
UPDATE ON LEGAL PROCEEDINGS AGAINST ALIRAN ASIA SDN BHD

The board of directors (the “**Board**” or “**Directors**”) of Astaka Holdings Limited (the “**Company**”) refers to the Company’s announcements dated 19 December 2019, 23 December 2019, 17 March 2020, 28 July 2020, 17 December 2020, 28 April 2021, 24 May 2021, 2 June 2021, 25 June 2021, 22 July 2021, 10 August 2021, 26 August 2021, 28 September 2021, 1 October 2021, 19 October 2021, 26 October 2021 and 2 November 2021 (collectively, the “**Announcements**”) in relation to the ongoing dispute between Astaka Padu Sdn Bhd (“**APSB**”) and Aliran Asia Sdn Bhd (“**Aliran**”), and in particular:

- (a) the service of the cause papers by Aliran to APSB via email on 24 June 2021, being the Originating Summons No. WA-24C-79- 06/2021 (“**OS 79**”) in respect of the enforcement of the adjudication decision dated 7 May 2021 (the “**First Claim Adjudication Decision**”) and the Originating Summons No. WA-24C-80-06/2021 (“**OS 80**”) in respect of the enforcement of the adjudication decision dated 20 April 2021 (“**Additional Claim Adjudication Decision**”) (the “**Enforcement Applications**”);
- (b) the filing of the Stay of Proceedings pending reference to arbitration on 10 August 2021, being the Originating Summons. No. WA-24C-135-08/2021 (“**OS 135**”) in respect of the First Claim Adjudication Decision and Originating Summons. No. WA-24C-136-08/2021 (“**OS 136**”) in respect of the Additional Claim Adjudication Decision, by APSB in the Kuala Lumpur High Court (“**KL Court**”) on 10 August 2021; and
- (c) the filing of the notice of application and originating summons in the KL Court by APSB on 15 October 2021, seeking a fortuna injunction further to APSB’s receipt of the notice of demand from Aliran dated 29 September 2021 (the “**Fortuna Injunction**”).

The Board wishes to announce that the KL Court had: (i) on 8 November 2021, dismissed OS 135 and allowed OS 79 with costs of RM3,000.00 awarded to Aliran, for each of OS 135 and OS 79; and (ii) on 9 November 2021, allowed OS 80 with costs of RM3,000.00 awarded to Aliran. Additionally, the KL Court has fixed the hearing for OS 136 and the Fortuna Injunction on 23 November 2021 and 24 November 2021, respectively.

The Company is currently in discussions with Mah-Kamariyah & Philip Koh, APSB’s Malaysia legal counsel in respect of the Aliran matter. Pending the hearing of OS 136 and the Fortuna Injunction, Aliran has not indicated its intention to execute the order allowing the Enforcement Applications.

The Company will make further announcements to update its shareholders when there are material updates in respect of the matters above, as and when necessary. Shareholders are advised to refrain from taking any action in respect of their securities in the Company which may be prejudicial to their interests, and to exercise caution when dealing in the securities of the Company. In the event of any doubt, Shareholders and potential investors should consult their stockbrokers, bank managers, solicitors, accountants or other professional advisers.

By Order of the Board

Khong Chung Lun
Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer

10 November 2021

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