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三葉草生物製藥有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 2197)

- (1) PROPOSED GRANTING OF GENERAL MANDATES TO REPURCHASE SHARES AND TO ISSUE NEW SHARES;
 - (2) PROPOSED GRANTING OF OPTIONS;
- (3) PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF THE RETIRING DIRECTORS;
 - (4) PROPOSED RE-APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR;
- (5) PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION; AND
 - (6) NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A notice convening the Annual General Meeting of Clover Biopharmaceuticals, Ltd. to be held on May 27, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. at Room 1102, Building 1, Chinese Financial Center, No. 33, Jiaozi Street, High-tech Zone, Chengdu, Sichuan province, PRC, is set out on pages 26 to 31 of this circular. A form of proxy for use at the Annual General Meeting is also enclosed. Such form of proxy is also published on the websites of Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited (www.hkexnews.hk) and the Company (www.cloverbiopharma.com) respectively.

Whether or not you intend to attend the Annual General Meeting, you are required to complete the form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it to the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, at Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong as soon as possible but in any event not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the Annual General Meeting (i.e. not later than 10:00 a.m. on May 25, 2022) or any adjournment thereof. Completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the Annual General Meeting if you so wish and in such event the form of proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

References to dates and time in this circular are to Hong Kong dates and time.

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DEFINITIONS

In this circular, unless otherwise defined or the context otherwise requires, the following terms or expressions shall have the following meanings:

"Annual General Meeting" the annual general meeting of the Company to be
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May 27, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. at Room 1102, Building 1, Chinese Financial Center, No. 33, Jiaozi Street, Hightech Zone, Chengdu, Sichuan province, PRC, to consider and, if appropriate, to approve the resolutions contained in the notice of the meeting which is set out on pages 26 to 31 of this circular, or any adjournment thereof

the articles of association of the Company that is

"Articles of Association"

currently in force

the board of Directors of the Company "Board"

"Companies Act" the Companies Act, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as

> consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands, as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time

to time

Clover Biopharmaceuticals, Ltd. (三葉草生物製藥有限 "Company"

公司), an exempted company incorporated in the Cayman

Islands on October 31, 2018

"Core Connected Person(s)" has the meaning ascribed thereto under the Listing Rules

"Director(s)" the director(s) of the Company

"Grant Date" March 31, 2022

"Group" the Company and its subsidiaries

"HK\$" Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong

the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the "Hong Kong"

PRC

"Issue Mandate" a general mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors

> at the Annual General Meeting to allot, issue and/or deal in additional Shares not exceeding 20% of the total number of the issued Shares as of the date of passing of

the relevant resolution granting such mandate

	DEFINITIONS
"Latest Practicable Date"	April 19, 2022, being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this circular for the purpose of ascertaining certain information contained herein
"Listing Date"	November 5, 2021, being the date on which the Shares are first listed and from which dealings thereof are permitted to commence on the main board of Stock Exchange
"Listing Rules"	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange, as amended from time to time
"Nomination Committee"	the nomination committee of the Company
"Options"	right to subscribe for Shares granted under the Post-IPO Share Option Plan
"Post-IPO Share Option Plan"	the post-IPO share option plan adopted by the Company on September 26, 2021, effective from the Listing Date, as amended from time to time
"PRC" or "China"	the People's Republic of China, but for the purpose of this circular and unless otherwise indicated, excludes Hong Kong, Macau Special Administrative Region of the PRC and Taiwan
"Proposed Granting of Options"	the proposed granting of 9,031,000 Options carrying rights to subscribe for 9,031,000 Shares to Mr. LIANG Joshua G
"RSU Scheme"	the restricted share units scheme adopted by our Company on April 15, 2021, as amended from time to time
"SFO"	the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong), as amended from time to time
"Share(s)"	ordinary share(s) of nominal or par value of US\$0.0001 each in the issued share capital of the Company or if there has been a subsequent sub-division, consolidation, reclassification or reconstruction of the share capital of the Company, shares forming part of the ordinary equity share capital of the Company

DEFINITIONS

"Share Repurchase Mandate" a general mandate proposed to be granted to the Directors

at the Annual General Meeting to repurchase Shares not exceeding 10% of the total number of the issued Shares as of the date of passing of the relevant resolution

granting such mandate

"Shareholder(s)" holder(s) of the Share(s) from time to time

"Sichuan Clover" Sichuan Clover Biopharmaceuticals, Inc. (四川三葉草生

物製藥有限公司), a limited liability company established in the PRC on June 4, 2007, a wholly-owned subsidiary

of our Company

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"Substantial Shareholders" has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules

"Takeovers Code" The Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share

repurchases issued by the Securities and Futures Commission in Hong Kong, as amended from time to

time

"US\$" United States dollars, the lawful currency of the United

States of America

"%" per cent



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April 22, 2022

The Directors as of the Latest Practicable Date are:

Executive Directors:

Dr. LIANG Peng (Chairman of the Board)

Mr. LIANG Joshua G

Non-Executive Directors: Dr. WANG Xiaodong Mr. XIAO Ting (肖汀) Mr. LYU Dong (呂東)

Independent Non-Executive Directors:

Dr. WU Xiaobin Mr. LIAO Xiang Mr. Jeffrey FARROW Mr. Thomas LEGGETT Registered Office: PO Box 309, Ugland House Grand Cayman, KY1-1104 Cayman Islands

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To the Shareholders

Dear Sir or Madam,

- (1) PROPOSED GRANTING OF GENERAL MANDATES TO REPURCHASE SHARES AND TO ISSUE NEW SHARES; (2) PROPOSED GRANTING OF OPTIONS;
- (3) PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF THE RETIRING DIRECTORS; (4) PROPOSED RE-APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR;
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INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this circular is to provide you with the notice of Annual General Meeting and further information in relation to, amongst others, the following resolutions to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting: (i) the granting of the Share Repurchase Mandate and the Issue Mandate to the Directors; (ii) the granting of Options to Mr. LIANG Joshua G; (iii) the re-election of the retiring Directors; (iv) the re-appointment of auditor; and (v) the proposed amendments to the Articles of Association.

PROPOSED GRANTING OF GENERAL MANDATE TO REPURCHASE SHARES

Pursuant to the written resolutions passed by all Shareholders on September 26, 2021, a general mandate was granted to the Directors to repurchase Shares. Such mandate will lapse at the conclusion of the Annual General Meeting. In order to give the Company the flexibility to repurchase Shares if and when appropriate, an ordinary resolution will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting to approve the granting of a general mandate to the Directors to exercise all powers of the Company to repurchase Shares not exceeding 10% of the total number of issued Shares as of the date of passing of the relevant resolution, amounting to 115,811,472 Shares, assuming that the issued share capital of the Company remains unchanged as of the date of Annual General Meeting.

The Share Repurchase Mandate will expire at the earliest of:

- the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- the expiration of the period within which the Company's next annual general meeting is required by the Articles of Association or any other applicable laws to be held; or
- the date on which it is varied or revoked by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders passed in a general meeting.

With reference to the Share Repurchase Mandate, the Directors wish to state that they have no immediate plan to repurchase any Shares pursuant thereto.

An explanatory statement required by the Listing Rules to be sent to the Shareholders in connection with the proposed Share Repurchase Mandate is set out in Appendix I to this circular. This explanatory statement contains all information reasonably necessary to enable the Shareholders to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the relevant resolution proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

PROPOSED GRANTING OF GENERAL MANDATE TO ISSUE NEW SHARES

Pursuant to the written resolutions passed by all Shareholders on September 26, 2021, a general mandate was granted to the Directors to issue Shares. Such mandate will lapse at the conclusion of the Annual General Meeting. In order to ensure flexibility and give discretion to the Directors in the event that it becomes desirable for the Company to issue any new Shares, an ordinary resolution will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting to approve the granting of a general mandate to the Directors to exercise all powers of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional Shares not exceeding 20% of the total number of the issued Shares as of the date of passing of the relevant resolution, amounting to 231,622,944 Shares, assuming that the issued share capital of the Company remains unchanged as of the date of Annual General Meeting.

In addition, an ordinary resolution to extend the Issue Mandate by adding the number of Shares repurchased by the Company pursuant to the Share Repurchase Mandate will also be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

The Issue Mandate will expire at the earliest of:

- the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- the expiration of the period within which the Company's next annual general meeting is required by the Articles of Association or any other applicable laws to be held; or
- the date on which it is varied or revoked by an ordinary resolution of the Shareholders passed in a general meeting.

PROPOSED GRANTING OF OPTIONS

Reference is made to the announcement dated March 31, 2022 issued by the Company in relation to the granting of Options and RSUs, including the Proposed Granting of Options, by the Company.

9,031,000 Shares

Principal terms of the Proposed Granting of Options are as follows:

Grant Date March 31, 2022

Grantee Mr. LIANG Joshua G

Number of Shares issuable under the **Options** granted

Exercise price of the **Options** granted

HK\$7.3 per Share, representing the highest of (i) the closing price of HK\$6.9 per Share as stated in the daily quotations sheet issued by the Stock Exchange on the

Grant Date; (ii) the average closing price of HK\$7.3 per Share as stated in the daily quotations sheets issued by the Stock Exchange for the five business days immediately preceding the Grant Date; and (iii) the

nominal value of a Share

Consideration paid for the Options granted

US\$0.001 to be paid by Mr. LIANG Joshua G upon

acceptance of the Options granted

Validity period of the Options granted

10 years from the Grant Date

Exercise period of the Options granted

Subject to the approval of independent Shareholders at the Annual General Meeting, 100% of the Options granted shall become exercisable evenly on a monthly basis within four years from the Grant Date provided that the first few tranches of Options to become exercisable during the Grant Date to May 5, 2022 (being the first half-year anniversary of the Listing Date) shall become

exercisable in one go in May 2022

The Shares to be allotted upon exercise of the Options shall rank *pari passu* with the Shares then in issue in all respects, including voting rights, entitlement to dividends, transfer and other rights (including those arising on liquidation of the Company) paid or made on or after the relevant exercise date of the Options. The Options themselves, however, do not carry any right to voting, dividend, transfer or other rights (including those arising on the liquidation of the Company) prior to their being exercised and the underlying Shares being issued.

Reasons for the Proposed Granting of Options

The Post-IPO Share Option Plan forms part of the incentive plan of the Group. The Board considers that the Proposed Granting of Options is to (i) serve as a recognition and appreciation of the dedication and the significant efforts and contribution of Mr. LIANG Joshua G to the Group, who has led the Company to complete the listing of the Shares on the Stock Exchange in November 2021, and (ii) provide incentive for his continuing commitment and contributions to the growth of the Group in the future by further aligning the long-term interests of the Company with Mr. LIANG Joshua G. The management of and continued contribution to the Group provided by Mr. LIANG Joshua G are of critical importance to the development and growth of the Group.

Listing Rules Implications

Pursuant to Rule 17.04(1) of the Listing Rules and the Post-IPO Share Option Plan, each granting of Options by the Company to any Director, chief executive, or Substantial Shareholder of the Company or any of their respective associates must be approved by the independent non-executive Directors (excluding independent non-executive Director who is the grantee of the Options concerned).

The Proposed Granting of Options has been reviewed and approved by the independent non-executive Directors accordingly.

Further, pursuant to Rule 17.04(1) of the Listing Rules and the Post-IPO Share Option Plan, any granting of Options to a Substantial Shareholder or an independent non-executive Director, or any of their respective associates, which would result in the Shares issued and to be issued upon exercise of all Options already granted and to be granted (including Options exercised, cancelled and outstanding) under the Post-IPO Share Option Plan or any other option schemes of the Group to such person in the 12-month period up to and including the date of such granting (i) representing in aggregate over 0.1% of the Shares in issue and (ii) having an aggregate value, based on the closing price of the Shares at the date of each granting, in excess of HK\$5 million, such further granting of Options must be separately approved by Shareholders in general meeting.

As at the Grant Date, there were 1,158,114,723 Shares in issue. The Proposed Granting of Options to Mr. LIANG Joshua G, being a Substantial Shareholder of the Company, will result in the Shares to be issued upon exercise in full of the Options to be granted to Mr. LIANG Joshua G in the 12-month period up to and including the Grant Date (i) representing in aggregate over 0.1% of the Shares in issue; and (ii) having an aggregate value, based on the closing price of the Shares of HK\$6.9 on the Grant Date, in excess of HK\$5 million.

Accordingly, the Company proposes to seek the approval of the Proposed Granting of Options from the Shareholders at the Annual General Meeting. As required under Rule 17.04(1) of the Listing Rules, Mr. LIANG Joshua G, his associates and all Core Connected Persons of the Company must abstain from voting in favor of the resolution approving the Proposed Granting of the Options. As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. LIANG Joshua G, his associates and all Core Connected Persons of the Company held in aggregate 541,734,429 Shares, representing approximately 46.78% of the total number of Shares in issue.

PROPOSED RE-ELECTION OF RETIRING DIRECTORS

As of the Latest Practicable Date, the Board comprises Dr. LIANG Peng as the chairman and executive Director and Mr. LIANG Joshua G as an executive Director, Dr. WANG Xiaodong, Mr. XIAO Ting (肖汀) and Mr. LYU Dong (呂東) as non-executive Directors, and Dr. WU Xiaobin, Mr. LIAO Xiang, Mr. Jeffrey FARROW, and Mr. Thomas LEGGETT as independent non-executive Directors.

Pursuant to Article 16.19 of the Articles of Association, at every annual general meeting of the Company, one-third of the Directors for the time being (or, if their number is not three or a multiple of three, then the number nearest to, but not less than, one-third) shall retire from office by rotation provided that every Director (including those appointed for a specific term) shall be subject to retirement by rotation at least once every three years. A retiring Director shall retain office until the close of the meeting at which he retires and shall be eligible for re-election thereat. The Company at any annual general meeting at which any Directors retire may fill the vacated office by electing a like number of persons to be Directors.

In accordance with Article 16.19 of the Articles of Association, the following Directors, namely, Dr. WU Xiaobin, Mr. Jeffrey FARROW and Mr. Thomas LEGGETT shall retire at the Annual General Meeting and, being eligible, will offer themselves for re-election.

The Nomination Committee has reviewed the structure and composition of the Board, the confirmations and disclosures given by the Directors, the qualifications, skills and experience, time commitment and contribution of the Directors with reference to the nomination principles and criteria set out in the Company's board diversity policy and the Company's corporate strategy, and the independence of all independent non-executive Directors. The Nomination Committee has recommended to the Board on re-election of all the above-mentioned Directors. On the re-appointment of Dr. WU Xiaobin, Mr. Jeffrey FARROW and Mr. Thomas LEGGETT, the Nomination Committee considered, and the Board shared the same views, that at all times during their period of directorship with the Company, they have properly discharged their duties and responsibilities and have made positive contribution to the development to the Company through independent, constructive and informed comments and participation at the business and other affairs relating to the Group. In this regard, the Board is satisfied that Dr. WU Xiaobin, Mr. Jeffrey FARROW and Mr. Thomas LEGGETT are persons of integrity and stature and believes that their re-election and continued appointment will allow the Board as well as the Company to continuously benefit from the sharing of their invaluable experience, contribution and participation and re-affirmed their independence.

Details of the above retiring Directors who are standing for re-election at the Annual General Meeting are set out in Appendix II to this circular in accordance with the relevant requirements of the Listing Rules.

PROPOSED RE-APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR

The consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended December 31, 2021 were audited by Ernst & Young whose term of office will expire upon the Annual General Meeting.

The Board proposes to re-appoint Ernst & Young as the auditor of the Company and to hold office until the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

On March 29, 2022, in accordance with the amendments to Appendix 3 to the Listing Rules which sets out a uniform set of Core Shareholder Protection Standards (the "Core Standards") for issuers regardless of their place of incorporation, the Board resolved to adopt the fourth amended and restated memorandum and articles of association (the "Fourth Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association"), which amends certain articles of the Articles of Association to conform to the Core Standards, subject to the approval of the Shareholders. Details of the proposed amendments are set out in the Appendix III of this circular. The Company has been advised by Kirkland & Ellis, the Company's legal advisor as to Hong Kong laws, and Maples and Calder (Hong Kong) LLP, the Company's legal advisor

as to Cayman Islands laws, that the proposed amendments (the "**Proposed Amendments**") to the Articles of Association and the Fourth Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association are not inconsistent with the requirements of the Listing Rules and the laws of the Cayman Islands. The Company also confirms that there is nothing unusual about the Proposed Amendments and the Fourth Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association for a company listed on the Stock Exchange.

A special resolution will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting for the Shareholders to, among others, consider and, if thought fit, approve the Proposed Amendments. Such amendments shall take effect immediately upon the passing of the relevant resolutions.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The notice of the Annual General Meeting is set out on pages 26 to 31 of this circular.

For determining the eligibility to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, May 24, 2022 to Friday, May 27, 2022, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of Shares will be registered. In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting, all transfer of Shares documents, accompanied by the relevant share certificates and transfer forms, must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, at Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong, for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Monday, May 23, 2022.

PROXY ARRANGEMENT

A form of proxy for use at the Annual General Meeting is enclosed with this circular. Such form of proxy is also published on the websites of Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited (www.hkexnews.hk) and the Company (www.cloverbiopharma.com). Whether or not you intend to attend the Annual General Meeting, you are required to complete and sign the form of proxy in accordance with the instructions printed thereon and return it to the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, at Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not less than 48 hours before the time fixed for the holding of the Annual General Meeting (i.e. not later than 10:00 a.m. on May 25, 2022) or any adjournment thereof. Completion and delivery of the form of proxy shall not preclude you from attending and voting in person at the Annual General Meeting if you so wish and in such event the form of proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.

VOTING BY WAY OF POLL

Pursuant to Rule 13.39(4) of the Listing Rules, any resolution put to the vote of the Shareholders at a general meeting must be taken by poll except where the chairman of the Annual General Meeting, in good faith, decides to allow a resolution which relates purely to a procedural or administrative matter to be voted on by a show of hands. An announcement on the poll results will be published by the Company after the Annual General Meeting in the manner prescribed under Rule 13.39(5) of the Listing Rules.

RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

This circular, for which the Directors of the Company collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the 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 circular 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 circular misleading.

RECOMMENDATION

The Directors consider that the above proposed resolutions regarding the granting of the Share Repurchase Mandate and the Issue Mandate, the granting of Options to Mr. LIANG Joshua G, the re-election of retiring Directors, the re-appointment of the auditor of the Company and the amendments to the Articles of Association are in the best interests of the Company and the Shareholders as a whole. The Directors therefore recommend the Shareholders to vote in favor of the relevant resolutions to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

Yours faithfully,
By order of the Board
Clover Biopharmaceuticals, Ltd.
Dr. Peng LIANG
Chairman of the Board

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT ON THE SHARE REPURCHASE MANDATE

The following is an explanatory statement required by the Listing Rules to provide the Shareholders with requisite information reasonably necessary for them to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the ordinary resolution to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting in relation to the granting of the Share Repurchase Mandate.

1. SHARE CAPITAL

As of the Latest Practicable Date, the issued share capital of the Company comprised 1,158,114,723 Shares.

Subject to the passing of the resolution granting the Share Repurchase Mandate and on the basis that no further Shares are issued or repurchased before the Annual General Meeting, the Directors would be authorized under the Share Repurchase Mandate to repurchase, during the period in which the Share Repurchase Mandate remains in force, a total of 115,811,472 Shares which represent 10% of the total number of Shares in issue as of the date of the Annual General Meeting, i.e. 1,158,114,723 Shares.

2. REASONS FOR SHARE REPURCHASE

The Directors believe that it is in the best interests of the Company and Shareholders for the Directors to have general authority from the Shareholders to enable the Directors to repurchase the Shares in the market. Such repurchase may, depending on market conditions and funding arrangements at the time, lead to an enhancement of the net assets per Share or earnings per Share of the Company and will only be made when the Directors believe that such repurchase will benefit the Company and Shareholders.

3. FUNDING OF SHARE REPURCHASE

Repurchase of the Shares must be funded out of funds legally available for such purpose in accordance with the Articles of Association and the applicable laws of the Cayman Islands. The Directors may not repurchase the Shares on the Stock Exchange for a consideration other than cash or for settlement otherwise than in accordance with the trading rules of the Stock Exchange. Subject to the foregoing, the Directors may make repurchases out of profits of the Company, out of the share premium account of the Company or out of the proceeds of a new issuance of shares made for the purpose of the repurchase or, if authorized by the Articles of Association and subject to the Companies Act, out of capital and, in the case of any premium payable on the repurchase, out of profits of the Company or from sums standing to the credit of the share premium account of the Company or, if authorized by the Articles of Association and subject to the Companies Act, out of capital.

4. IMPACT OF SHARE REPURCHASE

There might be a material adverse impact on the working capital or gearing position of the Company (as compared with the position disclosed in the audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2021 contained in the 2021 annual report of the Company) in the event that the Share Repurchase Mandate was to be carried out in full at any time during the proposed repurchase period. However, the Directors do not propose to exercise the Share Repurchase Mandate to such extent as would, in the circumstances, have a material adverse effect on the working capital requirements of the Company or its gearing levels which, in the opinion of the Directors, are from time to time appropriate for the Company.

5. EFFECT OF TAKEOVERS CODE AND MINIMUM PUBLIC HOLDING

If as a result of a repurchase of Shares pursuant to the Share Repurchase Mandate, a Shareholder's proportionate interest in the voting rights of the Company increases, such increase will be treated as an acquisition of voting rights for the purposes of Rule 32 of the Takeovers Code. Accordingly, if a Shareholder, or a group of Shareholders acting in concert (within the meaning of the Takeovers Code), depending on the level of increase of the Shareholder's interest, could obtain or consolidate control of the Company, it will become obliged to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code.

The Directors do not propose to exercise the Share Repurchase Mandate to such an extent as would, in the circumstances, give rise to an obligation to make a mandatory offer in accordance with Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code and/or result in the aggregate number of Shares held by the public shareholders falling below the prescribed minimum percentage required by the Stock Exchange.

6. GENERAL

None of the Directors or, to the best of their knowledge, having made all reasonable enquiries, any of their respective close associates (as defined in the Listing Rules) currently intends to sell any Shares to the Company, if the Share Repurchase Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.

The Directors have undertaken to the Stock Exchange that, so far as the same may be applicable, they will exercise their power to repurchase any Shares pursuant to the Share Repurchase Mandate in accordance with the Listing Rules, the Articles of Association and applicable laws of the Cayman Islands.

As of the Latest Practicable Date, no Core Connected Person of the Company has notified the Company that he/she/it has a present intention to sell any Shares to the Company, or has undertaken not to do so, if the proposed Share Repurchase Mandate is approved by the Shareholders.

7. SHARE REPURCHASE MADE BY THE COMPANY

The Company had not repurchased any Shares on the Stock Exchange from the Listing Date to the Latest Practicable Date.

8. SHARE PRICES

Since the Company was listed on the Stock Exchange on November 5, 2021, the highest and lowest prices at which the Shares have been traded on the Stock Exchange from the Listing Date to the Latest Practicable Date were as follows:

	Highest	Lowest
	HK\$	HK\$
2021		
November (since the Listing Date)	13.56	8.8
December	14.8	10.5
2022		
January	13.58	10.5
February	12.58	7.53
March	9.38	5.6
April (up to the Latest Practicable Date)	8.3	6.37

DIRECTORS STANDING FOR RE-ELECTION

The following are details of the Directors who will retire and being eligible, offer themselves for re-election at the Annual General Meeting.

Dr. WU Xiaobin

Dr. WU Xiaobin ("**Dr. Wu**"), aged 60, was appointed as an independent non-executive Director on April 19, 2021 with effect from September 26, 2021. He is primarily responsible for supervising and providing independent judgement to our Board.

Dr. Wu has more than 25 years of rich experience in the pharmaceutical industry, including 17 years leading China operations of multinational companies, with expertise in integrated research and development, strategy, commercialization and general management. Prior to joining our Group, Dr. Wu took the role of global president and general manager of BeiGene, Ltd. ("BeiGene"), a Stock Exchange listed company (stock code: 6160), since May 2018. Before joining BeiGene, Dr. Wu served as the country manager of Pfizer China; and regional president of Pfizer Essential Health in Greater China Region from October 2009 to April 2018. Dr. Wu led Pfizer China business with focus and integrity, building an incredible business and establishing a strong culture of compliance. Under his leadership, Pfizer China experienced a significant growth, developed a clear vision and strategy, which transformed the business and organization to new heights, and established its position as a leading multinational pharmaceutical company in China, also became a significant contributor to China's healthcare system. Dr. Wu is widely recognized as an industry opinion leader in China, he actively worked with industry associations, helped to shape and influence the environment to ensure Chinese patients have access to high-quality medicines and vaccines.

Prior to Pfizer, Dr. Wu served as president and managing director of Wyeth China and Hong Kong from 2004 to 2009. Before joining Wyeth, Dr. Wu served as the general manager of Bayer Healthcare in China from 2001 to 2004. He started his career in 1992 in sales & marketing, also in headquarters' functions with Bayer in Germany.

Dr. Wu was elected as the vice chairman of China Pharmaceutical industry Research and Development Association since 2019. He is also a research fellow at Research Center of National Drug Policy and Ecosystem. Dr. Wu served as the vice chairman of the R&D Based Pharmaceutical Association Committee (RDPAC) in China from 2008 to 2018. In addition to his duties in industrial associations, Dr. Wu is frequently awarded with industry awards, including being voted as "Person of the Year" in Healthy China Award 2017 and having won the award of "2017 Top 10 Most Influential Person in Chinese Healthcare Industry" and "2017 Social Responsibility Eminent Person Award."

Dr. Wu obtained Ph.D. in biochemistry and pharmacology in April 1993 and a master's degree in molecular biology in January 1990 from the University of Konstanz in Germany.

Dr. Wu has entered into an appointment letter with our Company on September 26, 2021. The initial term for his appointment letter shall commence from the date of his appointment as a Director and continue for a period of three years after or until the third annual general meeting of the Company since the Listing Date, whichever is earlier, and shall be automatically renewed for successive periods of three years (subject always to re-election as and when required under the Articles of Association), until terminated in accordance with the terms and conditions of the appointment letter or by either party giving to the other not less than three months' prior notice in writing. He is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the Annual General Meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Dr. Wu's interests in the Shares, underlying Shares and debentures within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO are set out below:

Name of Director	Nature of Interest	Number of Shares	Approximate Percentage of Shareholding Interest
Dr. Wu	Beneficial owner ^(note)	460,000	0.04%

Note: Referring to the Shares underlying the restricted share units granted to Dr. Wu under the RSU Scheme.

Mr. Jeffrey FARROW

Mr. Jeffrey FARROW ("Mr. Farrow"), aged 60, was appointed as an independent non-executive Director on April 19, 2021 with effect from September 26, 2021. He is primarily responsible for supervising and providing independent judgement to our Board.

In addition to his position in our Company, Mr. Farrow also serves as the chief financial officer of Global Blood Therapeutics, Inc., a company whose shares are listed on the NASDAQ (ticker symbol: GBT). From June 2015 to March 2016, he worked for ZS Pharma, Inc., a biotechnology company, as its chief financial officer. From November 2009 to May 2015, he first worked as the vice president of finance and then the chief financial officer of Hyperion Therapeutics, Inc. From May 2008 to December 2009, he served as the vice president of finance of Evotec, a biotechnology company listed on Frankfurt Stock Exchange (ticker symbol: EVT), where he was mainly responsible for US finance operations and SEC filings. From January 2004 to July 2007, he first worked as the senior director of finance and then the vice president of finance and chief accounting officer at Renovis Health Corp. (a company acquired by Evotec in 2008). From July 1996 to January 2004, he worked for KPMG with his last position being a senior manager.

Mr. Farrow obtained his bachelor's degree in business administration with a concentration in finance from California State University of Fullerton in June 1993 in the U.S. Mr. Farrow obtained the Certified Public Accountant license from California Board of Accountancy in May 2002 in the U.S.

Mr. Farrow has entered into an appointment letter with our Company on September 26, 2021. The initial term for his appointment letter shall commence from the date of his appointment as a Director and continue for a period of three years after or until the third annual general meeting of the Company since the Listing Date, whichever is earlier, and shall be automatically renewed for successive periods of three years (subject always to re-election as and when required under the Articles of Association), until terminated in accordance with the terms and conditions of the appointment letter or by either party giving to the other not less than three months' prior notice in writing. He is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the Annual General Meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Farrow's interests in the Shares, underlying Shares and debentures within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO are set out below:

			Approximate Percentage of Shareholding
Name of Director	Nature of Interest	Number of Shares	Interest
Mr. Farrow	Beneficial owner ^(note)	460,000	0.04%

Note: Referring to the Shares underlying the restricted share units granted to Mr. Farrow under the RSU Scheme.

Mr. Thomas LEGGETT

Mr. Thomas LEGGETT ("Mr. Leggett"), aged 45, was appointed as an independent non-executive Director on April 19, 2021 with effect from September 26, 2021. He is primarily responsible for supervising and providing independent judgement to our Board.

In addition to his position at our Company, Mr. Leggett also serves as the chief financial officer of Affinia Therapeutics, Inc., a private biotechnology company. Prior to his current role, Mr. Leggett served as the chief financial officer of Black Diamond Therapeutics, Inc., a company whose shares are listed on the NASDAQ (ticker symbol: BDTX) from September 2019 to December 2021. Prior to Black Diamond, he worked for a NASDAQ listed company, Axcella Health, Inc. (ticker symbol: AXLA) as its chief financial officer from January 2017 to August 2019. Starting in May 2015, he worked as the treasurer & head of business development finance of Purdue Pharma L.P., a pharmaceuticals company. From November 2009 to May 2015, Mr. Leggett first served as a director and then an executive director of UBS

Securities, where he was mainly responsible for providing corporate finance and strategic advisory services to life sciences clients. From January 2007, he worked at Lazard Freres & Co., an investment bank. From August 2004 to January 2007, he worked for J.P. Morgan Securities as an associate.

Mr. Leggett obtained his bachelor's degree in economics from Columbia University in May 1999 and his master of business administration from the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania in May 2004 in the U.S.

Mr. Leggett has entered into an appointment letter with our Company on September 26, 2021. The initial term for his appointment letter shall commence from the date of his appointment as a Director and continue for a period of three years after or until the third annual general meeting of the Company since the Listing Date, whichever is earlier, and shall be automatically renewed for successive periods of three years (subject always to re-election as and when required under the Articles of Association), until terminated in accordance with the terms and conditions of the appointment letter or by either party giving to the other not less than three months' prior notice in writing. He is subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the Annual General Meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, Mr. Leggett's interests in the Shares, underlying Shares and debentures within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO are set out below:

			Approximate
			Percentage of
			Shareholding
Name of Director	Nature of Interest	Number of Shares	Interest
Mr. Leggett	Beneficial	460,000	0.04%
	owner ^(note)		

Note: Referring to the Shares underlying the restricted share units granted to Mr. Leggett under the RSU Scheme.

DIRECTOR'S REMUNERATION

The total amount of the Directors' remuneration for the year ended December 31, 2021 received by each of the retiring Directors is set out in the financial statements of the Company's 2021 annual report. The Directors' remuneration is determined by the remuneration committee of the Company having regard to the Company's and the Director's performance.

DIRECTOR'S INTEREST

Save as disclosed in this circular, to the best knowledge of the Company, each of the Directors who stand for re-election (i) does not hold other positions in the Company or other members of the Group, (ii) does not hold any directorship in other public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas in the last three years, (iii) does not have any relationship with any other Director, senior management, substantial shareholder or Controlling Shareholder of the Company, (iv) does not have any interest in the securities within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO, and (v) has no information to disclose pursuant to any of the requirements of Rule 13.51(2)(h) - 13.51(2)(v) of the Listing Rules; and there are no other matters that need to be brought to the attention of the Shareholders.

Reference is made to the announcement of the Company dated March 29, 2022, in relation to the proposed amendments to the Articles of Association.

On March 29, 2022, in accordance with the amendments to Appendix 3 to the Listing Rules which sets out a uniform set of Core Standards for issuers regardless of their place of incorporation, the Board resolved to adopt the fourth amended and restated memorandum and articles of association (the "Fourth Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association"), which amends certain articles of the Articles of Association to conform to the Core Standards, subject to the approval of the Shareholders.

The proposed amendments to the Articles of Association are detailed as follows:

Article before amendments

Article 12.1

The Company shall hold a general meeting as its annual general meeting in each year other than the year of the Company's adoption of these Articles, within a period of not more than 15 months after the holding of the last preceding annual general meeting or not more than 18 months after the date of adoption of these Articles (or such longer period as the Exchange may authorise). The annual general meeting shall be specified as such in the notices calling it and shall be held at such time and place as the Board shall appoint.

Article after amendments

Article 12.1

The Company shall hold a general meeting as its annual general meeting in each financial year—other than the year of the Company's adoption of these Articles, within a period of not more than 15 months after the holding of the last preceding annual general meeting or not more than 18 months after the date of adoption of these Articles (or such longer period as the Exchange may authorise). The annual general meeting shall be specified as such in the notices calling it and shall be held at such time and place as the Board shall appoint.

Article before amendments

Article 12.3

The Board may, whenever it thinks fit, convene an extraordinary general meeting. General meetings shall also be convened on the written requisition of any one or more members holding together, as at the date of the deposit of requisition, shares representing not less than one-tenth of the paid up capital of the Company which carry the right of voting at general meetings of the Company. The written requisition shall be deposited at the principal office of the Company in Hong Kong or, in the event the Company ceases to have such a principal office, the registered office of the Company, specifying the objects of the meeting and the resolutions to be added to the meeting agenda, and signed by the requisitionist(s). If the Board does not within 21 days from the date of deposit of the requisition proceed duly to convene the meeting to be held within a further 21 days, the requisitionist(s) themselves or any of them representing more than one-half of the total voting rights of all of them, may convene the general meeting in the same manner, as nearly as possible, as that in which meetings may be convened by the Board provided that any meeting so convened shall not be held after the expiration of three months from the date of deposit of the requisition, and all reasonable expenses incurred by the requisitionist(s) as a result of the failure of the Board shall be reimbursed to them by the Company.

Article after amendments

Article 12.3

The Board may, whenever it thinks fit, convene an extraordinary general meeting. General meetings shall also be convened on the written requisition of any one or more members holding together, as at the date of deposit the requisition, shares representing not less than one-tenth of the paid up capital voting rights, on a one vote per share basis, of the Company which carry the right of voting at general meetings of the Company. The written requisition shall be deposited at the principal office of the Company in Hong Kong or, in the event the Company ceases to have such a principal office, the registered office of the Company, specifying the objects of the meeting and the resolutions to be added to the meeting agenda, and signed by the requisitionist(s). If the Board does not within 21 days from the date of deposit of the requisition proceed duly to convene the meeting to be held within a further 21 days, the requisitionist(s) themselves or any of them representing more than one-half of the total voting rights of all of them, may convene the general meeting in the same manner, as nearly as possible, as that in which meetings may be convened by the Board provided that any meeting so convened shall not be held after the expiration of three months from the date of deposit of the requisition, and all reasonable expenses incurred by the requisitionist(s) as a result of the failure of the Board shall be reimbursed to them by the Company.

Article before amendments	Article after amendments
Article 12.11	Article 12.11
(c) only the business set out in the notice of the original meeting shall be transacted at the reconvened meeting, and notice given for the reconvened meeting does not need to specify the business to transacted at the reconvened meeting, nor shall any accompanying documents be required to be recirculated. Where any new business is to be transacted at such reconvened meeting, the Company shall give a fresh notice for such reconvened meeting in accordance with Article 12.4.	(c) only the business set out in the notice of the original meeting shall be transacted at the reconvened meeting, and notice given for the reconvened meeting does not need to specify the business to <u>be</u> transacted at the reconvened meeting, nor shall any accompanying documents be required to be recirculated. Where any new business is to be transacted at such reconvened meeting, the Company shall give a fresh notice for such reconvened meeting in accordance with Article 12.4.
Article 14.1	Article 14.1

Article 14.1

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 present in person (or, in the case of a member being a corporation, duly by its authorised 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 authorised representative) or by proxy shall have one vote for each share registered in his name in the register. On a poll a member entitled to more than one vote is under no obligation to cast all his votes in the same way. For the avoidance of doubt, where more than one proxy is appointed by a recognized 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.

Article 14.1

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,(a) every member present in person (or, in the case of a member being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative) or by proxy shall have the right to speak, (b) on a show of hands, every member present in such manner shall have one vote, and (c) on a poll every member present in person (or, in the case of a member being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative) or by proxy-such manner shall have one vote for each share registered in his name in the register. On a poll a member entitled to more than one vote is under no obligation to cast all his votes in the same way. For the avoidance of doubt, where more than one proxy is appointed by a recognized 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.

Article before amendments

Article 16.2

The Board shall have power from time to time and at any time to appoint any person as a Director either to fill a casual vacancy or as an addition to the Board. Any Director so appointed shall hold office only until the next following general meeting of the Company and shall then be eligible for re-election at that meeting.

Article 16.6

The Company may by ordinary resolution at any time remove any Director (including a Managing Director or other executive Director) before the expiration of his period of office notwithstanding anything in these Articles or in any agreement between the Company and such Director and may by ordinary resolution elect another person in his stead. Any person so elected shall hold office during such time only as the Director in whose place he is elected would have held the same if he had not been removed. Nothing in this Article should be taken as depriving a Director removed under any provision of this Article of compensation or damages payable to him in respect of the termination of his appointment as Director or of any other appointment or office as a result of the termination of his appointment as Director or as derogatory from any power to remove a Director which may exist apart from the provision of this Article.

Article after amendments

Article 16.2

The Board shall have power from time to time and at any time to appoint any person as a Director either to fill a casual vacancy or as an addition to the Board. Any Director so appointed shall hold office only until the next following first annual general meeting of the Company after his appointment and shall then be eligible for re-election at that meeting.

Article 16.6

The Company may by ordinary resolution at any time remove any Director (including a Managing Director or other executive Director) before the expiration of his period term of office notwithstanding anything in these Articles or in any agreement between the Company and such Director and may by ordinary resolution elect another person in his stead. Any person so elected shall hold office during such time only as the Director in whose place he is elected would have held the same if he had not been removed. Nothing in this Article should be taken as depriving a Director removed under any provision of this Article of compensation or damages payable to him in respect of the termination of his appointment as Director or of any other appointment or office as a result of the termination of his appointment as Director or as derogatory from any power to remove a Director which may exist apart from the provision of this Article.

Article before amendments

Article 29.2

The Company shall at every 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.

Article after amendments

Article 29.2

The Company shall at every annual general meeting by ordinary resolution 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 by ordinary resolution, 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.

Article 32.1 (newly-added)

Subject to the Companies Act, the Company may by special resolution resolve that the Company be wound up voluntarily.

If the serial numbering of the chapters and articles of the Articles of Association is changed due to the addition, deletion or re-arrangement of certain articles made in this amendment, the serial numbering of the chapters and articles of the Articles of Association as so amended shall be changed accordingly, including cross-references.



Clover Biopharmaceuticals, Ltd.

三葉草生物製藥有限公司

 $(Incorporated\ in\ the\ Cayman\ Islands\ with\ limited\ liability)$

(Stock Code: 2197)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual general meeting (the "Meeting") of Clover Biopharmaceuticals, Ltd. (the "Company") will be held at Room 1102, Building 1, Chinese Financial Center, No. 33, Jiaozi Street, High-tech Zone, Chengdu, Sichuan province, PRC on May 27, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. for considering and, if thought fit, passing, with or without amendments, the following resolutions:

ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

- 1. To receive and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries and the reports of the directors and auditor for the year ended December 31, 2021.
- 2. (a) To re-elect Dr. WU Xiaobin as an independent non-executive director of the Company;
 - (b) To re-elect Mr. Jeffrey FARROW as an independent non-executive director of the Company;
 - (c) To re-elect Mr. Thomas LEGGETT as an independent non-executive director of the Company;
- 3. To authorise the board of directors of the Company to fix the remuneration of all the directors.
- 4. To re-appoint Ernst & Young as auditor of the Company and authorise the board of directors of the Company to fix their remuneration.
- 5. To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolutions as ordinary resolutions:

(A) "That:

(i) subject to paragraph (iii) below, the exercise by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) of all the powers of the Company to allot, issue or otherwise deal with additional shares in the capital of the Company or securities convertible into shares,

- or options, warrants or similar rights to subscribe for shares or such convertible securities of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and/or options (including bonds, warrants and debentures convertible into shares of the Company) which may require the exercise of such powers be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (ii) the approval in paragraph (i) of this resolution above 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 (as hereinafter defined) to make or grant offers, agreements and/or options which may require the exercise of such power after the end of the Relevant Period;
- (iii) the aggregate nominal amount of share capital allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted (whether pursuant to options or otherwise) by the directors of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) pursuant to paragraph (i) of this resolution above, otherwise than pursuant to (1) a Rights Issue (as hereinafter defined); or (2) the grant or exercise of any option under the option scheme of the Company or any other option, scheme or similar arrangement for the time being adopted for the grant or issue to the directors, officers and/or employees of the Company and/or any of its subsidiaries of shares or rights to acquire shares of the Company; or (3) 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 in force from time to time; or (4) any issue of shares in the Company upon the exercise of rights of subscription or conversion under the terms of any existing convertible notes issued by the Company or any existing securities of the Company which carry rights to subscribe for or are convertible into shares of the Company, shall not exceed the aggregate of 20 per cent of the aggregate nominal amount of share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing this resolution and the said approval shall be limited accordingly; and
- (iv) for the purpose of this resolution:
 - (a) "Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:
 - (1) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;

- (2) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by any applicable laws or the articles of association of the Company to be held;
- (3) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting; and
- (b) "Rights Issue" means an offer of shares in the capital of the Company, or an offer or issue of warrants, options or other securities giving rights to subscribe for shares, open for a period fixed by the directors of the Company to holders of shares in the capital of the Company or any class thereof whose names appear on the register of members on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares or class thereof (subject to such exclusion 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, or the requirements of, or the expense or delay which may be involved in determining the exercise or extent of any restrictions or obligations under the laws of, or the requirements of, any jurisdiction applicable to the Company, any recognised regulatory body or any stock exchange applicable to the Company)."

(B) "That:

- (i) subject to paragraph (iii) 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 shares of the Company on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") or on any other stock exchange on which the shares of the Company may be listed and recognised for this purpose by the Securities and Futures Commission and the Stock Exchange under the Code on Share Buy-backs and, subject to and in accordance with all applicable laws and the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange, be and is hereby generally and unconditionally approved;
- (ii) the approval in paragraph (i) of this resolution above shall be in addition to any other authorisation given to the Directors and shall authorise the Directors on behalf of the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) to procure the Company to repurchase its shares at a price determined by the Directors;

- (iii) the aggregate nominal amount of the shares of the Company, which may be repurchased by the Company during the Relevant Period (as hereinafter defined) pursuant to the approval in paragraph (i) above shall not exceed 10 per cent 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;
- (iv) subject to the passing of each of the paragraphs (i), (ii) and (iii) of this resolution, any prior approvals of the kind referred to in paragraphs (i), (ii) and (iii) of this resolution which had been granted to the directors of the Company and which are still in effect be and are hereby revoked; and
- (v) for the purpose of this resolution:
 - "Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:
 - (a) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
 - (b) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by any applicable laws or the articles of association of the Company to be held; and
 - (c) the revocation or variation of the authority given under this resolution by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting."
- (C) "That conditional upon the resolutions numbered 5(A) and 5(B) set out in the notice convening this meeting being passed, the general mandate granted to the directors of the Company to exercise the powers of the Company to allot, issue and otherwise deal with new shares of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such powers pursuant to the ordinary resolution numbered 5(A) set out in the notice convening this meeting be and is hereby extended by the addition to the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company which may be allotted or agreed conditional or unconditionally to be allotted by the directors of the Company pursuant to such general mandate of an amount representing the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company repurchased by the Company under the authority granted pursuant to ordinary resolution numbered 5(B) set out in the notice convening this meeting, provided that such extended amount shall not exceed 10 per cent of the aggregate nominal amount of the share capital of the Company in issue as at the date of passing of this resolution."

6. To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That the grant of share options (the "Share Options") to Mr. LIANG Joshua G ("Mr. LIANG"), the executive director and substantial shareholder (as defined in the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited) of the Company, to subscribe for 9,031,000 ordinary shares of US\$0.0001 each in the share capital of the Company (the "Shares") at an exercise price of HK\$7.3 per Share under the post-IPO share option plan of the Company adopted by the Company on September 26, 2021 (the "Post-IPO Share Option Plan") and otherwise on such terms as stipulated in the offer letter to be issued by the Company pursuant to the Post-IPO Share Option Plan be and is hereby approved and That the board of directors of the Company be and is hereby authorised to exercise all rights and powers available to it as it may in its sole discretion consider necessary or expedient to give full effect to the grant of the Share Options to Mr. LIANG and the issue of the Shares upon the exercise of the Share Options by Mr. LIANG."

SPECIAL RESOLUTION

7. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments the following resolution as a special resolution:

"That the proposed amendments to the articles of association of the Company as set out in the circular of the Company dated April 22, 2022 (the "Proposed Amendments") be and are hereby approved and the directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to deal with on behalf of the Company the relevant application(s), approval(s), registration(s), filing(s) and other related procedures or issues and to make further amendment(s) (where necessary) pursuant to the requirements of the relevant governmental and/or regulatory authorities arising from the Proposed Amendments."

By Order of the Board
Clover Biopharmaceuticals, Ltd.
Dr. Peng LIANG
Chairman of the Board

Shanghai, PRC, April 22, 2022

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Notes:

- (i) Ordinary resolution numbered 5(C) will be proposed to the shareholders for approval provided that ordinary resolutions numbered 5(A) and 5(B) are passed by the shareholders of the Company.
- (ii) A shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the Meeting is entitled to appoint another person as his/her proxy to attend and vote instead of him/her; a proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company. A shareholder who is the holder of two or more shares may appoint more than one proxy to represent him/her and vote on his/her behalf at the Meeting. On a poll, votes may be given either personally or by proxy. The Company strongly recommends you to monitor the development of the situation with the COVID-19 and to assess, based on the social distancing policies, the necessity for attending the above meeting in person, and the board of directors of the Company respectfully requests that, for the same reason, the shareholders to appoint the chairman of the above meeting as their proxy rather than a third party to attend and vote on their behalf at the above meeting (or any adjournment thereof).
- (iii) In the case of joint holders, any one of such joint holders may vote at the Meeting, either in person or by proxy, in respect of such share as if he/she were solely entitled thereto, but if more than one of such joint holders be present at the Meeting, the vote of the senior who tenders a vote, whether in person or by proxy, will be accepted to the exclusion of the vote(s) of the other joint holder(s) and for this purpose seniority shall be determined as that one of the said persons so present whose name stands first on the register of members of the Company in respect of such share shall alone be entitled to vote in respect thereof.
- (iv) In order to be valid, a form of proxy must be deposited at the Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, at 17M Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong together with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed (or a notarially certified copy thereof) not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the holding of the above meeting (i.e. before 10:00 a.m. on May 25, 2022) or any adjournment thereof. The completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude shareholders of the Company from attending and voting in person at the above meeting (or any adjourned meeting thereof) if they so wish.
- (v) The transfer books and register of members of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, May 24, 2022 to Friday, May 27, 2022, both days inclusive, during which period no share transfers can be registered. In order to qualify for attending the Meeting, all transfers accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, at Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not later than 4:30 p.m. on Monday, May 23, 2022.
- (vi) In respect of ordinary resolutions numbered 2 above, Dr. WU Xiaobin, Mr. Jeffrey FARROW and Mr. Thomas LEGGETT, shall retire at the Meeting and being eligible, have offered themselves for re-election at the above meeting. Details of the above retiring directors are set out in Appendix II to the accompanied circular dated April 22, 2022.
- (vii) In respect of the ordinary resolution numbered 5(A) above, the directors of the Company (the "Directors") wish to state that they have no immediate plans to issue any new shares of the Company. Approval is being sought from the shareholders of the Company as a general mandate for the purposes of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (the "Listing Rules").
- (viii) In respect of ordinary resolution numbered 5(B) above, the Directors wish to state that they will exercise the powers conferred by the general mandate to repurchase shares of the Company in circumstances which they deem appropriate for the benefits of shareholders of the Company. The explanatory statement containing the information necessary to enable shareholders to make an informed decision on whether to vote for or against the resolution to approve the repurchase by the Company of its own shares, as required by the Listing Rules, is set out in Appendix I to the accompanied circular dated April 22, 2022.
- (ix) Taking into account of the recent development of the epidemic caused by novel coronavirus pneumonia (COVID-19), the Company will implement the following prevention and control measures at the Annual General Meeting against the epidemic to protect the Shareholders from the risk of infection:-
 - compulsory body temperature check will be conducted for every Shareholder or proxy at the entrance
 of the venue. Any person with a body temperature of over 37.3 degrees Celsius will not be permitted
 to access to the meeting venue;
 - (ii) every Shareholder or proxy is required to wear surgical face mask throughout the meeting;
 - (iii) no souvenirs will be provided; and
 - (iv) no refreshments will be served.