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Stock Name: Huayou Cobalt

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## **Zhejiang Huayou Cobalt Co., Ltd.**

# **Reminder Announcement on the Number of Underlying Shares Corresponding to the Number of GDRs in Their Duration Being Less than 50%**

### **Important tips:**

- **GDRs**  
Cobalt Co., Ltd.
- Code of the GDRs listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange: HUAYO.
- The number of GDRs actually issued by Zhejiang Huayou Cobalt Co., Ltd.  
**Company** with the approval of the China Securities Regulatory  
**CSRC**  
underlying A-shares.
- As of the closing of the Shanghai Stock Exchange on November 7, 2023  
(unless otherwise specified, the dates used herein refers to Beijing time),  
the number of A-shares corresponding to the GDRs in their duration is less

redemption, and such GDRs redemption will lead to a corresponding decrease in the -shares held by Citibank, National Association (the depository) as a nominal holder upon the cancellation instruction and entering into the A-share market of China for circulation and trading.

- The trading price of the GDRs overseas is different from that of A-share underlying securities in China. Please pay attention to investment risks.

### **I. Approval of the CSRC and the Actual Issuance of the Company**

According to the *Reply on Approving Zhejiang Huayou Cobalt Co., Ltd. for the First Public Offering of Global Depository Receipts (GDR) and Listing on the SIX Swiss Exchange* (ZJXX [2023] No. 708) issued by the CSRC, the number of newly added underlying A-shares of the Company corresponding to the GDRs issued shall not exceed 100,000,000. Based on the conversion ratio determined by the Company, the maximum number of the GDRs that can be issued shall not exceed 50,000,000. The maximum number of the GDRs in their duration shall be consistent with the actual issuance scale this GDRs offering. If the number of GDRs increases or decreases due to the Company adjustment of the conversion ratio, etc., the maximum number shall be adjusted accordingly.

The Company has issued and listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange 50,000,000 GDRs on July 7, 2023 (Swiss time), corresponding to 100,000,000 underlying A-shares of the Company.

### **II. Duration of the GDRs**

During the duration of the GDRs, in addition to trading GDRs through the International Order Book, qualified investors can also conduct cross-border conversion between GDRs and A-shares through cross-border conversion institutions.

Cross-border conversion includes the conversion of A-shares into GDRs and the conversion of GDRs into A-**redemption**. The redemption restriction period of the GDRs issued by the Company in respect of his offering expired on November 3, 2023 (Swiss time). The number of GDRs whose redemption restriction period expired is 50,000,000, corresponding to 100,000,000 A-shares of the Company. For the specific arrangement for GDRs cross-border conversion, please refer to the *Announcement on the Expiration of the Redemption Restriction Period for the GDRs of Zhejiang Huayou Cobalt Co., Ltd.* published by the Company on October 28, 2023 for details.

As of the closing of the Shanghai Stock Exchange on November 7, 2023, the -shares held by Citibank, National Association (the depository) as a nominal holder was less than 50% of the underlying A-shares corresponding to the GDRs actually issued by the Company with the approval the CSRC. The number of GDRs of the Company may further decrease due to GDRs redemption, which will lead to a corresponding decrease in the number of the -shares held by Citibank, National Association (the depository) as a nominal holder upon the cancellation instruction and entering into the A-share market of China for circulation and trading. The trading price of the GDRs overseas is different from that of A-share underlying securities in China. Please pay attention to investment risks.

It is hereby announced the above.

Board of Directors of Zhejiang Huayou Cobalt Co., Ltd.

November 7, 2023