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大眾金融控股有限公司*
PUBLIC FINANCIAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)

(Stock code: 626)

TRADING HALT

The board of directors (the “Board”) of Public Financial Holdings Limited (the “Company”) announces that trading in the shares of the Company will be halted with effect from 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, 20 August 2026, pending the issuance of an announcement pursuant to the Code on Takeovers and Mergers which contains inside information of the Company.

By Order of the Board
Public Financial Holdings Limited
Chan Sau Kuen
Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 20 August 2026

As at the date of this announcement, the Board of the Company comprises Mr. Lai Wan, Mr. Quah Poh Keat and Mr. Lee Huat Oon as Non-Executive Directors, Mr. Chong Yam Kiang as Executive Director, and Mr. Lee Chin Guan, Mr. Lim Chao Li and Ms. Phe Kheng Peng as Independent Non-Executive Directors.

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