or so far as not prohibited by any law or the Listing Rules and subject to any rights conferred on the holders of any class of shares, the Company shall have the power to purchase or otherwise acquire any of its own shares (which expression as used in this Article includes redeemable shares) provided that the manner of purchase has first been authorized by a resolution of the shareholders, and to purchase or otherwise acquire warrants for the subscription or purchase of its own shares, and shares and warrants for the subscription or purchase of any shares in any company which is its holding company and may make payment therefor in any manner authorized or not prohibited by law, including out of capital, or to give, directly or indirectly, by means of a loan, a guarantee, a gift, an indemnity, the provision of security or otherwise howsoever, financial assistance for the purpose of or in connection with a purchase or other acquisition made or to be made by any person of any shares or warrants in the Company or any company which is a holding company of the Company and should the Company purchase or otherwise acquire its own shares or warrants neither the Company nor the Board shall be required to select the shares or warrants to be purchased or otherwise acquired rateably or in any other manner as between the holders of shares or warrants of the same class or as between them and the holders of shares or warrants of any other class or in accordance with the rights as to dividends or capital conferred by any class of shares provided always that any such purchase or other acquisition or financial assistance shall only be made in accordance with any relevant code, rules or regulations issued by the Exchange or the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong from time to time in force.

- 7A. The Board may accept the surrender for no consideration of any fully paid share.
- 10. (b) The holder of the shares being purchased, surrendered or redeemed shall be bound to deliver up to the Company at its principal place of business in Hong Kong or such other place as the Board shall specify the certificate(s) thereof, if any, for cancellation and thereupon the Company shall pay to him the purchase or redemption monies in respect thereof.
- 14. (a) The Board shall cause to be kept at such place within or outside the Cayman Islands as it deems fit a principal register of the members and there shall be entered therein the particulars of the members and the shares issued to each of them and other particulars required under the Law.
- 14. (e) For so long as any shares are listed on the Exchange, title to such listed shares may be evidenced and transferred in accordance with the Listing Rules that are or shall be applicable to such listed shares. The register of members maintained by the Company in respect of such listed shares (whether the principal register or a branch register) may be kept by recording the particulars required by Section 40 of the Law in a form otherwise than legible (provided it is capable of being reproduced in a legible form) if such recording otherwise complies with the Listing Rules that are or shall be applicable to such listed shares.
- 15. (a) Except when a register is closed and, if applicable, subject to the additional provisions of Article 15(d), the principal register and any branch register shall during business hours be kept open for the inspection of any member without charge.
- 15. (b) The reference to business hours in Article 15(a) is subject to such reasonable restrictions as the Company in general meeting may impose, but so that not less than two hours in each business day is to be allowed for inspections.
- 15. (d) Any register held in Hong Kong shall during normal business hours (subject to such reasonable restrictions as the Board may impose) be open to inspection by a member without charge and any other person on payment of such fee not exceeding HK\$2.50 (or such higher amount as may from time to time be permitted under the Listing Rules) as the Board may determine for each inspection. Any member may require a copy of the register, or any part thereof, on payment of HK\$0.25, or such lesser sum as the Company may prescribe, for every 100 words or fractional part thereof required to be copied. The Company shall cause any copy so required by any person to be sent to that person within a period of 10 days commencing on the date next after the day on which the request is received by the Company.

- 15. (e) In lieu of, or apart from, closing the register pursuant to other provisions in these Articles, the Board may fix in advance a date as the record date for any such determination of members entitled to receive notice of, or to vote at any general meeting of the members or any adjournment thereof, or for the purpose of determining the members entitled to receive payment of any dividend or distribution, or in order to make a determination of members for any other purpose.
- 16. Every person whose name is entered as a member in the register shall be entitled without payment to receive, within any relevant time prescribed in the Law or as the Exchange may from time to time determine, whichever is shorter, after allotment or lodgment of transfer (or within such other period as the conditions of issue shall provide), one certificate for all his shares of each class or, if he shall so request, in a case where the allotment or transfer is of a number of shares in excess of the number for the time being forming an Exchange board lot, upon payment, in the case of transfer, of a sum equal to the relevant maximum amount as the Exchange may from time to time determine for every certificate after the first or such lesser sum as the Board shall from time to time determine, such numbers of certificates for shares in Exchange board lots or multiples thereof as he shall request and one for the balance (if any) of the shares in question, provided that in respect of a share or shares held jointly by several persons the Company shall not be bound to issue a certificate or certificates to each such person, and the issue and delivery of a certificate or certificates to one of several joint holders shall be sufficient delivery to all such holders. All certificates for shares shall be delivered personally or sent through the post addressed to the member entitled thereto at his registered address as appearing in the register.

# 23. **Application of proceeds of such sale**

The net proceeds of such sale by the Company after the payment of the costs of such sale shall be applied in or towards payment or satisfaction of the debt or liability or engagement in respect whereof the lien exists, so far as the same is presently payable, and any residue shall (subject to a like lien for debts or liabilities not presently payable as existed upon the shares prior to the sale and upon surrender, if required by the Company, for cancellation of the certificate for the share sold) be paid to the holder immediately before such sale of the share. For giving effect to any such sale, the Board may authorize any person to transfer the shares sold to the purchaser thereof and may enter the purchaser's name in the register as holder of the shares, and the purchaser shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money, nor shall his title to the shares be affected by any irregularity or invalidity in the proceedings in reference to the sale.

- 37. Transfers of shares may be effected by an instrument of transfer in the usual common form or in such other form as the Board may approve, which is consistent with the standard form of transfer as prescribed by the Exchange and approved by the Board. All instruments of transfer must be left at the registered office of the Company or at such other place as the Board may appoint and all such instruments of transfer shall be retained by the Company.
- 38A. Notwithstanding Articles 37 and 38, transfers of shares which are listed on the Exchange may be effected by any method of transferring or dealing in securities permitted by the Listing Rules and which has been approved by the Board for such purpose.

# 80. **Must vote by poll**

At any general meeting a resolution put to the vote of the meeting shall be decided on a poll save that the Chairman may, in good faith, allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter as prescribed under the Listing Rules to be voted on by a show of hands.

- 81. A poll shall (subject as provided in Article 82) be taken in such manner (including the use of ballot or voting papers or tickets) and at such time and place, not being more than 30 days from the date of the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the poll was taken as the Chairman directs. No notice need be given of a poll not taken immediately. The result of the poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the meeting at which the poll was taken.
- 82. Any poll on the election of a Chairman of a meeting or on any question of adjournment shall be taken at the meeting and without adjournment. Where a resolution is voted on by a show of hands as permitted under the Listing Rules, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, or carried unanimously, or by a particular majority, or lost, and an entry to that effect in the minute book of the Company shall be conclusive evidence of that fact without proof of the number or proportion of the votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.
- 83. In the case of an equality of votes, whether on a show of hands or on a poll, the Chairman of the meeting at which the show of hands takes place or at which the poll is taken, shall be entitled to a second or casting vote.
- 85. Subject to any special rights, privileges or restrictions as to voting for the time being attached to any class or classes of shares, at any general meeting where a show of hands is allowed, every member who is present in person (or, in the case of a member being a corporation by its duly authorized representative) shall have one vote, and on a poll every member present in person (or, in the case of a member being a corporation, by its duly authorized representative) or by proxy shall have one vote for each share registered in his name in the register. Notwithstanding anything contained in these

Articles, where more than one proxy is appointed by a member of the Company which is a clearing house (or its nominee(s)), each such proxy shall have one vote on a show of hands and is under no obligation to cast all his votes in the same way on a poll. On a poll a member entitled to more than one vote is under no obligation to cast all his votes in the same way.

- 100. (a) A Director may at any time by notice in writing delivered to the registered office of the Company, the principal office of the Company in Hong Kong or at a meeting of the Board, appoint any person (including another Director) to be his alternate Director in his place during his absence and may in like manner at any time determine such appointment. Such appointment, unless previously approved by the Board, shall have effect only upon and subject to being so approved, provided that the Board may not withhold approval of any such appointment where the proposed appointee is a Director.
- 124. A Director may, and on request of a Director the Secretary shall, at any time summon a meeting of the Board. Notice of at least 14 days should be given for a regular board meeting. For all other board meetings, reasonable notice should be given. Notice thereof shall be given to each Director either in writing or by telephone or by facsimile, telex or telegram at the address or telephone, facsimile or telex number from time to time notified to the Company by such Director or in such other manner as the Board may from time to time determine.
- 133. Unless required otherwise by the Listing Rules, a resolution in writing signed by each and every one of the Directors (or their respective alternates pursuant to Article 100(c)) shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of the Board duly convened and held and may consist of several documents in like form each signed by one or more of the Directors or alternate Directors. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a resolution in writing shall not be valid and effective if the resolution relates to any matter or business in which a member of the Company with a substantial shareholding in the Company, or a Director, has an interest conflicting with that of the Company which the Board determines, prior to the passing of such resolution, to be material.
- 163. (c) To the extent permitted by and subject to due compliance with these Articles, the Law and all applicable rules and regulations, including, without limitation, the rules of the Exchange, and to obtaining all necessary consents, if any, required thereunder, the requirements of Article 163(b) shall be deemed satisfied in relation to any member or any holder of debentures of the Company by sending to such person instead of such copies, not less than 21 days before the date of the annual general meeting, in any manner not prohibited by these Articles and the Law, a summary financial statement derived from the Company's annual accounts, together with the Directors' report and the Auditors' report on such accounts, which shall be in the form and containing the information required by these Articles, the Law and all applicable laws and regulations, provided that any person who is otherwise entitled to the annual accounts

of the Company, together with the Director's report and the Auditor's report thereon may, if he so requires, by notice in writing served on the Company, demand that the Company sends to him, in addition to the summary financial statement, a complete printed copy of the Company's annual accounts, together with the Directors' report and the Auditor's report thereon.

165. The Company shall at any annual general meeting appoint an auditor or auditors of the Company who shall hold office until the next annual general meeting. The removal of an Auditor before the expiration of his period of office shall require the approval of an ordinary resolution of the members in general meeting. The remuneration of the Auditors shall be fixed by the Company at the annual general meeting at which they are appointed provided that in respect of any particular year the Company in general meeting may delegate the fixing of such remuneration to the Board. No person may be appointed as the, or an, Auditor, unless he is independent of the Company. The Board may before the first annual general meeting appoint an auditor or auditors of the Company who shall hold office until the first annual general meeting unless previously removed by an ordinary resolution of the members in general meeting in which case the members at that meeting may appoint Auditors. The Board may fill any casual vacancy in the office of Auditor but while any such vacancy continues the surviving or continuing Auditor or Auditors, if any, may act. The remuneration of any Auditor appointed by the Board under this Article may be fixed by the Board.

# 182. **Transfer by Way of Continuation**

The Company shall, subject to the provisions of the Companies Law and with the approval of a special resolution, have the power to register by way of continuation as a body corporate under the laws of any jurisdiction outside the Cayman Islands and to be deregistered in the Cayman Islands.

# 183. Mergers and Consolidations

The Company shall, with the approval of a special resolution, have the power to merge or consolidate with one or more constituent companies (as defined in the Law), upon such terms as the Directors may determine.

Article 107(c)(iii) of the Articles of Association of the Company be deleted in its entirety to reflect the amendment made to Rule 13.44 of the Listing Rules. Accordingly, the Articles 107(c)(iv) and 107(c)(v) be renumbered as 107(c)(iii) and 107(c)(iv), respectively."

20. "THAT conditional upon resolution numbers 17 to 19 being passed, the new amended and restated Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, consolidating all the proposed amendments referred to in resolution numbers 17 to 19, minor housekeeping amendments with reference to the Companies Law (2011 Revision) (Cap. 22) of the Cayman Islands, and all previous amendments made pursuant to resolutions passed by the shareholders of the Company at general meetings in the form produced to the meeting, a copy of which has been produced to this meeting and marked "**B**" and initialed by the chairman of this meeting for identification purposes, be and are hereby approved and adopted with immediate effect in substitution for and to the exclusion of the existing Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company."

By Order of the Board Geely Automobile Holdings Limited Li Shu Fu Chairman

Hong Kong, 29 March 2012

Notes:

- (1) A special resolution for each of resolution numbers 17 to 20 to amend the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and adopt the new amended and restated Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company in replacement of the existing version, which requires not less than 75% of the votes cast by Shareholders attending and entitled to vote, either in person or by proxy, will be put forward to be considered and, if thought fit, approved by Shareholders at the annual general meeting. The full text of the resolutions is set out in the resolution numbers 17 to 20 of the notice of the annual general meeting.
- (2) The Register of Members of the Company will be closed from 16, May 2012 to 18, May 2012 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares of the Company will be registered. In order to establish entitlements of attending and voting at the forthcoming annual general meeting of the Company to be held on 18 May 2012, all transfers of shares of the Company, accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged for registration with the Company's Hong Kong registrar and transfer office, Union Registrars Limited, at 18/F., Fook Lee Commercial Centre, Town Place, 33 Lockhart Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong not later than 4:00 p.m. on 15, May 2012.
- (3) The Register of Members of the Company will be closed from 29, May 2012 to 31, May 2012 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares of the Company will be registered. In order to qualify for the proposed final dividend, all transfers of shares of the Company, accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged for registration with the Company's Hong Kong registrar and transfer office, Union Registrars Limited, at 18/F., Fook Lee Commercial Centre, Town Place, 33 Lockhart Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong not later than 4:00 p.m. on 28, May 2012.
- (4) Any Shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote instead of him. A proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company.

- (5) In order to be valid, a proxy form in the prescribed form together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed, or a notarially certified copy of that power of authority, must be deposited at the Company's Hong Kong registrar and transfer office, Union Registrars Limited, at 18/F., Fook Lee Commercial Centre, Town Place, 33 Lockhart Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time fixed for holding the meeting or any adjournment thereof.
- (6) In case of joint shareholdings, the vote of the senior joint Shareholder who tenders a vote, whether in person or by proxy, will be accepted to the exclusion of the votes of the other joint Shareholder(s) and for this purposes seniority will be determined by the order in which the names stand in the Register of Members of the Company in respect of the joint shareholding.

As at the date of this announcement, the executive directors of the Company are Mr. Li Shu Fu (Chairman), Mr. Yang Jian (Vice Chairman), Mr. Gui Sheng Yue (Chief Executive Officer), Mr. Ang Siu Lun, Lawrence, Mr. Liu Jin Liang, Dr. Zhao Fuquan, Ms. Wei Mei, Mr. Li Dong Hui, Daniel and Mr. An Cong Hui, the non-executive directors of the Company are Mr. Yin Da Qing, Richard and Mr. Wang Yang, and the independent non-executive directors of the Company are Mr. Lee Cheuk Yin, Dannis, Mr. Song Lin, Mr. Yeung Sau Hung, Alex and Mr. Fu Yu Wu.