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## Brian Wu Re-Elected 2019/2021 HAFFA Chairman at AGM



The Hongkong Association of Freight Forwarding and Logistics Limited (HAFFA) re-elected Mr. Brian Wu of BEL International Logistics Limited as Chairman for a second two-year term at its 2019 Annual General Meeting. Held on April 30, 2019 at the Regal Kowloon Hotel in Tsim Sha Tsui East, a new HAFFA Executive Committee was also elected at the AGM.

As 2017/19 Chairman, the AGM was chaired by Mr. Wu. Since 2011, the term of each HAFFA Executive Committee has been extended to two years to provide greater continuity in achieving the Association's vision, goals and policy implementation. The re-election of Mr. Wu as Chairman for a second, two-year term will ensure the association is able to continue its wide-range of initiatives uninterrupted. The next HAFFA election will be held in 2021 for the 2021/2023 term.

Commented Mr. Wu: "It is both an honour and a great responsibility to continue to serve HAFFA and its members for the next two years. We have achieved a great deal over the course of the last 24 months, but it is important we maintain this momentum. I look forward to working closely with the Executive Committee and the wider HAFFA membership not only to strengthen the competitiveness of our industry, but also to continue the association's proactive approach towards steering a clear path through the multitude of challenges we face. Challenges bring opportunities and I am confident that together, as a strong, united industry association, Hong Kong will remain at the forefront of the global logistics industry.

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“HAFFA will continue to vigorously advocate the interests of all our member organisations both large and small at international and local levels, and redouble our efforts in providing training, timely information and best practices in our increasingly complex industry.”

Over the last two years, the importance and influence of HAFFA as a respected industry voice has been highlighted on numerous occasions, with the association providing valuable advice and insights which have frequently helped to form policy. Ongoing, active engagement with local government and industry bodies, coupled with member seminars and consultations, have seen HAFFA play a central role in what is an important economic pillar of the Hong Kong economy.

In addition to the election of the HAFFA Chairman and Executive Committee, the AGM included two presentations by key government and industry figures on two topical issues for the industry. Hong Kong Deputy Secretary for Security Mrs. Apollonia Liu, JP spoke on the ICAO 2021 policy, while IATA General Manager for Hong Kong and Macau Ms. Yvonne Ho presented the implementation of the IATA Annual Financial Review (AFR) in Hong Kong and Local Financial Criteria (LFC), which comes into effect from July 1 this year.

The principal officers of the 2019/2021 HAFFA Committee are:

Chairman – Mr. Brian Wu of BEL International Logistics Limited (centre);

Vice Chairman – Mr. Ryan Hsu of CTI Logistics (HK) Co., Limited (sixth from right);

Vice Chairman – Mr. Samson Choi of CTS International Logistics Corporation (HK) Limited (eighth from left);

Vice Chairman – Mr. Gary Lau of Golden Jet Freight Forwarders Ltd (eighth from right);

Honorary Secretary – Mr. Ringo Cheung of CN Logistics Limited (seventh from left);

Honorary Treasurer – Mr. Patrick Yip of RCS Logistics Limited (fifth from left);

In addition to the principal officers, members of the Committee are (in alphabetical order of company name):

Mr. Ronnie Leung (AE Cargo Services Limited);

Mr. Stephen Law (China Freight (Hong Kong) Limited);

Mr. Chandler So (Combined Logistics (Hong Kong) Limited);

Mr. Eddie Law (Diversified Freight System Ltd);

Mr. Rex Lai (Forward By Norman Limited);

Mr. Kenny Lee (Infinity Cargo Express Limited);

Mr. Brian Wong (Kerry Freight (Hong Kong) Limited);

Mr. Bruce Yau (NAF Northern Ocean Freight Limited);

Ms. Janet Ng (Trimanson Express Limited);

Mr. Joey Cheung (U-Ocean Limited) and

Mr. James Kong (Wen-Parker Logistics (H.K.) Company Ltd).

Established in 1966, HAFFA is responsible for setting industry standards as well as providing educational courses which enhance the professional standards of freight forwarders and logistics services providers.

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