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**CHINA MOBILE LIMITED**

**中國移動有限公司**

*(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability under the Companies Ordinance)*

**(Stock Code: 941)**

## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

### **OBTAINING OPERATING PERMIT FOR LTE/4G DIGITAL CELLULAR MOBILE SERVICE (LTE FDD)**

This announcement is made by China Mobile Limited (the “**Company**”) pursuant to Rule 13.09 of the Rules Governing the Listing of the Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

The Board of Directors of the Company is pleased to announce that it has been informed by China Mobile Communications Group Co., Ltd. (the “**Parent Company**”) that on 3 April 2018, the Ministry of Industry and Information Technology of the People’s Republic of China granted the basic telecommunications service operating permit for “LTE/4G Digital Cellular Mobile Service (LTE FDD)” (“**LTE FDD**”) to the Parent Company.

Having built and operated the world’s largest TD-LTE (also known as LTE TDD) network, the Company will devote its full efforts to assist the Parent Company in building and operating LTE FDD. In accordance with the operating permit requirements, the Company will vigorously promote the development of mobile Internet of Things and Industrial Internet on a nationwide basis, actively initiate the scale application of TDD/FDD convergence network and comprehensively enhance the quality of high-speed broadband mobile communications services in rural areas, and raise the overall network quality at a lower cost. At the same time, the Company will strengthen its product and business innovation, provide its customers with better and more convenient services, and further enhance customer perception. The Company believes that the aforesaid operating permit will be conducive to the Company’s in-depth implementation of the “Big Connectivity” strategy and deepening of its transformational and innovative development, and will provide greater support and safeguards for building a world first-tier enterprise with global competitiveness and becoming a world’s leading operator in digital innovation.

**In the meantime, investors are advised to exercise caution in dealing in the securities of the Company.**

By Order of the Board  
**China Mobile Limited**  
**Wong Wai Lan, Grace**  
*Company Secretary*

Hong Kong, 3 April 2018

#### **FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

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*As at the date of this announcement, the Board of Directors of the Company comprises Mr. Shang Bing, Mr. Li Yue, Mr. Sha Yuejia and Mr. Dong Xin as executive directors and Mr. Frank Wong Kwong Shing, Dr. Moses Cheng Mo Chi, Mr. Paul Chow Man Yiu and Mr. Stephen Yiu Kin Wah as independent non-executive directors.*