

## Lianhe Global Officially Signed Strategic Cooperation Agreement with Hong Kong Top 100 Listed Companies Alliance

Hong Kong, January 9, 2026 – At the 2025 Hong Kong Wealth Management Summit and the 12th “Hong Kong Top 100 Listed Companies” Awards Ceremony, Lianhe Ratings Global Limited (“Lianhe Global” or the “Company”) and the Hong Kong Top 100 Listed Companies Alliance (“the Alliance”) officially announced the signing of a strategic cooperation agreement. By integrating the Alliance's corporate ecosystem resources with Lianhe Global's professional rating expertise, the two parties will jointly provide listed companies in Hong Kong with comprehensive, multi-dimensional services. This collaboration aims to support enterprises in enhancing their capital market value and international competitiveness, and to contribute to the sustained prosperity and development of Hong Kong as an international financial centre.



The event attracted hundreds of guests from the political, business, and academic sectors, who gathered to witness this annual highlight of Hong Kong's financial market. Distinguished attendees included Mr. Joseph Chan, Deputy Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury of the Hong Kong SAR Government; Mrs. Priscilla Leung, Member of the Legislative Council of Hong Kong, Member of the Hong Kong Basic Law Committee under the Standing Committee of the National People's Congress, and Hong Kong Deputy to the National People's Congress; Mr. Tam Yiu-chung, Member of the 13th Standing Committee of the National People's Congress, Hong Kong Deputy to the National People's Congress, and Secretary-General of the Hong Kong Coalition; Mr. Chiu Duncan, Member of the Legislative Council of Hong Kong; and Mr. Lin Guangzhao, Permanent Honorary President of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce in Hong Kong and Vice Chairman of BOC International Holdings Limited, among others.

Through this strategic collaboration, both parties will fully leverage their respective strengths to create synergies across multiple key areas. The cooperation will primarily focus on providing customized ratings and financing empowerment solutions to assist enterprises in broadening their financing channels and optimizing their capital structures. Additionally, it will offer full-cycle services spanning from pre-IPO guidance to post-listing market value management. The two sides will also jointly establish an industry research platform to release authoritative credit research findings, providing enterprises with risk monitoring and compliance support. Furthermore, by sharing ecosystem resources, engaging in joint branding and promotion efforts, and co-organizing market recognition initiatives, they aim to enhance the market recognition and international influence of member companies.

Looking ahead, both parties will use this strategic cooperation as a cornerstone to continuously deepen collaboration in areas such as credit research, cross-border finance, and innovative services. By expanding the cooperation ecosystem and refining service models, Lianhe Global and the Hong Kong Top 100 Listed Companies Alliance are committed to jointly building a more dynamic and efficient service system for listed companies. This collaboration will help enterprises seize opportunities and achieve stable development, while also contributing to the long-term prosperity and enhanced global influence of Hong Kong's capital market.

## About Lianhe Global

Lianhe Global was founded in 2017 in Hong Kong and is a wholly-owned subsidiary of China Lianhe Credit Rating Co., Ltd. ("Lianhe Ratings"). As the international credit

rating arm of the Lianhe company group, Lianhe Global is a Type 10 license holder approved by the Hong Kong Securities and Futures Commission to provide credit rating services.

As of the latest update, the Company had rated over 300 entities and 200 debt instruments, with a total rated amounts exceeding USD 40 billion equivalent. Lianhe Global serves over 13,000 international market participants, including more than 8,000 Chinese offshore debt investors. The Company has been recognized as the Best Chinese international rating agency by various leading domestic and international financial media, including Euromoney, Finance Asia, The Asset, Corporate Treasurer, Wind, and Wall Street Trader APP. Lianhe Global is committed to enhancing the international competitiveness of Chinese rating agencies and to providing independent, objective, fair, and forward-looking rating services to facilitate the international debt financing activities between Chinese enterprises and global investors.

### **About Hong Kong Top 100 Listed Companies Alliance Ltd.**

Hong Kong Top 100 Listed Companies Alliance Ltd. was established in February 2023, with a mission to build a global, cross-market capital platform and provide member enterprises with one-stop integrated financial, technological, and innovation services. Its members include listed companies, financial institutions, and corporate service providers. Rooted in Hong Kong and connected to Mainland China, the Alliance continues to expand its international influence, assisting members in engaging in multi-level capital market development and empowering their business growth.

The Alliance is anchored in Hong Kong, connected to Mainland China, and globally oriented, with the goal of "integrating into the national development landscape and empowering corporate innovation." Upholding the service principle of "connecting value through platforms and achieving dreams through professionalism," the Alliance leverages the advisory resources from the political, business, and academic sectors of the HK Top 100 Research Centre. It unites and mobilizes resources from companies listed on the "HK Top 100 Ranking," financial institutions, and business associations, while collaborating with brand partners to release and enhance Alliance benefits. Through a variety of online and offline thematic exchanges and project study activities, the Alliance empowers its members and jointly explores business opportunities.

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