Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited take no responsibility for the contents of this announcement, make no representation as to its accuracy or completeness and expressly disclaim any liability whatsoever for any loss howsoever arising from or in reliance upon the whole or any part of the contents of this announcement.



BUSINESS UPDATE

This is a voluntary announcement made by Graphex Group Limited (the "**Company**", together with its subsidiaries, the "**Group**").

CLOSURE OF A THAI GALLERY RESTAURANT IN CHENGDU, PRC

The board of directors of the Company (the "**Board**") wishes to inform shareholders and potential investors of the Company that Chengdu Taihaowei Catering Co. Ltd.* ("**Taihaowei**"), an indirect non-wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, which is engaged in catering business through operating a Thai cuisine restaurant in Renhe Mall of Chengdu, the PRC has decided to cease its operations on 1 August 2021 due to its ongoing loss-making position coupled with weakened demand of customers and uncertain business prospects since the outbreak of the novel coronavirus pandemic ("**COVID-19**"). For the two years ended 31 December 2019 and 2020, Taihaowei recorded net loss of approximately HK\$3.95 million and HK\$1.31 million respectively. It is expected Taihaowei would incur further loss of approximately HK0.6 million for the six months ended 30 June 2021. The net assets/(liabilities) value of Taihaowei as of 31 December 2019, 2020 and 30 June 2021 were approximately HK\$1.04 million, HK\$(0.27) million and HK\$(0.87) million

The Board believes that closing of Taihaowei can eliminate further cash cost to the Group which is in the interest of the Group and shareholders of the Company.

Shareholders and potential investors are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the shares of the Company.

By Order of the Board Graphex Group Limited Lau Hing Tat Patrick Chairman

Hong Kong, 1 August 2021

As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. Lau Hing Tat Patrick, Mr. Chan Yick Yan Andross, Mr. Tian Ming, Mr. Yang Liu and Mr. Qiu Bin; the non-executive Directors are Mr. Ma Lida and Tu Wenzhe; and the independent non-executive Directors are Ms. Tam Ip Fong Sin, Mr. Wang Yuncai, Mr. Liu Kwong Sang, Mr. Tang Zhaodong and Mr. Chan Anthony Kaikwong.

* For identification purpose