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## TOWNGAS (FINANCE) LIMITED (the "Issuer")

(Incorporated in the British Virgin Islands with limited liability)

## US\$300,000,000 PERPETUAL SUBORDINATED GUARANTEED CAPITAL SECURITIES (the "**Securities**")

(Stock Code: 6018) unconditionally and irrevocably guaranteed by

## THE HONG KONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY LIMITED

(the "Guarantor")

(Incorporated in Hong Kong under the Companies Ordinance with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 3)

Joint Bookrunners and Joint Lead Managers

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Hong Kong, 28 January 2014

As at the date of this announcement, the board of directors of the Guarantor comprises:

Non-executive Directors: Dr. the Hon. Lee Shau Kee (Chairman),

Mr. Colin Lam Ko Yin, Mr. Lee Ka Kit and

Mr. Lee Ka Shing

Independent Non-executive Directors: Mr. Leung Hay Man,

Dr. the Hon. David Li Kwok Po and

Professor Poon Chung Kwong

Executive Directors: Mr. Alfred Chan Wing Kin and

Mr. Peter Wong Wai Yee

As at the date of this announcement, the board of directors of the Issuer comprises Mr. Chan Wing Kin (aka Alfred Chan Wing Kin), Mr. John Ho Hon Ming, Mr. Lo Wing Keung (alternate director to Mr. Chan Wing Kin) and Mr. Chan Wai Keung (alternate director to Mr. John Ho Hon Ming).

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