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(a joint stock limited company incorporated in the People's Republic of China with limited liability) (Stock Code: 3983)

# ANNOUNCEMENT

# DISCLOSEABLE TRANSACTION SUBSCRIPTION OF STRUCTURED DEPOSIT PRODUCT

#### **INTRODUCTION**

#### THE ICBC STRUCTURED DEPOSIT AGREEMENTS

On 11 June 2024, the Company entered into the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 1 with ICBC Hainan Branch. Pursuant to the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 1, the Company agreed to subscribe for the structured deposit product of RMB400 million, using its self-owned funds.

On 3 June 2025, the Company entered into the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 2 with ICBC Hainan Branch. Pursuant to the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 2, the Company agreed to subscribe for the structured deposit product of RMB300 million, using its self-owned funds.

#### HONG KONG LISTING RULES IMPLICATIONS

As all the applicable percentage ratios (as defined under Rule 14.07 of the Hong Kong Listing Rules) of the transaction amounts of the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No.1 were below 5%, such transaction did not constitute discloseable transaction of the Company.

As (i) the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 1 and the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 2 were entered into between the Company and a branch of ICBC; and (ii) when entering into the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 2, the structured deposit under the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 1 remains outstanding, pursuant to Rule 14.22 of the Hong Kong Listing Rules, these transactions shall be aggregated. Pursuant to the Hong Kong Listing Rules, as one or more of the applicable percentage ratios (as defined under Rule 14.07 of the Hong Kong Listing Rules) of the aggregated transaction amounts of the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreements exceeds 5% but all of the ratios are below 25%, such transactions constitute discloseable transactions of the Company and shall be subject to the notification and announcement requirements but exempt from the shareholders' approval requirement under the Hong Kong Listing Rules.

#### BACKGROUND

On 11 June 2024, the Company entered into the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 1 with ICBC Hainan Branch. Pursuant to the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 1, the Company agreed to subscribe for the structured deposit product of RMB400 million, using its self-owned funds.

On 3 June 2025, the Company entered into the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 2 with ICBC Hainan Branch. Pursuant to the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 2, the Company agreed to subscribe for the structured deposit product of RMB300 million, using its self-owned funds.

#### THE ICBC STRUCTURED DEPOSIT AGREEMENT NO. 1

Parties:	The Company;
	ICBC Hainan Branch
	To the best of Directors' knowledge, information and belief after making all reasonable enquiries, ICBC and its ultimate beneficial owner are third parties independent of the Group and its connected persons
Date:	11 June 2024
Product name:	人民幣結構性存款(RMB Structured Deposit)*
Purchase amount:	RMB400 million
Term of product:	365 days (13 June 2024 to 13 June 2025)
Type of investment return:	principal guaranteed with floating return
Risk level of product (internal risk rating by the bank):	low risk
Range of annualized return rate expected by the Company:	1.50%-2.69%
Right of early termination or redemption:	The Company has no right of early termination or redemption

#### THE ICBC STRUCTURED DEPOSIT AGREEMENT NO.2

Parties:	The Company
	ICBC Hainan Branch
	To the best of Directors' knowledge, information and belief after making all reasonable enquiries, ICBC and its ultimate beneficial owner are third parties independent of the Group and its connected persons
Date:	3 June 2025
Product name:	人民幣結構性存款(RMB Structured Deposit)*
Purchase amount:	RMB300 million
Term of product:	365 days (5 June 2025 to 5 June 2026)
Type of investment return	principal guaranteed with floating return
Risk level of product (internal risk rating by the bank):	low risk
Range of annualized return rate expected by the Company:	1.10%-2.24%
Right of early termination or	The Company has no right of early termination or redemption

redemption

## **REASONS AND BENEFITS**

Using temporary idle funds reasonably and effectively will enhance the capital gain of the Company, which is consistent with the core objectives of the Company to ensure capital safety and liquidity and meet the capital needs of the Group's daily operations and dividend payment, etc. The risk associated with subscription of structured deposit products is low, while the Company can enjoy a relatively higher return from investments in structural deposit products after comparing quotes from different banks.

The Directors consider that the terms and the transactions contemplated under the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreements are fair and reasonable, on normal commercial terms, and are in the interests of the Company and its shareholders as a whole.

## **INFORMATION OF THE PARTIES INVOLVED**

The Company mainly engages in the developments, production and sale of fertilisers (including urea, phosphate and compound fertilisers) and chemical products (primarily methanol and acrylonitrile).

ICBC is a large commercial bank in the PRC. ICBC Hainan Branch is a branch of ICBC.

# HONG KONG LISTING RULES IMPLICATIONS

As all the applicable percentage ratios (as defined under Rule 14.07 of the Hong Kong Listing Rules) of the transaction amounts of the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No.1 were below 5%, such transaction did not constitute discloseable transaction of the Company.

As (i) the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 1 and the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 2 were entered into between the Company and a branch of ICBC; and (ii) when entering into the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 2, the structured deposit under the ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 1 remains outstanding, pursuant to Rule 14.22 of the Hong Kong Listing Rules, these transactions shall be aggregated. Pursuant to the Hong Kong Listing Rules, as one or more of the applicable percentage ratios (as defined under Rule 14.07 of the Hong Kong Listing Rules) of the ratios are below 25%, such transactions constitute discloseable transactions of the Company and shall be subject to the notification and announcement requirements but exempt from the shareholders' approval requirement under the Hong Kong Listing Rules.

## DEFINITIONS

Unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions shall have the following meanings:

"Board"	the board of Directors
"Company"	中海石油化學股份有限公司(China BlueChemical Ltd.*), a company incorporated in the PRC, the H shares of which are listed on the Stock Exchange (stock code: 3983)
"Director(s)"	the director(s) of the Company
"Group"	the Company and its subsidiaries from time to time
"Hong Kong"	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China
"Hong Kong Listing Rules"	the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"ICBC"	中國工商銀行股份有限公司 (Industrial and Commercial Bank of China Limited*), a joint stock company incorporated in the PRC with limited liability and a licensed bank in the PRC, the H shares of which are listed on the Stock Exchange (stock code: 1398)
"ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 1"	the ICBC structured deposit agreement entered into between the Company and ICBC Hainan Branch on 11 June 2024
"ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 2"	the ICBC structured deposit agreement entered into between the Company and ICBC Hainan Branch on 3 June 2025
"ICBC Structured Deposit Agreements"	ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 1 and ICBC Structured Deposit Agreement No. 2
"PRC"	the People's Republic of China
"RMB"	Renminbi, the lawful currency of the PRC
"Stock Exchange"	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited
	By Order of the Board China BlueChemical Ltd.*

Kuang Xiaobing Company Secretary

Beijing, the PRC 3 June 2025

As at the date of this announcement, the executive directors of the Company are Mr. Hou Xiaofeng, Mr. Rao Shicai and Ms. He Qunhui, the non-executive directors of the Company are Ms. Shao Lihua and Mr. He Qizhong, and the independent non-executive directors of the Company are Mr. Lin Feng, Mr. Xie Dong and Mr. Yang Wanhong.

\* For identification purpose only