

Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “Stock Exchange”) take no responsibility for the contents of this announcement, make no representation as to its accuracy or completeness and expressly disclaim any liability whatsoever for any loss howsoever arising from or in reliance upon the whole or any part of the contents of this announcement.

Novacon Technology Group Limited

連成科技集團有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 8635)

FIRST QUARTERLY RESULTS ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

The board (the “**Board**”) of directors (the “**Director(s)**”) of Novacon Technology Group Limited (the “**Company**”, together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) is pleased to announce the unaudited condensed consolidated results of the Group for the three months ended 30 June 2020 (“**First Quarterly Results**”). This announcement, containing the full text of the first quarterly report of the Company for the three months ended 30 June 2020 (the “**2020 First Quarterly Report**”), complies with the relevant requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on GEM of the Stock Exchange (the “**GEM Listing Rules**”) in relation to information to accompany preliminary announcement of the First Quarterly Results. The 2020 First Quarterly Report shall be dispatched to the Company’s shareholders and available for viewing on the GEM website at www.hkgem.com and the Company’s website at www.novacontechgroup.com, respectively, in due course.

By Order of the Board
Novacon Technology Group Limited
Wei Ming
Chairman and non-executive Director

Hong Kong, 5 August 2020

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Mr. Chung Chau Kan as an executive Director and the chief executive officer and Mr. Wong Wing Hoi as an executive Director; Mr. Wei Ming as the chairman of the Board and a non-executive Director; and Mr. Moo Kai Pong, Mr. Lo Chi Wang and Mr. Wu Kin San Alfred as the independent non-executive Directors.

This announcement, for which the Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the GEM Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Group. The Directors, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that to the best of their knowledge and belief the information contained in this announcement is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this announcement misleading.

This announcement will remain on the “Latest Listed Company Information” page of the GEM website at www.hkgem.com for a minimum period of 7 days from the date of its publication and will also be published on the Company’s website at www.novacontechgroup.com.

Contents

Corporate Information	2
Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income	3
Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity	4
Notes to the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements	5
Management Discussion and Analysis	9
Definitions	19

Corporate Information

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Executive Directors

Mr. Chung Chau Kan (*Chief Executive Officer*)
Mr. Wong Wing Hoi

Non-executive Director

Mr. Wei Ming (*Chairman*)

Independent Non-executive Directors

Mr. Moo Kai Pong
Mr. Lo Chi Wang
Mr. Wu Kin San Alfred

COMPANY SECRETARY

Ms. Chu Mei Po (*CPA*)

COMPLIANCE OFFICER

Mr. Chung Chau Kan

AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. Chung Chau Kan
Ms. Chu Mei Po

AUDIT COMMITTEE

Mr. Lo Chi Wang (*Chairman*)
Mr. Moo Kai Pong
Mr. Wu Kin San Alfred

REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

Mr. Moo Kai Pong (*Chairman*)
Mr. Chung Chau Kan
Mr. Wu Kin San Alfred

NOMINATION COMMITTEE

Mr. Wei Ming (*Chairman*)
Mr. Moo Kai Pong
Mr. Wu Kin San Alfred

COMPLIANCE ADVISER

Dongxing Securities (Hong Kong) Company Limited
6805-6806A, 68/F,
International Commerce Centre,
1 Austin Road West, Kowloon, Hong Kong

PRINCIPAL BANKERS

China Construction Bank (Asia) Corporation Limited
28/F, CCB Tower, 3 Connaught Road Central,
Central, Hong Kong

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking
Corporation Limited
1 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong

REGISTERED OFFICE

Cricket Square, Hutchins Drive, P.O. Box 2681,
Grand Cayman KY1-1111, Cayman Islands

HEAD OFFICE AND PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IN HONG KONG

Office E, 17th Floor, EGL Tower,
No. 83 Hung To Road, Kwun Tong, Kowloon,
Hong Kong

HONG KONG LEGAL ADVISERS

Raymond Siu & Lawyers
Units 1302-3 & 1802, Ruttonjee House,
Ruttonjee Centre, 11 Duddell Street, Central,
Hong Kong

PRINCIPAL SHARE REGISTRAR AND TRANSFER OFFICE

Conyers Trust Company (Cayman) Limited
Cricket Square, Hutchins Drive, P.O. Box 2681,
Grand Cayman KY1-1111, Cayman Islands

HONG KONG BRANCH SHARE REGISTRAR

Tricor Investor Services Limited
Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East,
Hong Kong

STOCK CODE

8635

WEBSITE OF THE COMPANY

www.novacontechgroup.com

Unaudited First Quarterly Results

The Board is pleased to announce the unaudited condensed consolidated results of the Group for the three months ended 30 June 2020 together with the unaudited comparative figures for the corresponding period in 2019, as follows:

Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

For the three months ended 30 June 2020

	Note	Three months ended 30 June	
		2020 HK\$'000 (unaudited)	2019 HK\$'000 (unaudited)
Revenue	4	10,209	10,439
Other income	5	132	335
Expenses			
License and subscription cost		(510)	(407)
Internet services cost		(611)	(502)
Employee benefit expenses		(3,152)	(2,682)
Depreciation of property and equipment		(656)	(535)
Amortisation of intangible assets		(1,143)	(814)
Listing expenses		–	(4,528)
Other expenses		(863)	(1,354)
Finance costs		(63)	(60)
Profit/(loss) before income tax		3,343	(108)
Income tax expense	6	(614)	(944)
Total comprehensive income/(loss) attributable to owners of the Company for the period		2,729	(1,052)
Earnings/(loss) per share attributable to owners of the Company for the period			
– Basic and diluted (express in HK cents per share)	7	0.68	(0.29)

Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

For the three months ended 30 June 2020

	Share capital HK\$'000 (Note 9)	Share premium HK\$'000	Other reserves HK\$'000	Retained earnings HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
At 1 April 2019 (audited)	*	–	7,500	46,286	53,786
Total comprehensive income					
Loss and other comprehensive income for the period	–	–	–	(1,052)	(1,052)
Transaction with owners in their capacity as owners					
Capitalisation issue of Shares	3,000	(3,000)	–	–	–
Issue of Shares upon Listing	1,000	52,000	–	–	53,000
Listing expenses charged to share premium	–	(14,008)	–	–	(14,008)
At 30 June 2019 (unaudited)	4,000	34,992	7,500	45,234	91,726
At 1 April 2020 (audited)	4,000	34,992	8,546	53,045	100,583
Total comprehensive income					
Profit and other comprehensive income for the period	–	–	–	2,729	2,729
Transaction with owners in their capacity as owners					
Share-based payment expenses	–	–	424	–	424
At 30 June 2020 (unaudited)	4,000	34,992	8,970	55,774	103,736

* Less than HK\$1,000

Notes to the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

The Company was incorporated in the Cayman Islands on 7 February 2018 as an exempted company with limited liability under the Companies Law, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands. The Shares were listed on GEM by way of placing and public offer on the Listing Date. The address of the Company's registered office is located at Cricket Square, Hutchins Drive, P.O. Box 2681, Grand Cayman, KY1-1111, Cayman Islands and its principal place of business is located at Office E, 17th Floor, EGL Tower, No. 83 Hung To Road, Kwun Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong. The Company is an investment holding company. The Group is principally engaged in the development and provision of financial trading solutions and development and supply of resource allocation, planning, scheduling and management of software and services.

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements for the three months ended 30 June 2020 are presented in HK\$ and have been prepared in accordance with HKFRSs and the applicable disclosure provisions of the GEM Listing Rules.

The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements for the three months ended 30 June 2020 should be read in conjunction with the audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2020 and the notes thereto (the "2020 Audited Consolidated Financial Statements"). The significant accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the 2020 Audited Consolidated Financial Statements except for the new and revised standards, amendments and interpretations issued by the HKICPA that are adopted for the first time for the current period's financial statements. It should be noted that accounting estimates and assumptions were adopted in the preparation of the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements. Although the estimates are based on the management's best knowledge of and judgement on the present events and actions, the actual results may eventually differ from those estimates.

The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements has not been audited or reviewed by the Company's external auditors, but has been reviewed by the Audit Committee.

3. ADOPTION OF NEW AND REVISED HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS

Certain new and revised HKFRSs have been issued. The Directors considered that the adoption of those new HKFRSs which are effective for the accounting periods beginning on 1 April 2020 will not have any material impact on the preparation and presentation of the results and financial conditions of the current period and previous periods. For the HKFRSs that are not yet effective nor have not been early adopted, the Group is in the process of making an assessment of the potential impact of the newly issued HKFRSs.

4. REVENUE

	Three months ended 30 June	
	2020 HK\$'000 (unaudited)	2019 HK\$'000 (unaudited)
Licensing and maintenance services	9,885	10,314
Initial set up and customisation services	324	125
	10,209	10,439

Notes to the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

4. REVENUE *(Continued)*

(a) Disaggregation of revenue from contracts with customers

During the three months ended 30 June 2020, all sources of revenue were recognised over time (2019: same).

(b) Segment information

The executive Directors have been identified as the chief operating decision-makers of the Group who review the Group's internal reporting in order to assess performance and allocate resources. For the three months ended 30 June 2020, the Directors considered that the Group's operations were operated and managed as a single segment and no separate segment information was presented for the period (2019: same).

The Group domiciles and operates in Hong Kong. All revenue of the Group was generated in Hong Kong during the three months ended 30 June 2020 (2019: same).

(c) Information about major customers

Certain customers contributed more than 10% of the total sales of the Group during the period. The amount of sales of these customers are disclosed as follows:

	Three months ended 30 June	
	2020 HK\$'000 (unaudited)	2019 HK\$'000 (unaudited)
Customer A	1,983	1,958
Customer B	1,046	1,059

5. OTHER INCOME

	Three months ended 30 June	
	2020 HK\$'000 (unaudited)	2019 HK\$'000 (unaudited)
Other income	2	3
Interest income on bank deposits	1	332
Interest income on time deposits	129	–
	132	335

Notes to the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

6. INCOME TAX EXPENSE

Under the two-tiered profits tax rates regime, the first HK\$2 million of profits of qualifying group entity in Hong Kong will be taxed at 8.25%, and profits above HK\$2 million will be taxed at 16.5%. Accordingly, the Hong Kong profits tax is calculated at 8.25% on the first HK\$2 million of the estimated assessable profits for the Group's qualifying entity and at 16.5% on the estimated assessable profits above HK\$2 million for the three months ended 30 June 2020 (2019: same). The profits of other group entities in Hong Kong not qualified for the two-tiered profits tax rates regime will continue to be taxed at the flat rate of 16.5% (2019: same). The amount of tax charged to the consolidated statement of comprehensive income represents:

	Three months ended 30 June	
	2020 HK\$'000 (unaudited)	2019 HK\$'000 (unaudited)
Hong Kong profits tax		
– Current period	606	710
Deferred income tax	8	234
Income tax expense	614	944

7. EARNINGS/(LOSS) PER SHARE

(a) Basic

Basic earnings/(loss) per share is calculated by dividing the profit/(loss) attributable to owners of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary Shares in issue during the period.

	Three months ended 30 June	
	2020 (unaudited)	2019 (unaudited)
Profit/(loss) attributable to owners of the Company (HK\$'000)	2,729	(1,052)
Weighted average number of ordinary Shares in issue (thousands) (Note)	400,000	365,934
Basic and diluted earnings/(loss) per share (HK cents)	0.68	(0.29)

Note: The weighted average number of Shares in issue for the period ended 30 June 2019 for the purpose of loss per share computation has been retrospectively adjusted for the effect of the 10 Shares and 90 Shares issued on 7 February 2018 and 21 March 2019, respectively pursuant to the Reorganisation, and 299,999,900 Shares issued under the capitalisation issue which took place on the Listing Date.

(b) Diluted

During the three months ended 30 June 2020, assumed conversion of the share options granted by the Company has anti-dilutive effect (2019: no dilutive potential share). For the three months ended 30 June 2020, diluted earnings per share equalled to basic earnings per share (2019: diluted loss per share equalled to basic loss per share).

Notes to the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

8. DIVIDEND

The Directors do not recommend the payment of interim dividend for the three months ended 30 June 2020 (2019: nil).

9. SHARE CAPITAL

	Number of Shares	Nominal value HK\$'000
Authorised:		
At 1 April 2019 (audited), 30 June 2019 (unaudited), 1 April 2020 (audited) and 30 June 2020 (unaudited)	10,000,000,000	100,000
Issued and fully paid:		
Ordinary Shares of HK\$0.01 each		
At 1 April 2019 (audited)	100	*
Capitalisation issue of Shares (<i>Note</i>)	299,999,900	3,000
Issuance of Shares upon the Listing (<i>Note</i>)	100,000,000	1,000
At 30 June 2019 (unaudited), 1 April 2020 (audited) and 30 June 2020 (unaudited)	400,000,000	4,000

* Less than HK\$1,000

Note: On the Listing Date, pursuant to the capitalisation issue approved on 29 March 2019, the Company issued a total number of additional 299,999,900 Shares to Essential Strategy and Expert Wisdom, credited as fully paid, by way of capitalisation of HK\$2,999,999 standing to the credit of the Company's share premium account. On the same date, the Company issued a total of 100,000,000 Shares by way of public offer and placing at a price of HK\$0.53 each for a total consideration of HK\$38,992,000, net of expenses in connection with the issue of shares, and successfully listed its Shares on GEM.

Management Discussion and Analysis

BUSINESS REVIEW

We are a Hong Kong-based financial trading solution provider principally engaged in the development and provision of financial trading solutions. We mainly provide comprehensive and integrated financial trading solutions that enable trading of OTC-traded financial instruments, stock exchange-traded financial instruments and fund management to brokerage firms and wealth management companies to satisfy their various business needs.

For the three months ended 30 June 2020, the Group recorded a revenue of approximately HK\$10.2 million, representing a decrease of approximately 2% from approximately HK\$10.4 million recorded for the three months ended 30 June 2019. For the three months ended 30 June 2020, the Group made a profit attributable to owners of the Company of approximately HK\$2.7 million (2019: loss of approximately HK\$1.1 million). Such change is mainly due to decrease in listing expenses, other expenses and income tax expenses by approximately HK\$4.5 million, approximately HK\$0.5 million and approximately HK\$0.3 million respectively. It was partially offset by decrease in revenue and other income by approximately HK\$0.2 million and approximately HK\$0.2 million respectively and increase in some of the expenses by approximately HK\$1.1 million in total, including but not limited to increase in license and subscription cost of approximately HK\$0.1 million, internet services cost of approximately HK\$0.1 million, employee benefit expenses of approximately HK\$0.5 million, depreciation of property and equipment of approximately HK\$0.1 million and amortisation of intangible assets of approximately HK\$0.3 million. If the listing expenses was excluded, the profit attributable to owners of the Company would decrease by approximately 21% from approximately HK\$3.5 million for the three months ended 30 June 2019 to approximately HK\$2.7 million for the three months ended 30 June 2020.

OUTLOOK

In line with the Group's long term objective to strengthen our position as a financial technology solution provider and to expand our market share, the Group intends to expend resources on enhancing and upgrading our existing financial trading solutions, exploring the development of new IT solutions, establishing our research and development centre and pursuing selective acquisition(s).

Looking ahead, the Group believe that the coming year shall continue to be challenging. The outbreak of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (the "**COVID-19 Outbreak**") has been rapidly evolving globally and has significantly impacted the global economic and financial markets. The Board considered that such significant impact on the global economic and financial markets may adversely affect the financial performance of the Group for the coming financial year. In response to the unfavorable market conditions, the Group will continue focusing on research and development in innovative IT products and services and providing stable and reliable financial trading solutions. In addition, in order to broaden the sources of income of the Group and mitigate the risk that substantially all of our revenue was derived from our financial trading solutions, the Group submitted a tender to develop a non-financial IT solutions (resource planning and management software) in March 2020 and was awarded the project in May 2020. Our management believe that our staff will improve their skillset in developing non-financial IT solutions after completion of such project, thereby increasing our chance and experiences of securing other similar projects.

Moreover, the Board resolved to change and reallocate the uses of part of its unutilised net proceeds from the share offer (the "**Net Proceeds**"), on 22 July 2020. The Directors consider that the changes in the uses of the Net Proceeds are fair and reasonable, as they would allow the Company to deploy its financial resources more effectively to support the latest development of the business of the Group. Please refer to the Company's announcement "Change in Use of Proceeds" dated 22 July 2020 for more details.

Management Discussion and Analysis

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Revenue

The Group derives its revenue primarily from the provision of financial trading solutions which can be classified into (i) licensing and maintenance services; (ii) initial set up and customisation services; and (iii) sales of computer hardware and software. For the three months ended 30 June 2020, the Group recorded revenue of approximately HK\$10.2 million, representing a decrease of approximately 2% as compared with the previous period of approximately HK\$10.4 million. The following table sets forth the breakdown of our revenue by source of revenue:

	Three months ended 30 June			
	2020 HK\$'000 (unaudited)	%	2019 HK\$'000 (unaudited)	%
Licensing and maintenance services	9,885	97	10,314	99
Initial set up and customisation services	324	3	125	1
Total	10,209	100	10,439	100

The slight decrease was mainly attributable to the decrease in revenue from licensing and maintenance services and it was partially offset by increase in revenue from initial set up and customisation services. Revenue from licensing and maintenance services decreased by approximately 4% from approximately HK\$10.3 million for the three months ended 30 June 2019 to approximately HK\$9.9 million for the three months ended 30 June 2020. It was primarily due to termination and modification by certain existing customers of certain existing contracts during the three months ended 30 June 2020. However, revenue from initial set up and customisation services increased by approximately 159% from approximately HK\$0.1 million for the three months ended 30 June 2019 to approximately HK\$0.3 million for the three months ended 30 June 2020. In addition, the Group did not generate revenue from the sales of computer hardware and software for both periods. Both initial set up and customisation services and sales of computer hardware and software are generally provided on an on-demand basis, depending on our customers' business needs.

Other Income

The Group's other income consists of interest income on bank deposits and time deposit and commission income generated from the referral of internet access services. The Group's other income were approximately HK\$0.3 million and HK\$0.1 million for the three months ended 30 June 2019 and 2020, respectively. Such decrease was mainly due to decrease in interest income on bank deposits by approximately HK\$0.3 million which arose from higher interest rate offered by the Company's receiving bank for the proceeds from the Listing during the three months ended 30 June 2019, whereas the interest rate decreased significantly after the Listing. It was partially offset by the increase in interest income on time deposits by approximately HK\$0.1 million.

License and Subscription Cost

For the three months ended 30 June 2020, the Group's license and subscription cost was approximately HK\$0.5 million, representing an increase of approximately 25% over the cost of approximately HK\$0.4 million for the three months ended 30 June 2019. Such increase was mainly due to increase in the number of suppliers (2020: 7; 2019: 6) for our business needs and implementation of our business plan as mentioned in the paragraph headed "Outlook" under this section.

Management Discussion and Analysis

Internet Services Cost

For the three months ended 30 June 2020 and 2019, the Group's internet services cost were approximately HK\$0.6 million and HK\$0.5 million, respectively. Such slight increase is in line with our business needs and implementation of our business plan as mentioned in the paragraph headed "Outlook" under this section and the increase in our number of suppliers (2020: 7; 2019: 6).

Intangible Assets

For the three months ended 30 June 2019 and 2020, our research and development expenses (which were mostly included in employee benefit expenses) amounted to approximately HK\$1.6 million and HK\$2.4 million, respectively. Out of the total research and development costs, approximately HK\$1.1 million and HK\$1.4 million for the three months ended 30 June 2019 and 2020, respectively, were capitalised as intangible assets.

Employee Benefit Expenses

For the three months ended 30 June 2020, the Group's employee benefit expenses were approximately HK\$3.2 million, representing an increase of approximately 18% over the employee benefit expenses of approximately HK\$2.7 million for the three months ended 30 June 2019. The increase is primarily due to increase in staff costs by approximately HK\$0.4 million in total for implementation of our business plan as mentioned in the paragraph headed "Outlook" under this section and increase in share-based payment expenses by approximately HK\$0.4 million. It was partially offset by increase in capitalised staff costs as intangible assets by approximately HK\$0.3 million.

Depreciation of Property and Equipment

The Group's depreciation of property and equipment was approximately HK\$0.7 million for the three months ended 30 June 2020, representing an increase of approximately 23% from approximately HK\$0.5 million for the three months ended 30 June 2019. The increase was primarily due to additions of certain items of computers during the year ended 31 March 2020.

Amortisation of Intangible Assets

The Group's amortisation of intangible assets was approximately HK\$1.1 million for the three months ended 30 June 2020, representing an increase of approximately 40% from approximately HK\$0.8 million for the three months ended 30 June 2019. The increase was primarily due to additions of computer software systems mainly contributed from staff costs capitalised during the year ended 31 March 2020.

Listing Expenses

Listing expenses comprised professional and other expenses in relation to our Listing. They were recognised based on percentage of completion of the Listing by various professional parties. No listing expenses was recognised during the three months ended 30 June 2020 (2019: approximately HK\$4.5 million).

Other Expenses

The Group's other expenses mainly include (i) legal and professional fees, (ii) auditors' remuneration; (iii) building management fees; and (iv) advertising expenses. The Group's other expenses for the three months ended 30 June 2020 were approximately HK\$0.8 million, representing a decrease of approximately 36% over the other expenses of approximately HK\$1.4 million for the three months ended 30 June 2019. The decrease was primarily attributable to the decrease in legal and professional fees.

Management Discussion and Analysis

Finance Costs

Finance costs remain stable at approximately HK\$0.1 million for the three months ended 30 June 2020 and 2019. It was primarily because borrowing costs capitalized as development cost of intangible assets decreased by approximately 51% from approximately HK\$41,000 for the three months ended 30 June 2019 to approximately HK\$20,000 for the three months ended 30 June 2020 offset by a decrease in variable interest rate which resulted in decrease in finance costs by approximately 18% from approximately HK\$101,000 for the three months ended 30 June 2019 to approximately HK\$83,000 for the three months ended 30 June 2020.

Profit/(Loss) Before Income Tax

For the three months ended 30 June 2020, the Group made a profit before income tax of approximately HK\$3.3 million (2019: loss of approximately HK\$0.1 million). Such change is mainly due to decrease in listing expenses and other expenses by approximately HK\$4.5 million and approximately HK\$0.5 million respectively. It was partially offset by decrease in revenue and other income by approximately HK\$0.2 million and approximately HK\$0.2 million respectively and increase in some of the expenses by approximately HK\$1.1 million in total, including but not limited to increase in license and subscription cost of approximately HK\$0.1 million, internet services cost of approximately HK\$0.1 million, employee benefit expenses of approximately HK\$0.5 million, depreciation of property and equipment of approximately HK\$0.1 million and amortisation of intangible assets of approximately HK\$0.3 million. If the listing expenses was excluded, the profit before income tax decreased by approximately 24% from approximately HK\$4.4 million for the three months ended 30 June 2019 to approximately HK\$3.3 million for the three months ended 30 June 2020.

Income Tax Expense

The Group's income tax expense for the three months ended 30 June 2020 was approximately HK\$0.6 million, representing a decrease of approximately 35% from approximately HK\$0.9 million for the three months ended 30 June 2019. Such decrease was mainly due to decrease in profit before income tax (excluding listing expenses) by 24% as above-mentioned and there was no recognition of deferred tax liability of accumulated fair value changes of investment property during the three months ended 30 June 2020 (2019: approximately HK\$0.2 million). The effective income tax rates of the Group, which is calculated by the income tax expense divided by profit/loss before tax, were approximately 18.4% and 874.1% for the three months ended 30 June 2020 and 2019, respectively. If the listing expenses, non-deductible corporate expenses after the Listing and above-mentioned deferred tax were excluded, the effective income tax rate would be 16.2% and 16.0% for the three months ended 30 June 2020 and 2019, respectively.

Profit/(Loss) for the Period Attributable to Owners of the Company

For the three months ended 30 June 2020, the Group made a profit attributable to owners of the Company of approximately HK\$2.7 million (2019: loss of approximately HK\$1.1 million). Such change was due to the above-mentioned reasons and decrease in income tax expense by approximately HK\$0.3 million. If the listing expenses was excluded, the profit attributable to owners of the Company would decrease by approximately 21% from approximately HK\$3.5 million for the three months ended 30 June 2019 to approximately HK\$2.7 million for the three months ended 30 June 2020.

Management Discussion and Analysis

PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF THE SECURITIES BY THE COMPANY AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES

Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries purchased, sold or redeemed any securities, convertible securities, options, warrants or similar rights of the Company during the three months ended 30 June 2020 and up to the date of this report.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES

The Company is committed to achieving high standards of corporate governance. The Directors believe that sound and reasonable corporate governance practices are essential in providing a framework for the Company to safeguard the interests of Shareholders, enhance corporate value, formulate its business strategies and policies, and enhance its transparency and accountability.

The Company has adopted the principles and code provisions as set out in the CG Code contained in Appendix 15 of the GEM Listing Rules as the basis of the Company's corporate governance practices.

The CG Code has been applicable to the Company with effect from the Listing Date. The Board is of the view that since the Listing Date and up to the date of this report, the Company has complied with all applicable code provisions as set out in the CG Code.

SHARE OPTION SCHEME

The Company has adopted the Share Option Scheme on 29 March 2019. Details of the Share Option Scheme are set out in Appendix VI to the Prospectus.

The purpose of the Share Option Scheme is to enable the Group to grant options to the eligible participants as incentives or rewards for their contribution to the Group and/or to enable the Group to recruit and retain high-calibre employees and attract human resources that are valuable to the Group or any entity in which any member of the Group holds any equity interest.

On 15 August 2019, the Company has granted a total number of 36,400,000 share options ("**2019 Share Option**") to certain eligible participants (the "**Grantees**") under the Share Option Scheme which will entitle the Grantees to subscribe for a total number of 36,400,000 Shares. The details of 2019 Share Option are summarised as follows:

	% of the total share options	Vesting period	2019 Share Option Exercise period
Tranche 1	50%	15 August 2019 to 14 August 2020	15 August 2020 to 14 August 2029
Tranche 2	50%	15 August 2019 to 14 August 2021	15 August 2021 to 14 August 2029

Among the 36,400,000 share options granted above, 4,800,000 share options were granted to two Grantees who are a director and an associate of a director and substantial shareholder of the Company (the "**Connected Grantees**").

Management Discussion and Analysis

The movements of the share options outstanding under the 2019 Share Option during the three months ended 30 June 2020 are as follows:

Name and position/capacity of participant	Date of Grant	Exercise price (HK\$)	Number of Shares represented by share options outstanding as at 1 April 2020	Number of share options granted during the period	Share options exercised during the period	Share options forfeited during the period	Number of Shares represented by share options outstanding as at 30 June 2020
Connected Grantees							
Mr. Wong Wing Hoi (Executive director)	15 August 2019	0.178	4,000,000	-	-	-	4,000,000
Mr. Wei Chun Pong Benjamin (Associate of a non-executive Director and substantial shareholder)	15 August 2019	0.178	800,000	-	-	-	800,000
Employees	15 August 2019	0.178	27,600,000	-	-	-	27,600,000
Total number of share options			32,400,000	-	-	-	32,400,000

	2019 Share Option	
	Tranche 1	Tranche 2
Fair value at Date of Grant (per share)	HK\$0.078	HK\$0.078

The 2019 Share Option was measured at fair value at Date of Grant using Black-Scholes model with following key assumptions:

	2019 Share Option	
	Tranche 1	Tranche 2
Share price at Date of Grant (per share)	HK\$0.162	HK\$0.162
Exercise price (per share)	HK\$0.178	HK\$0.178
Expected life (years)	5.5	6.0
Expected volatility	55.89%	56.23%
Expected dividend yield	0.00%	0.00%
Risk-free interest rate	1.15%	1.15%

For the three months ended 30 June 2020, the Group recognised share-based payment expenses amounting to approximately HK\$424,000, which has been charged to the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income.

No share options were exercisable as at 30 June 2020.

Management Discussion and Analysis

DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS IN SHARES, UNDERLYING SHARES AND DEBENTURES

As at 30 June 2020, the interests or short positions of the Directors and the chief executive of the Company in the Shares, underlying Shares and debentures of the Company and any of its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of SFO) which are required (a) to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests and short positions in which they are taken or deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO); or (b) pursuant to section 352 of the SFO, to be entered in the register referred to therein; or (c) have to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Rules 5.46 to 5.67 of the GEM Listing Rules, were as follows:

Name of Director	Company/name of associated corporation	Capacity and nature of interest	Number of shares of the Company/ associated corporation held <i>(Note 4)</i>	Approximate percentage of the issued shares of the Company/ associated corporation
Mr. Wei Ming ("Mr. Wei") <i>(Chairman and Non-executive Director)</i>	Company	Interest in controlled corporation <i>(Note 1)</i>	210,000,000 (L)	52.5%
Mr. Chung Chau Kan ("Mr. Chung") <i>(Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer)</i>	Company	Interest in controlled corporation <i>(Note 2)</i>	90,000,000 (L)	22.5%
Mr. Wong Wing Hoi <i>(Executive Director)</i>	Company	Beneficial owner	4,000,000 (L) <i>(Note 3)</i>	1%
Mr. Wei	Essential Strategy	Beneficial owner	1,000 (L)	100% <i>(Note 1)</i>

Notes:

- (1) The 210,000,000 Shares were held by Essential Strategy which is wholly owned by Mr. Wei. As such, Mr. Wei was deemed to be interested in all the Shares held by Essential Strategy pursuant to Part XV of the SFO.
- (2) The 90,000,000 Shares were held by Expert Wisdom which is wholly owned by Mr. Chung. As such, Mr. Chung was deemed to be interested in all the Shares held by Expert Wisdom pursuant to Part XV of the SFO.
- (3) These Shares represent the 2019 Share Option granted by the Company on 15 August 2019 under the Share Option Scheme adopted by the Company on 29 March 2019.
- (4) The letter "L" denotes "long position" in such Shares or underlying Shares.

Management Discussion and Analysis

Save as disclosed above, as at 30 June 2020, none of the Directors or chief executive of the Company had registered an interest or short position in any Shares or underlying Shares and/or debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO) which would have to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests or short positions in which they are taken or deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO) or that was required to be recorded in the register kept by the Company pursuant to section 352 of the SFO, or which are required to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange, pursuant to Rules 5.46 to 5.67 of the GEM Listing Rules.

SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS' INTERESTS AND OTHER PERSONS' INTERESTS IN SHARES AND UNDERLYING SHARES

As at 30 June 2020, the following persons (other than the Directors or chief executive of the Company) had interests and short positions in the Shares or underlying Shares of the Company which were required to be notified to the Company pursuant to Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO or as recorded in the register of interests required to be kept by the Company pursuant to section 336 of the SFO were as follows:

Name	Capacity and nature of interest	Number of ordinary Shares held (Note 5)	Approximate percentage of the issued Shares
Essential Strategy	Beneficial owner (Note 1)	210,000,000 (L)	52.5%
Ms. Wong Siu King	Interest of spouse (Note 2)	210,000,000 (L)	52.5%
Expert Wisdom	Beneficial owner (Note 3)	90,000,000 (L)	22.5%
Ms. Yip Kim Kam	Interest of spouse (Note 4)	90,000,000 (L)	22.5%

Notes:

- (1) Mr. Wei holds 210,000,000 Shares through a company wholly-owned by him, Essential Strategy.
- (2) Ms. Wong Siu King ("**Ms. Wong**") is the spouse of Mr. Wei. Under the SFO, Ms. Wong is deemed to be interested in the same number of Shares in which Mr. Wei is interested.
- (3) Mr. Chung holds 90,000,000 Shares through a company wholly-owned by him, Expert Wisdom.
- (4) Ms. Yip Kim Kam ("**Ms. Yip**") is the spouse of Mr. Chung. Under the SFO, Ms. Yip is deemed to be interested in the same number of Shares in which Mr. Chung is interested.
- (5) The letter "L" denotes "long position" in such Shares.

Save as disclosed above, as at 30 June 2020, the Company has not been notified by any persons (other than the Directors or chief executive of the Company) who has interests or short positions in the Shares or underlying Shares of the Company which would fall to be disclosed to the Company and the Stock Exchange under the provisions of Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO, or which were required, pursuant to section 336 of the SFO, to be recorded in the register referred to therein.

Management Discussion and Analysis

DIRECTORS' SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS

The Company has adopted a code of conduct regarding securities transactions by Directors on terms no less exacting than the required standard of dealings set out in Rules 5.48 to 5.67 of the GEM Listing Rules (the “**Securities Transactions Code**”).

Specific enquiry has been made with all the Directors and each of the Directors has confirmed that they have complied with the Securities Transactions Code during the three months ended 30 June 2020 and up to the date of this report.

During the three months ended 30 June 2020 and up to the date of this report, the Company is not aware of any incident of non-compliance of the Securities Transactions Code by the Directors.

DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S RIGHTS TO ACQUIRE SHARES AND DEBENTURES

Save as disclosed in the paragraphs headed “Directors’ and Chief Executive’s Interests and Short Positions in Shares, Underlying Shares and Debentures” and “Share Option Scheme” above, at no time during the three months ended 30 June 2020 and up to the date of this report were there rights to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of Shares in or debentures of the Company granted to any Directors or chief executive of the Company or their respective associates or were any such rights exercised by them; or was the Company, its holding company, or any of its subsidiaries or fellow subsidiaries a party to any arrangements to enable the Directors or chief executive of the Company or their respective associates to acquire such rights in any other body corporate.

COMPETING INTEREST

During the three months ended 30 June 2020 and up to the date of this report, none of the Directors or the Controlling Shareholders or their close associates were interested in any business, apart from the interest of the Group, which competes or may compete, either directly or indirectly, with the business of the Group nor did they have any conflicts of interest with the Group.

INTERESTS OF THE COMPLIANCE ADVISER

In accordance with Rule 6A.19 of the GEM Listing Rules, Dongxing Securities (Hong Kong) Company Limited has been appointed as the compliance adviser of the Company (the “**Compliance Adviser**”). Save for the compliance adviser agreement entered into between the Company and the Compliance Adviser dated 23 May 2018, none of the Compliance Adviser or its directors, employees or close associates has or may have any interest in the share capital of the Company or any member of the Group (including options or rights to subscribe for such securities), which is required to be notified to the Company pursuant to Rule 6A.32 of the GEM Listing Rules.

Management Discussion and Analysis

REVIEW OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Company established the Audit Committee on 29 March 2019 in compliance with Rule 5.28 of the GEM Listing Rules. Written terms of reference in compliance with Rule 5.29 of the GEM Listing Rules and code provision C.3.3 of the CG Code have been adopted. The primary duties of the Audit Committee are to make recommendations to the Board on appointment, reappointment and removal of the external auditor, review and supervise the financial reporting process and the financial controls, internal control and risk management systems of the Company.

The Audit Committee consists of three independent non-executive Directors, being Mr. Lo Chi Wang, Mr. Moo Kai Pong and Mr. Wu Kin San Alfred. Mr. Lo Chi Wang is the chairman of the Audit Committee.

The Group's unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements for the three months ended 30 June 2020, the accounting policies and practices adopted by the Group, and this report have been reviewed by the Audit Committee.

By Order of the Board

Wei Ming

Chairman and Non-executive Director

Hong Kong, 5 August 2020

Definitions

In this report, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the following meanings:

"associate(s)"	has the meaning ascribed to it under the GEM Listing Rules
"Audit Committee"	the audit committee of the Board
"Board"	the board of Directors of the Company
"BVI"	the British Virgin Islands
"CG Code"	Corporate Governance Code and Corporate Governance Report set out in Appendix 15 of the GEM Listing Rules
"Chairman"	the chairman of the Board, as appointed and designated from time to time
"close associate(s)"	has the meaning ascribed to it under the GEM Listing Rules
"Company"	Novacon Technology Group Limited (連成科技集團有限公司), a company incorporated as an exempted company with limited liability in the Cayman Islands on 7 February 2018
"Controlling Shareholder(s)"	has the meaning ascribed to it under the GEM Listing Rules
"Date of Grant"	15 August 2019, the date on which the 2019 Share Option was granted to the Grantees
"Director(s)"	the director(s) of the Company, as appointed from time to time
"Essential Strategy"	ESSENTIAL STRATEGY INVESTMENTS LIMITED, a company incorporated in BVI with limited liability on 4 January 2016, which is wholly-owned by Mr. Wei Ming and is one of the Controlling Shareholders
"Expert Wisdom"	EXPERT WISDOM HOLDINGS LIMITED, a company incorporated in BVI with limited liability on 21 December 2017, which is wholly-owned by Mr. Chung Chau Kan
"GEM"	the GEM operated by the Stock Exchange
"GEM Listing Rules"	Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on GEM of the Stock Exchange, as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time

Definitions

"Group"	the Company and its subsidiaries, or any of them or, where the context so requires, in respect of the period before the Company became the holding company of its present subsidiaries, such subsidiaries as if they were subsidiaries of the Company at that time
"HK\$"	Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong
"HKFRS(s)"	Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards issued by the HKICPA
"HKICPA"	Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants
"Hong Kong" or "HK"	the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China
"Listing"	the listing of the Shares on GEM of the Stock Exchange on 2 May 2019
"Listing Date"	2 May 2019, the date on which the Shares were initially listed on GEM of the Stock Exchange
"OTC-traded financial instruments"	over-the-counter-traded financial instruments, which are contracts that are traded (and privately negotiated) directly between two parties, without going through an exchange or other intermediary
"Prospectus"	the prospectus of the Company published on 15 April 2019 in connection with the Listing
"Reorganisation"	the reorganisation of our Group in preparation for the Listing, details of which are set out in the section headed "History, Development and Reorganisation" in the Prospectus
"SFO"	Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong) as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time
"Share(s)"	ordinary share(s) of nominal value of HK\$0.01 each in the share capital of the Company
"Shareholder(s)"	holder(s) of the Shares
"Share Option Scheme"	the share option scheme of the Company adopted by the Shareholders on 29 March 2019
"Stock Exchange"	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited
"substantial shareholder"	has the meaning ascribed to it under the GEM Listing Rules
"%"	per cent