

BOC Credit Card (International) Ltd.

DUAL CURRENCY CARD USER AGREEMENT

The Card(s) as defined below is/are issued by BOC Credit Card (International) Limited ("Company") on the following terms and conditions of this user agreement ("Agreement"):-

- 1. Interpretation**
 - 1.1 Unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions shall have the following meanings in this Agreement:-
 - "Account" means either the HKD Account or CNY Account opened by and maintained with the Company under the name of the Cardholder to whom the Card is issued;
 - "Additional Card" means a Card issued by the Company to an Additional Cardholder nominated by the Main Cardholder and at the joint request of the Main Cardholder and such Additional Cardholder;
 - "HKD Account" means an account opened by and maintained with the Company under the name of the Cardholder in Hong Kong;
 - "ATM" means any automatic teller machine in operation in the Network and such other networks as from time to time agreed by the Company;
 - "Card" means any network card issued by the Company and includes Main Card and Additional Card subject to this Agreement and any other replacement Card;
 - "Cardholder" means any person to whom and in whose name a Card is issued and includes Main Cardholder and Additional Cardholder as the context requires;
 - "Charges" means the aggregate value or amount of all purchase of goods and/or services and/or cash advances effected by the use of the Card and all relevant fees, charges, interest, costs and expenses in connection therewith;
 - "Mandated Person" means the lawful carter of the People's Republic of China;
 - "CNY Account" means any CNY account opened by and maintained with the Company under the name of the Cardholder for the purposes of recording debts and credits in CNY in respect of usage of the Card under this Agreement;
 - "Main Card" means a Card issued by the Company to a Main Cardholder in Hong Kong or in any other jurisdiction incorporated in the People's Republic of China with head quarters in Shanghai, the People's Republic of China;
 - "Fees Schedule" means the schedule setting out the annual fees, cash advance handling fee, late charge, interest and other fees and charges from time to time in force and amended by the Company;
 - "HKSAR" means the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China;
 - "HKD" means Hong Kong, the lawful currency of Hong Kong;
 - "HKD Account" means any HKD account opened by and maintained with the Company under the name of the Cardholder for the purposes of recording debts and credits in HKD in respect of usage of the Card under this Agreement;
 - "Main Card" means a Card issued by the Company to a Main Cardholder in Hong Kong or in any other Additional Cards are issued thereto;
 - "Main Cardholder" means any person to whom and in whose name a Main Card is issued;
 - "Mandam China" means any part of the People's Republic of China, but excluding Hong Kong, Macau and Taiwan;
 - "Main Card" means any network card issued by the Company and includes Main Card and Additional Card subject to this Agreement and any other replacement Card;
 - "New Transaction" means in relation to a Statement, a transaction by which the Cardholder has incurred any Charges through the use of the Card, occurring:
 - (a) at any time after the time ("Relevant Time") at which the last transaction as shown in that Statement was effected by the use of the Card; or
 - (b) at any time before the Relevant Time, the Charges in respect of which have not as of the date that Statement been debited to the Account and which are not included in that Statement;
 - "PDP Ordinance" means the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance, Chapter 486 of the Laws of Hong Kong;
 - "PIN" means in relation to a Card, the personal identification number of the Cardholder required to gain access to services provided by the Company from time to time to the Cardholder and which is used in connection with the use of the Card;
 - "In this Agreement, words denoting the singular shall include the plural and vice versa and reference to one gender shall include all genders, unless the context otherwise requires;
 - "References to the Company" shall where the context permits or requires be deemed to include a reference to its successors and assigns.
 - 1.2 **Issue of Cards**
 - 1.2.1 The Company may (in its discretion) issue one or more of the Cards to the Cardholder subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. When a Card is issued, the Company will set up and maintain the Account to which the Charges will be debited and/or credited.
 - 1.2.2 Upon the application of the Main Cardholder and subject to the approval of the Company (in its discretion), the Company may issue one or more additional Cards to the Main Cardholder.
 - 1.2.3 Immediately upon receipt of the Card from the Company, the Cardholder shall:
 - (a) sign the Card on the space provided; and
 - (b) sign and return to the Company any acknowledgment of receipt of such card or otherwise activate such Card in accordance with the instructions of the Company.
 - 1.3 **Signature of the Cardholder on the Card, or the use or activation of the Card by the Cardholder shall constitute conclusive evidence of the Cardholder's acceptance of the terms and conditions of this Agreement.**
 - 1.4 A renewal Card shall normally be issued at least 30 days prior to the expiry date of a Card. Unless written notice of termination of the Card is received by the Company within such 30 days' period, the renewal Card shall be deemed to have been received by the Cardholder by the expiry of the existing Card. The renewal of the use of the Card after its expiry shall be deemed to be a new transaction.
 - 1.5 The Company shall have the right to refuse to issue a replacement Card to the Cardholder if his/her Card is lost or stolen. Where a replacement Card is issued, the Company shall have the right to deactivate the existing Card and in accordance with the Fees Schedule.
 - 1.6 **Use of Card**
 - 1.6.1 The use of Card is restricted exclusively to the Cardholder for bona fide purchase of goods and/or services and/or cash advances only and the Cardholder shall not use the Card for any other purposes, in particular any illegal purposes including without limitation payment for any illegal transaction. The Cardholder shall also observe all the laws and regulations from time to time in operation in any other country or Mainland China and/or any other jurisdiction.
 - 1.6.2 The Cardholder shall not transfer the Card to any person or allow any person to use the Card or pledge the Card as security for whatever purposes. The Card is demarcated in both HKD and CNY and is valid for use by the Cardholder in Mainland China, Hong Kong and such other places from time to time designated by the Company. The Card is also valid for use in merchant establishments or financial institutions which are using and connected to CUP's POS system and/or cash advances effected at the ATM or bank counter and such other credit card facilities or services of the Company may from time to time provide.
 - 1.6.3 All transactions settled in Hong Kong or in Mainland China effected by the use of the Card in HKD will be posted to the HKD Account. Currencies settled in respect of all Charges incurred in all card transactions effected by the use of the Card in currencies other than HKD or CNY shall be posted into the HKD Account after conversion into HKD at the prevailing rate of exchange determined by reference to the rate of the Hong Kong dollar (HKD) as published in the CUP or any other applicable source of information as set out in the Fees Schedule.
 - 1.6.4 Subject always to Clause 3.6, Charges incurred in all card transactions effected by the use of the Card in CNY will be posted to the CNY Account. Charges incurred in certain card transactions effected by the use of the Card in CNY may be posted to the HKD Account, due to the settlement arrangement with the merchant establishments or financial institutions in HKD, including but not limited to Charges incurred through cash advances in CNY effected at the JETCO ATM.
 - 1.7 **Credit Limit**
 - 1.7.1 The Company may from time to time (in its discretion) determine the credit limit and/or cash advance limit and/or the daily cash advance limit in respect of any Card issued by the Company to the Cardholder. Where Additional Cards are issued, the Main Cardholder and the Additional Cardholders may submit a request to the Company to increase or decrease the credit limit and/or cash advance limit and/or the daily cash advance limit in such proportion as the Company may (in its absolute discretion) from time to time determine.
 - 1.7.2 The Cardholder shall strictly observe the credit limit and cash advance limit and the daily cash advance limit imposed by the Company from time to time and shall not use the Card in excess of such credit limit and/or the daily cash advance limit. Breach of this Clause 4.2 shall not in any way reduce or discharge the liability of the Cardholder for payment of any Charge arising as a result of such breach and the Cardholder shall be entitled to charge a handling fee at the rate as set out in the Fees Schedule.
 - 1.7.3 The Cardholder shall be obliged to pay the Company any amount due upon receipt of demand from the Company.
 - 1.7.4 The Company shall be entitled to charge a handling fee at the rates as set out in the Fees Schedule on each cash advance made available to the Cardholder.
 - 1.8 **Statement and Payment**
 - 1.8.1 The Company shall send a statement of Account to the Cardholder on a monthly or other periodic basis ("Statement"), showing, inter alia, the balance in the Account (both the HKD Account and CNY Account) as at the end of the statement period specified therein ("Closing Balance"), the amount of any payment made by the Cardholder in respect of any Current Balance which is outstanding and due from the Cardholder ("Minimum Payment") and specifying a payment due date ("Due Date"), except where there is no New Transaction since the last statement. Unless the Company receives within 60 days from the date of the Statement a notification in writing from the Cardholder to the contrary, the Company shall continue to issue such statements to the Cardholder.
 - 1.8.2 Any Current Balance which is outstanding and due from the Cardholder shall be payable immediately upon receipt of the Statement.
 - 1.8.3 Payment of the Current Balance or any part thereof may be made by the Cardholder on or before the Due Date, interest at a rate as set out in the Fees Schedule which shall apply before as well as after judgment) shall be charged on (i) the unpaid balance of the Current Balance as at the date of payment and (ii) the amount of any Current Balance which is outstanding and due from the date that New Transaction on a daily basis until payment in full. All interest charge shall be debited to the Account on a monthly or other periodic basis.
 - 1.8.4 If payment of payment of less than the Minimum Payment is received by the Company on or before the relevant Due Date, then in addition to the interest payable on the Current Balance, the Company may also charge an amount not less than the amount not less than the amount due to the Account on the date of the Statement next following ("Next Statement Date").
 - 1.8.5 All payment made by the Cardholder shall be deemed to be made on the date on which immediately available fund is actually received by the Company. Where any payment is made by any other means, instrument, only such amount not less than the amount of such payment or handling fees for processing such bank draft or instrument will be credited into the Account.
 - 1.8.6 All payment made to the Company pursuant to this Agreement to settle the HKD Account shall be made in HKD subject to the Company's agreement to accept payment in any other currency or by any other means other than HKD, such payment may be credited into the HKD Account after conversion into HKD at a rate determined by the Company which may be subject to the payment of a conversion fee (if applicable) as set out in the Fees Schedule, which conversion fee shall be debited to the HKD Account. Any excess payment in settlement of the HKD Account will be returned to the Cardholder.
 - 1.8.7 All payment made to the Company pursuant to this Agreement to settle the CNY Account shall be made in CNY subject to the Company's agreement to accept payment in any other currency or by any other means other than CNY, such payment may be credited into the CNY Account after conversion into CNY at a rate determined by the Company which may be subject to the payment of a conversion fee (if applicable) as set out in the Fees Schedule, which conversion fee shall be debited to the Account. Cash payment made in excess of the maximum amount of settlement of the CNY Account shall be deemed to be a new transaction.
 - 1.8.8 Any excess payment in settlement of CNY Account shall not be used to settle outstanding balance in HKD Account subject to Clause 5.11.
 - 1.8.9 Payment received from the Cardholder shall be applied towards repayment of the balance of the Account in the following order or in such other order as the Company may in its absolute discretion determine from time to time:-
 - (a) interest in respect of cash advance;
 - (b) service fees or charges;
 - (c) principal handling fees and overdue fees;
 - (d) overlimit balance in respect of cash advance;
 - (e) principal balance in respect of cash advance;
 - (f) principal balance in respect of any other debt or instrument, only such amount not less than the amount of such payment or handling fee or collection fee; and
 - (g) collection fee and legal costs and expenses incurred by the Company for enforcing this Agreement.
 - 1.8.10 Where an Additional Card is issued, the payment made by a Main Cardholder shall be appropriated towards payment of the respective sums of moneys due from the Main Cardholder and from the Additional Cardholder(s) in such order and priority as the Company may in its absolute

- 1.9 **Discretion determining from time to time:-**
 - 5.11 The Company shall have the right (in its absolute discretion) to refuse the payment of any sum of money into the Account in excess of the Current Balance of the Account. In the event there is any excess fund in the Account, the Company shall be entitled but not obliged to apply the same set up prior to the date of termination of any financial instrument which may arise.
 - 5.12 If after settlement of all outstanding Charges and any claims by the Company against the Cardholder there exists any credit balance in the Account ("Credit Balance"), the Company may at any time on its own volition or shall within reasonable time either upon request of the Cardholder or Cardholder, terminate the Card and the Credit Balance.
 - 5.13 For Credit Balance in HKD Account, the Company shall refund the Credit Balance in HKD. For Credit Balance in CNY Account, the Company shall refund the Credit Balance in CNY to the Cardholder or to the Cardholder's bank account in HKD. The Company shall be entitled to do so in any such manner and at such locations in Hong Kong as the Company may determine. The Company is entitled to charge a handling fee as set out in the Fees Schedule for each refund.
 - 5.14 The Account may be used to incur the Charges were incurred (without limitation by (i) telephone, fax, mail, order or direct debit authorization, or (ii) use of a Card over the internet, in an ATM, merchant establishment or financial institution's point of sale terminal, credit card payphone or any other facility permitting use of the Card without the exception of a sales draft or the signature of the Cardholder. A Cardholder's failure to sign any sales draft or to sign any other document will not relieve the Cardholder from liability to the Company in respect of those Charges.
6. **Fees and Charges and Interest Rates**
 - 6.1 All fees, charges and interest payable by the Cardholder under this Agreement are more particularly set out in and shall be paid according to the Fees Schedule.
 - 6.2 The Company may from time to time (in its discretion) revise the Fees Schedule in accordance with Clause 20. Copies of the current Fees Schedule are available on request from the principal place of business of the Company in Hong Kong and on the Company's website at www.boc.com.hk.
 - 6.3 Additional fees and charges may be levied on the Cardholder for late payment or for any breach of the terms of this Agreement arising out of the use of any Additional Card as though the same were incurred by the Main Cardholder and all intents and purposes.
7. **Cardholder's Responsibilities**
 - 7.1 The Cardholder shall take reasonable care of the Card and the PIN and keep the Card safely under his/her personal control and the PIN secret. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Cardholder must take the following measures to keep the Card safe and the PIN secret to prevent fraud:-
 - (a) keep any record of the PIN confidential and not disclose the PIN to any other person;
 - (b) destroy the original printed copy of the PIN;
 - (c) never write down the PIN on the Card or on anything usually kept with or near it;
 - (d) never write down the PIN on any document or other record;
 - (e) never use any easily accessible personal information as the PIN;
 - (f) use the Card in accordance with the procedures, instructions and/or security guidelines from time to time issued by the Company; and
 - (g) never disclose his/her PIN to any other person.
 - 7.2 Upon the occurrence of any of the following events, the Cardholder shall report as soon as reasonably practicable to the Company by phone to the 24-hour hotline number (852)2544-2222 of the Company and thereafter confirm the same in writing within 24 hours or such other period as the Company may prescribe from time to time:-
 - (a) loss of and/or theft of the Card and/or the PIN;
 - (b) unauthorized use of the Card and/or the PIN;
 - (c) disclosure of the PIN to any unauthorized person;
 - (d) suspicion of any counterfeit card bearing the same name as the Card or purported to be issued under the Account; and
 - (e) any suspected fraudulent use of the Card.
 - 7.3 Without prejudice to the obligations under Clause 7.2, the Cardholder shall report the relevant event to the police and submit to the Company satisfactory documentary evidence of such police report as soon as reasonably practicable.
 - 7.4 The Company shall not be held liable for any loss or damage arising directly or indirectly by the Cardholder and any action so taken by the Company shall not render the Company liable to the Cardholder or otherwise discharge any liability of the Cardholder.
 - 7.5 Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, the Cardholder shall report to the Company immediately upon demand from the Company:
 - (a) the outstanding balance of the Account;
 - (b) all Charges in respect of the transactions effected by the use of the Card but not debited to the Account; and
 - (c) all fees and charges payable by the Cardholder to the Company under this Agreement.
8. **Unauthorized Transactions**
 - 8.1 The Cardholder shall examine his/her Statement carefully and report any unauthorized transactions in the Statement to the Company within 60 days from the date of the Statement.
 - 8.2 The Company shall make reasonable endeavours, except in circumstances which are beyond its control, to complete the investigation within 90 days upon receipt of notice of an unauthorized transaction from the Cardholder.
 - 8.3 In the event that the Cardholder shall have informed the Company of any unauthorized transaction between the Due Date and payment of the disputed amount has been debited to the Account and the Company reserves the right to impose any fees, charges and/or interest on the disputed amount at the rates as set out in the Fees Schedule over the period commencing from the date of transaction (or such later date as the Company may in its absolute discretion determine from time to time) until the payment of the disputed amount together with all related fees, charges and/or interest of such dispute made by the Cardholder shall be deemed to be unfounded.
9. **Cardholder's Liabilities for Unauthorized Transactions**
 - 9.1 Provided that the Cardholder has acted in good faith and due care (including taking the precautions under Clause 7.1 and reporting loss, theft and/or unauthorized use of the Card in accordance with Clause 7.2), the Cardholder shall not be responsible for the loss and damage incurred:
 - (a) in the event of misuse when the Card has not been received by the Cardholder;
 - (b) when funds have been lost or stolen from the merchant establishment, which cause the Cardholder to suffer loss and damage, unless the fault was obvious or advised by a message or notice on display;
 - (c) when transactions are made through the use of counterfeit cards;
 - (d) to apply to the Cardholder if the Cardholder has acted in good faith and with due care (including taking the precautions under Clause 7.1 and reporting loss, theft and/or unauthorized use of the Card in accordance with Clause 7.2) and unless due to the fraud, gross negligence or willful default on the part of the Company;
 - (e) in relation to unauthorized transactions made after the Cardholder has duly notified the Company of the loss, theft and/or unauthorized use of the Card;
 - (f) the liability of the Cardholder for any unauthorized transactions made before the Cardholder has duly notified the Company of the loss, theft and/or unauthorized use of the Card; and
 - (g) the liability of the Cardholder for any unauthorized transactions made after the Cardholder has duly notified the Company of the loss, theft and/or unauthorized use of the Card, if the Cardholder shall be liable for such transactions in accordance with the use of the Card/PIN before the Cardholder has duly notified the Company of the loss, theft and/or unauthorized use of the Card/PIN.
 - 9.2 Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, the Cardholder shall be fully liable for all loss and damage arising out of or in connection with the loss, theft and/or unauthorized use of the Card and/or the PIN, including but not limited to the loss of the Card/PIN.
 - 9.3 Clause 7.1 or 7.2, or take reasonable precautions to prevent such loss, theft and/or unauthorized use of the Card, or if the unauthorized use of the Card involves the use of the Cardholder's PIN without the Cardholder's knowledge, or if the Cardholder fails to report such loss, theft and/or unauthorized use of the Card to the Company as soon as reasonably practicable, the Cardholder shall be deemed to be liable for such loss and damage before the Company receives the Cardholder's report of such loss and/or unauthorized use of the Card/PIN and the Cardholder agrees to indemnify and keep the Company fully indemnified against all losses, damages, liabilities and all reasonable costs and expenses reasonably incurred as a result thereof.
10. **Liabilities of Main and Additional Cardholders**
 - 10.1 The Main Cardholder shall (jointly and severally with the Additional Cardholders) be liable to the Company for any and all transactions effected by the use of the Card and/or the PIN issued by the Company under this Agreement.
 - 10.2 An Additional Cardholder shall be liable only for the transactions effected by him/her and the liabilities incurred by him/her through the use of his/her Additional Card.
11. **Limitation on Liabilities**
 - 11.1 Under no circumstances shall the Company be responsible for any direct loss and liability which the Cardholder may suffer or incur as a result of or otherwise relating to any use, misuse or malfunction of the Card or other devices provided by the Company, any Card services offered by the Company or any goods and/or services provided by the use of the Card, or any loss or damage suffered by the Cardholder or any third party, and except to the extent that any such loss or liability is attributable to the fraud, gross negligence or willful default on the part of the Company. The Company accepts no responsibility for any merchant establishment (including any financial institution) to honour the Card or for any goods and services supplied to the Cardholder.
 - 11.2 The Company also reserves the right to refuse in its absolute discretion any charge to the Account requested by any merchant establishment or financial institution. Any claim or dispute the Cardholder may have against or with any merchant establishment or financial institution shall be resolved directly between the Cardholder and such merchant establishment or financial institution and in no circumstances shall such claim or dispute relieve the Cardholder of his/her obligations to the Company hereunder.
 - 11.3 The Company shall not be liable for any loss or damage suffered by the Cardholder or any third party may suffer or incur, whether directly or indirectly, attributable to any cause beyond the Company's reasonable control.
 - 11.4 Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Company shall not be responsible for any indirect, consequential or incidental loss or loss of profits or opportunity of gain or other types of loss or damage of any third party may suffer or incur, whether directly or indirectly and howsoever arising.
 - 11.5 In the course of providing the Card services, the Company may communicate with or seek instructions from the Cardholder through telephone, facsimile, text or other means. The Company may from time to time determine, in its sole discretion, the Cardholder hereby consents to the Company taking record of any such communication and/or instructions by such means and retain it for such period as it considers appropriate.
 - 11.6 The Company shall not be obliged to accept any communication or instructions from the Cardholder or any third party, except those received by the Cardholder, Any such communication and/or instructions shall, in the absence of manifest error, be conclusive and binding on the Cardholder. In the event of any proceedings which a Cardholder may bring against the Company for any cause whatsoever, such Cardholder agrees that the Company's liability shall be limited to the amount of any monies wrongly charged to the Account (and interest on such amounts).
12. **Termination and Suspension of the Card**
 - 12.1 The Cardholder may at any time terminate the Card by giving not less than 14 days' prior written notice to the Company provided that the Cardholder has no outstanding balance on the Card or any other Additional Card. Any prior written notice to the Company does not terminate the Account (whether or not posted to the Account) are paid in full.
 - 12.2 Where an Additional Card is issued, an Additional Cardholder may terminate his/her Additional Card and the Main Cardholder may terminate the Main Card and/or any other Additional Card or any other Additional Card issued thereto shall be automatically terminated forthwith. Notwithstanding any such termination, the Main Cardholder shall remain liable for all transactions effected through the use of the Main Card and all the Additional Cards and each Additional Card until the termination of such Card and/or any other Additional Card through such termination.
 - 12.3 The Company may terminate this Agreement in respect of any Card at any time without prior notice or giving any notice to the Cardholder. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Company is entitled to terminate this Agreement by issuing the Card in cancellation and/or by suspending the use of the Card if the Cardholder is in breach of any of the terms of this Agreement.
 - 12.4 Upon termination or suspension of the Card, the Cardholder shall surrender or procure the surrender of the Card to the Company. Until the Card is surrendered, the Cardholder shall continue to be liable for the use of the Card and for all Charges pursuant to such use notwithstanding termination of this Agreement. No request to terminate a Card shall be effective unless and until such Card is surrendered or returned to the Company.
 - 12.5 The Company may at any time without notice suspend, cancel or terminate the Card and/or any services thereby offered and/or disapprove any transaction proposed to be effected thereby and not give any reason.
 - 12.6 The Company shall be entitled to initiate proceedings purportedly given by the Cardholder and the Company shall not be liable to the Cardholder for any loss of damage of whatever nature which the Cardholder may suffer or incur whether directly or indirectly as a result of such action of the Company.
 - 12.7 The Company shall have the right in its absolute discretion to refuse any instruction whether oral or in writing purportedly given by the Cardholder if the Company is in doubt of the authenticity of such instruction and the Company shall not be liable to the Cardholder for any loss or damage of whatever nature which the Cardholder may suffer or incur whether directly or indirectly as a result of such refusal by the Company.
 - 12.8 The Company shall not be liable for any loss or damage of whatever nature which the Cardholder may suffer or incur whether directly or indirectly as a result of such suspension, cancellation, termination or disapproval.
 - 12.9 The Card shall at any time remain the property of the Company. The Cardholder shall unconditionally and immediately upon demand surrender to the Company any Card which is surrendered to the Company. The Cardholder shall be deemed to have surrendered the Card to the Company in the event that the Company has fully settled or agreed to settle the payment for any goods and/or services hired or purchased by the Cardholder

13. **Right of Set-off**
 - 13.1 The Cardholder hereby irrevocably authorizes the Company at any time and from time to time to combine and set off all or any of the accounts of the Cardholder with the Company, including but not limited to the Cardholder's Account, against any debit balance of the Account due from any and all Additional Cardholders to the Company; and
 - (b) only set off the credit balance in any other account of an Additional Cardholder with the Company against the debit balance of the account due from such Additional Cardholder to the Company.
- 13.2 An Additional Cardholder shall be liable only for the balance of the Account due from him/her to the Company (but not those of the Main Cardholder or other Additional Cardholders). However, an Additional Cardholder may (at his/ its option) settle the balances of the Account due from the Main Cardholder and/or other Additional Cardholders to the Company and continue to use the Card. Any payment made by an Additional Cardholder in excess of the balance of the Account due from him/her to the Company shall be irrevocably deemed to be voluntary payment to settle (in whole or in part) the balances of the Account due from the Main Cardholder and other Additional Cardholders, in such order and priority as the Company may in its absolute discretion determine from time to time.
14. **Debit Authorization**
 - 14.1 The Cardholder acknowledges that liabilities of the Cardholder to the Company hereunder may be settled in a variety of ways. The Cardholder hereby irrevocably authorizes and instructs each of the Banks of China (Hong Kong) Limited, Nanyang Commercial Bank Limited and Citibank China Corporation Limited (the "Banks") with which he/she may have account(s) to debit and pay to the Company the full amount or part thereof standing to the credit of the Cardholder's account(s) in Hong Kong or elsewhere, or to the extent of the amount so debited (and any amount so debited) for the satisfaction of any liability of the Cardholder to the Company hereunder without prior notice to the Cardholder upon request of the Company. The Cardholder agrees that the Company may disclose the aforesaid authorization and instruction to the Banks and the Cardholder shall be deemed to have authorized the Banks to debit the Cardholder's account(s) in Hong Kong or elsewhere, or to the extent of the amount so debited, in his/her power to implement this authorization and instruction. The Cardholder further agrees that any of the Banks acting in reliance upon this Clause 14 shall not be liable for any loss suffered by the Cardholder and the Company shall not be liable for any overdraft interest incurred on such loss and liability incurred as a result of the fraud and in this Clause 16.2 is attributable to the fraud, gross negligence or willful default on the part of the Company.
 - 14.2 Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary and except to the extent that any such loss and liability of the transactions mentioned in this Clause 14 is attributable to the fraud, gross negligence or willful default on the part of the Company, the Cardholder shall be absolutely responsible for all transactions involving the use of the Card at any Electronic Devices by any person whatsoever, whether or not:-
 - (a) such use is authorized or otherwise approved by the Cardholder;
 - (b) such use is made in reliance on the Cardholder's knowledge or deception in any form, on the part of any person whatsoever; or
 - (c) such use is against the wish of the Cardholder;
 - (d) such use is notified or otherwise involves any criminal activity whatsoever or involving (without limitation) illegitimate violence or other criminal activity or any other illegal activity or any other offence or deception in any form, on the part of any person whatsoever; or
 - (e) the Cardholder has resigned the Company or any law enforcement agency or any loss of the Card, or of any criminal activity heretofore referred to.
 - 14.3 The Cardholder shall indemnify the Company against all losses, damages, claims and liabilities and all reasonable costs and expenses reasonably incurred by the Company in connection with or arising out of such use.
17. **Transaction Receipt**
 - 17.1 The Company's record of all transactions effected by the use of the Card (including use at any ATM) shall be conclusive evidence of such use and shall be binding on the Cardholder for all purposes.
18. **Personal Data**
 - 18.1 The Cardholder hereby acknowledges that the Cardholder has received, read and understood the contents of the Data Policy Notice or such other document(s) issued under whatever name from time to time by the Company and certain of its related entities relating to their general policies on, disclosure and transfer of personal data (the same may be amended from time to time) ("DPN") and agrees that the contents of the DPN shall be binding on the Cardholder. Copies of the current version of the DPN are available at the principal place of business of the Company in Hong Kong or on the website of the Company at www.boc.com.hk.
 - 18.2 The Cardholder hereby authorizes the Company to use any information it may have concerning the Cardholder and/or the Account in accordance with the DPN.
 - 18.3 The Cardholder hereby also authorizes the Company to obtain any information source for information the Company may require to operate the Account, to generate or furnish information to the Company to complete such information with the information provided by the Cardholder for checking or to produce more data. The Cardholder hereby also consents that the Company may, if necessary, use the results of such comparisons for the taking of appropriate action against the Cardholder in respect of whether such action may be adverse to his/her interests.
 - 18.4 The Cardholder shall be deemed to have accepted the terms and conditions of the DPN and the PDP Ordinance.
 - 18.5 The Cardholder shall notify the Company promptly in writing of any change in the information provided to the Company in the application form pursuant to the terms and conditions of the DPN and the PDP Ordinance.
 - 18.6 The personal representative(s) of the Company shall promptly notify the Company in writing of the death of the Cardholder.
 - 18.7 The Company will treat information relating to the Cardholder as confidential, but unless consent is prohibited by law, the Cardholder consents to the transfer and use of such information to the Company and its subsidiaries, agents, representatives, affiliates and agents of the Company and any third parties (including any new entities, exchanges and clearing houses) selected by the Company or any of them (each a "transfer"), wherever situated, for confidential use (including for data processing, statistical, credit and risk analysis, marketing and other purposes) in connection with the Company's operations and business and/or rendering of correspondence address as required by any law, court, regulator or legal process in Hong Kong or any relevant overseas jurisdictions. This sub-clause 7 shall apply to the Cardholder subject to the DPN.
 - 18.8 The Cardholder consents to the Cardholder information being transferred to another jurisdiction outside Hong Kong and being used, processed and stored in or outside Hong Kong by third parties on behalf of the Company. The Company will contract with the third parties to take reasonable care to keep the Cardholder information confidential and to observe, in conformity with local laws and regulations, the requirements of the PDP Ordinance. Local and overseas regulatory and judicial authorities may in certain circumstances have access to the Cardholder information.
 - 18.9 The Cardholder acknowledges and agrees that some services, operational and processing procedures relating to the transactions services provided by the Company to the Cardholder may from time to time be outsourced by the Company to regional or global processing centres, holding companies, branches, subsidiaries, representative offices, affiliates and agents of the Company and third parties selected by the Company or any of them, wherever situated, and these service providers may from time to time be given access to information relating to the Cardholder and/or the Account and/or the transactions and services provided by the Company to the Cardholder for the purpose of or in relation to the services and procedures they perform.
19. **Notice**
 - 19.1 Any notice given by the Cardholder hereunder shall be given in writing and delivered to the Company at its address at 20/F, BOC Credit Card Centre, 68 Cornhill Road, West, Hong Kong.
 - 19.2 Without affecting other methods of communication, any statement, notice, demand or other communications are deemed to be received by the Cardholder:
 - (a) on posting for 3 Business Days in one or more of the banking halls in Hong Kong of the Banks;
 - (b) 3 Business Days after publication as an advertisement in a Hong Kong newspaper;
 - (c) when posted or sent by electronic mail to the Cardholder's e-mail address;
 - (d) when left at any of the address of the Cardholder or the Company's record, or 48 hours after mailing to such address or 7 days if the address is overseas;
 - (e) when sent by facsimile mail or messenger or facsimile to any of email address or company or facsimile number of the Cardholder on the Company's record; or
 - (f) when communicated including by leaving a voice message, if by telephone or other oral communication.
 - 19.3 Notwithstanding the above, the post (in the case of a mailing) or by the death or incapacity of the Cardholder, "Business Day" means a day on which the Banks are open for business in Hong Kong other than Sunday and public holiday.
20. **Retention or continued use of the Card after the effective date of any change of the terms and conditions of this Agreement and/or the Fees Schedule shall constitute the Cardholder's agreement to the change of such terms and conditions.**
 - 20.1 The Company may (in its discretion) from time to time change any of the terms and conditions of this Agreement and/or the Fees Schedule provided that the Company shall give the Cardholder not less than 30 days' notice before any change of the terms and conditions which affect fees and charges and/or the use of the Card.
 - 20.2 Retention or continued use of the Card after the effective date of any change of the terms and conditions of this Agreement and/or the Fees Schedule shall constitute the Cardholder's agreement to the change of such terms and conditions.
 - 20.3 The Cardholder consents to the Company's record of all transactions effected by the use of the Card, which only recourse available to the Cardholder is to terminate the Card in accordance with Clauses 12.1 or 12.2 (as the case may be).
 - 20.4 Where a Cardholder terminates his/her Card pursuant to Clause 20.3 within reasonable time, the Company may (in its discretion) reject the amount of the Cardholder's credit limit and/or cash advance limit of the Card (if any) on a pro rata basis of the fees on as separately distinguished, due to the amount involved is not minimal.
21. **Law and Jurisdiction**
 - 21.1 This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of Hong Kong and the Cardholder irrevocably submits to the jurisdiction of the courts of Hong Kong.
22. **Miscellaneous**
 - 22.1 This Agreement is written in both English and Chinese. In case of conflict or deviation in interpretation, the English version shall prevail.
 - 22.2 If any provision hereof becomes illegal, invalid or unenforceable in any respect, the remaining provisions hereof shall in any way be affected or impaired thereby.
 - 22.3 The Cardholder consents to act as a successor, personal representative and person lawfully acting on behalf of the Cardholder.
 - 22.4 No failure to act, omission or refusal by the Company to exercise or enforce any right under any terms and conditions of this Agreement shall operate as a waiver of such right, nor shall any single, partial or defective exercise of any right prevent any other or further exercise of it or the exercise of any other right.
 - 22.5 The Cardholder may not assign any of his/her rights and/or obligations under this Agreement. The Company may assign or transfer any of its rights and obligations under this Agreement to any third party.