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Core Economy Investment Group Limited

核心經濟投資集團有限公司

(formerly known as Earnest Investments Holdings Limited

安利時投資控股有限公司)*

(Continued into Bermuda with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 339)

PROFIT WARNING

This announcement is made by the Company pursuant to Rule 13.09(2) of the Listing Rules and the Inside Information Provisions under Part XIVA of the SFO.

The Board wishes to inform the Shareholders and potential investors that the Group is expected to record an increase in loss for the six-month period ended 30 June 2018 as compared with the loss recorded by the Company for the corresponding period in 2017. This profit warning announcement is only based on the preliminary review on the management accounts of the Group, which has not been reviewed nor confirmed by the Company's auditors.

The consolidated interim results announcement of the Group for the six-month period ended 30 June 2018 is expected to be announced before the end of August 2018.

Shareholders and potential investors are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the shares of the Company.

This announcement is made by Core Economy Investment Group Limited (the "Company", together with its subsidiaries, the "Group") pursuant to Rule 13.09(2) of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules") and the Inside Information Provisions under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong) (the "SFO").

* for identification purposes only

Based on a preliminary review by the Company's management on the management accounts of the Group, the board of directors of the Company (the "Board") wishes to inform the shareholders of the Company (the "Shareholders") and potential investors that the Group is expected to record an increase in loss for the six-month period ended 30 June 2018 as compared with the loss recorded by the Company for the corresponding period in 2017. The Board considers that such increase in loss is mainly attributable to the loss on net change in fair value of financial assets approximately HK\$0.5 million expected to be recorded for the six-month period ended 30 June 2018 as compared with the gain on net change in fair value of financial assets of approximately HK\$1.0 million recorded by the Company for the corresponding period ended 30 June 2017 as a result of the recent downturn in financial market.

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The Company is in the process of finalizing the consolidated interim results of its continuing operations for the six-month period ended 30 June 2018. The consolidated financial results of the Group for the six-month period ended 30 June 2018 will only be ascertained when all the relevant results and treatments are finalised. The consolidated interim results announcement of the Group for the six-month period ended 30 June 2018 is expected to be announced before the end of August 2018.

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By the order of the Board
Core Economy Investment Group Limited
CHEUNG Hoi Ue
Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 8 August 2018

As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. SUN Bo (Chairman) and Mr. WANG Daming; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. CHEN Ming, Mr. MOK Ho Ming and Mr. WONG Yan Wai George.