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## **ALLEGRO CULTURE LIMITED**

### **律齊文化有限公司**

*(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands and continued in Bermuda with limited liability)*

**(Stock code: 550)**

## **MODIFICATION OF RESUMPTION GUIDANCE**

This announcement is made by Allegro Culture Limited (the “**Company**”, together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) pursuant to Rule 13.09 and Rule 13.24A of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities (the “**Listing Rules**”) on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “**Stock Exchange**”) and the Inside Information Provisions (as defined in the Listing Rules) under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Cap. 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

References are made to the announcements of the Company dated 18 March 2024 and 28 March 2024 respectively in relation to the delay in the completion of the 2023 Audit and the delay in the publication of the 2023 Annual Results; the announcement of the Company dated 20 May 2024 in relation to the resignation of the auditor, the announcement of the Company dated 6 June 2024 in relation to the appointment of the auditor; the announcement of the Company dated 24 June 2024 in relation to the resumption guidance (the “**Initial Resumption Guidance**”); and the announcement of the Company dated 28 October 2024 in relation to the formation of Independent Investigation Committee and engagement of Independent Forensic Investigator (the “**Announcements**”). Unless otherwise stated, capitalised terms used in this announcement shall have the same meanings as those defined in the Announcements.

## **MODIFIED RESUMPTION GUIDANCE**

On 30 October 2024, the Company received a letter from the Stock Exchange, in which the Stock Exchange notifies the Company to modify one of the Initial Resumption Guidance (the “**Modified Resumption Guidance**”) as follows:

- (i) conduct an appropriate independent forensic investigation into each of the Audit Issues, assess the impact on the Company’s business operation and financial position, announce the findings and take appropriate remedial actions.

As a result and having taking into account the Initial Resumption Guidance and the Modified Resumption Guidance, the latest resumption guidance (the “**Resumption Guidance**”) as at the date of this announcement is as follows:

- (i) Conduct an appropriate independent forensic investigation into each of the Audit Issues, assess the impact on the Company’s business operation and financial position, announce the findings and take appropriate remedial actions;
- (ii) Demonstrating that there is no reasonable regulatory concern about the integrity, competence and/or character of the Group’s management and/or any persons with substantial influence over the Company’s management and operations, which may pose a risk to investors and damage market confidence;
- (iii) Conducting an independent internal control review and demonstrating that the Company has in place adequate internal controls and procedures to comply with the Listing Rules;
- (iv) Publishing all outstanding financial results required under the Listing Rules and addressing any audit modifications;
- (v) Demonstrating the Company’s compliance with Rule 13.24 of the Listing Rules; and
- (vi) Informing the market of all material information for Shareholders and investors to appraise the Company’s position.

The Stock Exchange further indicates that it may modify the Resumption Guidance that have been given and/or give further guidance if the situation changes.

In response to Resumption Guidance (i), as announced in the announcement of the Company dated 28 October 2024, the Board has engaged Frank Forensic and Corporate Recovery Limited as the Forensic Investigator to conduct an independent forensic investigation into each of the Audit Issues.

The Company will publish further announcement(s) to keep its shareholders and potential investors informed of the latest progress as and when appropriate.

## **CONTINUED SUSPENSION OF TRADING OF SHARES**

Trading in the shares of the Company on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited has been suspended with effect from 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, 2 April 2024 and will remain suspended until further notice.

**Shareholders and potential investors should accordingly exercise caution when dealing in the securities of the Company.**

By order of the Board  
**Allegro Culture Limited**  
**Yiu Sze Wai**  
*Executive Director*

Hong Kong, 4 November 2024

*As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Ms. Yiu Sze Wai as executive Director; Ms. Chung Anita Mei Yiu and Ms. Sun Jing as non-executive Directors; and Ms. Tang Po Lam Paulia, Mr. Chan Chiu Hung, Alex, Mr. Li Chaobo and Ms. Yang Wanning as independent non-executive Directors.*