NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the fortieth annual general meeting of Datapulse Technology Limited (the "Company") will be held by way of electronic means on Friday, 27 November 2020 at 3.00 p.m. for the following purposes:

### **Ordinary Business**

- To receive and adopt the directors' statement and audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 July 2020 and the auditors' report thereon. (Resolution 1)
- To approve the payment of directors' fees of S\$252,519 for the financial year ended 31 July 2020 (2019: S\$241,544). (Resolution 2)
- To approve the payment of directors' fees of up to \$\$200,000 for the financial year ending 31 July 2021, to be paid quarterly in arrears (2020: \$\$252,519). (Resolution 3)
- To re-elect the following director who retires pursuant to Regulation 105 of the Company's Constitution and who, being eligible, offers himself for re-election:
  - (A) Mr Aw Cheok Huat (Resolution 4)

[see Explanatory Note 1]

- To re-elect the following director who retires pursuant to Regulation 101 of the Company's Constitution and who, being eligible, offers himself for re-election:
  - (Resolution 5)

[see Explanatory Note 2]

To re-appoint Ernst & Young LLP as auditors of the Company and to authorise the directors to fix their remuneration. (Resolution 6)

#### **Special Business**

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without any modifications, the following resolutions as ordinary resolutions:

- 7 That pursuant to Section 161 of the Companies Act, Cap. 50 (the "Companies Act") and Rule 806 of the Listing Manual of the Singapore Exchange Securities Limited ("SGX-ST"), authority be and is hereby given to the directors of the Company (the "Share Issue Mandate") to:
  - (A) (I) issue shares in the capital of the Company ("**Shares**") whether by way of rights, bonus or otherwise; and/or
    - (II) make or grant offers, agreements or options (collectively, "Instruments") that might or would require Shares to be issued, including but not limited to the creation and issue of (as well as adjustments to) warrants, debentures, convertible securities or other Instruments convertible into Shares; and/or

- (III) notwithstanding that such authority conferred by this resolution may have ceased to be in force at the time the Instruments are to be issued, issue additional Instruments arising from adjustments made to the number of Instruments previously issued in the event of rights, bonus or other capitalisation issues, at any time and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes and to such persons as the directors of the Company may in their absolute discretion deem fit; and
- (B) issue shares in pursuance of any Instrument made or granted by the directors of the Company pursuant to (A)(II) and/or (A)(III) above, notwithstanding that the authority conferred by this resolution may have ceased to be in force at the time the Shares are to be issued,

#### provided that:

- (I) the aggregate number of shares to be issued pursuant to this resolution (including Shares to be issued in pursuance of Instruments made or granted pursuant to this resolution) does not exceed fifty per cent. (50%) of the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) (as calculated in accordance with sub-paragraph (II) below), of which the aggregate number of Shares to be issued other than on a pro rata basis to shareholders of the Company (including Shares to be issued in pursuance of Instruments made or granted pursuant to this resolution) does not exceed twenty per cent. (20%) of the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) (as calculated in accordance with sub-paragraph (II) below);
- (II) (subject to such manner of calculation as may be prescribed by the SGX-ST) for the purpose of determining the aggregate number of Shares that may be issued under sub-paragraph (I) above, the percentage of total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) shall be based on the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) as at the time of the passing of this resolution, after adjusting for:
  - (a) new Shares arising from the conversion or exercise of any convertible securities;
  - (b) new Shares arising from exercising share options or vesting of share awards which are outstanding or subsisting as at the time of the passing of this resolution, provided the options or awards were granted in compliance with the provisions of the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST; and
  - (c) any subsequent bonus issue, consolidation or subdivision of shares;
- (III) in exercising the authority conferred by this resolution, the Company shall comply with the provisions of the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST for the time being in force (unless such compliance has been waived by the SGX-ST), all applicable legal requirements under the Companies Act and otherwise, and the Constitution of the Company as amended from time to time; and

- (IV) the authority conferred on the directors of the Company pursuant to this resolution may be exercised by the directors of the Company at any time and from time to time during the period commencing from the passing of this resolution and expiring on the earliest of:
  - (a) the date on which the next annual general meeting of the Company is held or required by law to be held;
  - (b) in the case of shares issued in pursuance of the Instruments, made or granted pursuant to this resolution, until the issuance of such shares in accordance with the terms of the Instruments; or
  - (c) the date on which the authority conferred in this resolution is varied or revoked by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting.

[see Explanatory Note 3]

(Resolution 7)

#### 8 That:

- (A) for the purposes of Sections 76C and 76E of the Companies Act, the exercise by the directors of the Company of all the powers of the Company to purchase or otherwise acquire ordinary shares ("**Shares**") in the issued share capital of the Company not exceeding in aggregate the Prescribed Limit (as hereafter defined), at such price or prices as may be determined by the directors of the Company from time to time up to the Maximum Price (as hereafter defined), whether by way of:
  - (I) on-market purchases (each a "Market Purchase") transacted through the SGX-ST trading system or on another stock exchange on which the Company's equity securities are listed; and/or
  - (II) off-market purchases (each an "**Off-Market Purchase**") in accordance with an equal access scheme as defined in Section 76C of the Companies Act,

and otherwise in accordance with all other laws, regulations and rules of the SGX-ST as may for the time being be applicable, be and is hereby authorised and approved generally and unconditionally (the "Share Purchase Mandate");

- (B) the authority conferred on the directors of the Company pursuant to the Share Purchase Mandate may be exercised by the directors of the Company at any time and from time to time during the period commencing from the passing of this resolution and expiring on the earliest of:
  - (I) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company or the date on which such annual general meeting of the Company is required by law to be held;
  - (II) the date on which Share purchases have been carried out to the full extent of the Share Purchase Mandate; or
  - (III) the date on which the authority contained in the Share Purchase Mandate is varied or revoked by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in general meeting;

#### (C) in this resolution:

"Prescribed Limit" means ten percent (10%) of the issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings, if any) of the Company as at the date of the passing of this resolution; and "Maximum Price" in relation to a Share to be purchased, means an amount (excluding brokerage, commissions, stamp duties, applicable goods and services tax and other related expenses) not exceeding:

- (I) in the case of a Market Purchase: 105% of the Average Closing Price; and
- (II) in the case of an Off-Market Purchase: 120% of the Highest Last Dealt Price,

#### where.

"Average Closing Price" means the average of the closing market prices of a Share over the last five (5) Market Days (being days on which the SGX-ST is open for trading in securities), on which transactions in the Shares were recorded, preceding the day of the Market Purchase, and deemed to be adjusted for any corporate action that occurs after the relevant five (5) day period;

"Highest Last Dealt Price" means the highest price transacted for a Share as recorded on the Market Day on which there were trades in the Shares immediately preceding the day of the making of the offer pursuant to the Off-Market Purchase; and

"day of the making of the offer" means the day on which the Company announces its intention to make an offer for the purchase of Shares from the shareholders of the Company stating the purchase price (which shall not be more than the Maximum Price calculated on the foregoing basis) for each Share and the relevant terms of the equal access scheme for effecting the Off-Market Purchase; and

(D) the directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to complete and do all such acts and things (including executing such documents as may be required) as they may consider expedient or necessary to give effect to the transactions contemplated by this resolution.

[see Explanatory Note 4]

(Resolution 8)

#### 9 That:

(A) authority be and is hereby given for the Company, its subsidiaries and associated companies (if any) which fall within the definition of "entities at risk" under Chapter 9 of the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST or any of them to enter into any transaction falling within the categories of interested person transactions set out in the addendum to this notice of annual general meeting ("Addendum"), with any party who is of the class or classes of interested persons described in the Addendum, provided that such transaction is made on normal commercial terms and is not prejudicial to the interests of the Company and its minority shareholders, and is entered into in accordance with the review procedures for interested person transactions as set out in the Addendum (such shareholders' general mandate hereinafter called the "Shareholders' Mandate");

- (B) the Shareholders' Mandate shall, unless revoked or varied by the Company in a general meeting, continue in force until the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company or the date by which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by law to be held, whichever is earlier;
- (C) the Audit Committee of the Company be and is hereby authorised to take such action as it deems proper in respect of the procedures and/or modify or implement such procedures as may be necessary to take into consideration any amendment to Chapter 9 of the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST, which may be prescribed by the SGX-ST from time to time; and
- (D) the directors of the Company and each of them be and are hereby authorised, empowered to complete and do and execute all such things and acts as they or he may consider necessary or appropriate to give effect to these resolutions and the Shareholders' Mandate, with such modifications thereto (if any) as they or he may think fit in the interests of the Company.

[see Explanatory Note 5] (Resolution 9)

AND to transact any other business which may be properly transacted at an annual general meeting.

By Order of the Board

Lee Changwei, Eugene Joint Company Secretary

Singapore 10 November 2020

#### **Explanatory Notes**

- 1 Mr Aw will upon re-election as a director of the Company, remain as the chairman of the board of directors and a member of the Nominating Committee. Key information on Mr Aw is set out on pages 61 to 69 of the annual report.
- 2 Mr Lau will upon re-election as a director of the Company, remain as chairman of the Remuneration Committee and a member of the Auditing Committee and be considered independent for the purposes of Rule 704(8) of the Listing Manual of the Singapore Exchange Securities Limited ("SGX-ST"). Key information on Mr Lau is set out on pages 61 to 69 of the annual report.
- Resolution 7 proposed in item 7 above, if passed, will empower the directors of the Company to, from the date of the above annual general meeting until the next annual general meeting or the date by which the next annual general meeting is required by law to be held, or when revoked by the Company in general meeting, or the expiration of such other period as may be prescribed by the Companies Act, Chapter 50, and every other legislation for the time being in force concerning companies and affecting the Company, whichever is the earliest, allot and issue Shares, to make or grant Instruments, and to issue Shares in pursuance of such Instruments for such purposes as they consider in the interests of the Company. The aggregate number of Shares that the Directors may allot and issue under this Resolution (including Shares to be issued in pursuance of Instruments made or granted) shall not exceed fifty per cent. (50%) of the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings), of which the aggregate number of Shares to be issued other than on a pro rata basis shall not exceed twenty per cent. (20%) of the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) (including Shares to be allotted and issued in pursuance of Instruments made or granted pursuant to this Resolution), to shareholders. For the purpose of determining the aggregate number of Shares that may be issued, the percentage of issued Shares shall be calculated based on the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) at the time this resolution is passed, after adjusting for: (a) new Shares arising from the conversion or exercise of any convertible securities; (b) new Shares arising from exercising share options or vesting of share awards which are outstanding or subsisting at the time the proposed Resolution 7 is passed; and (c) any subsequent bonus issue, consolidation or subdivision of Shares.
- 4 Resolution 8 proposed in item 8 above, if passed, will empower the Company to purchase or otherwise acquire issued Shares by way of Market Purchases or Off-Market Purchases, in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in the Addendum.
  - Please refer to the Addendum for additional information in relation to the proposed renewal of the Share Purchase Mandate.
- Resolution 9 proposed in item 9 above, if passed, will allow the Company, and its subsidiaries and associated companies or any of them to, from the date of the above annual general meeting until the next annual general meeting or the date by which the next annual general meeting is required by law to be held, or when revoked by the Company in general meeting, or the expiration of such other period as may be prescribed by the Companies Act, Chapter 50, and every other legislation for the time being in force concerning companies and affecting the Company, whichever is the earliest, enter into interested person transactions (details of which are set out in the Addendum).

#### Important notice on AGM arrangements in light of COVID-19

The Notice of AGM has been published on SGXNET and the Company's website at http://www.datapulse.com.sg. A printed copy of this Notice, the proxy form and other documents related to the AGM will **NOT** be despatched to members.

This notice sets out the Company's arrangements relating to, among others, attendance at the AGM via electronic means (including arrangements by which the AGM can be electronically accessed via live audio-visual webcast or live audio-only stream), submission of questions to the Chairman of the AGM in advance of the AGM, addressing of substantial and relevant questions prior to the AGM and/or voting by appointing the Chairman of the AGM as proxy for the AGM.

#### Notes:

- 1. The AGM is being convened, and will be held, by electronic means pursuant to the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) (Alternative Arrangements for Meetings for Companies, Variable Capital Companies, Business Trusts, Unit Trusts and Debenture Holders) Order 2020.
- 2. Due to the current COVID-19 restriction orders in Singapore, Members will not be able to attend the AGM in person. Members will be able to watch the proceedings of the AGM through a "live" audio-visual webcast ("LIVE WEBCAST") via their mobile phones, tablets or computers or listen to these proceedings through a "live" audio feed ("AUDIO ONLY MEANS") via telephone. In order to do so, Members who wish to watch the LIVE WEBCAST or listen via the AUDIO ONLY MEANS must pre-register at <a href="https://complete-corp.com/datapulse-agm/">https://complete-corp.com/datapulse-agm/</a> by no later than 3.00 p.m. on 24 November 2020 ("Registration Cut-Off Time").

Following verification, an email containing instructions on how to access the LIVE WEBCAST and AUDIO ONLY MEANS of the proceedings of the AGM will be sent to authenticated members by 12.00 p.m. on 26 November 2020. Members who do not receive an email by 12.00 p.m. on 26 November 2020, but have registered by the Registration Cut-Off Time, should contact Complete Corporate Services Pte Ltd at +65 6329 2745 or via email at datapulse-agm@complete-corp.com.

Persons holding shares through relevant intermediaries, who wish to participate in the AGM via LIVE WEBCAST or through the AUDIO ONLY MEANS, should contact their relevant intermediaries through which they hold such shares as soon as possible in order for the necessary arrangements to be made for their participation in the AGM.

Members who pre-register to watch the LIVE WEBCAST or listen via the AUDIO ONLY MEANS may also submit questions relating to the resolutions to be tabled for approval at the AGM. Please note that Members will not be able to ask questions at the AGM "live" during the webcast and the audio feed.

All questions must be submitted by 3.00 p.m. on 24 November 2020 ("Questions Cut-Off Date") via the pre-registration website at https://complete-corp.com/datapulse-agm/.

The Company will address substantial questions relevant to the resolutions to be tabled for approval at the AGM as received from Members before the Questions Cut-Off Date, by publishing the answers on SGXNET and the Company's website at http://www.datapulse.com.sg. The Company will, within one month after the date of the AGM, publish the minutes of the AGM, together with responses to subsequent clarifications sought or follow-up questions raised by Members in respect of substantial and relevant matters on SGXNET and the Company's website at http://www.datapulse.com.sg.

- 4. Members (whether individuals or corporates) who wish to exercise their voting rights at the AGM must appoint the Chairman of the AGM as their proxy to attend, speak and vote on their behalf at the AGM. In appointing the Chairman of the AGM as proxy, Members (whether individuals or corporates) must give specific instructions as to voting, or abstentions from voting, in the form of proxy, failing which the appointment will be treated as invalid.
- 5. The Chairman of the AGM, as proxy, need not be a member of the Company.
- 6. The proxy form appointing the Chairman of the AGM must be downloaded, printed, completed and signed by Members and sent to the Company in the following manner:
  - a. if sent personally or by post, be received by the Company's Polling Agent, Complete Corporate Services Pte Ltd at 10 Anson Road, #29-07 International Plaza, Singapore 079903; or
  - b. if submitted by email, be sent as a clearly readable image via email to the Company's Polling Agent, Complete Corporate Services Pte Ltd at datapulse-agm@complete-corp.com,

in either case no later than 3.00 p.m. on 24 November 2020 and in default the proxy form shall not be treated as valid.

- 7. The proxy form appointing the Chairman of the AGM as proxy must be signed by the appointor or his attorney duly authorised in writing. Where the proxy form appointing the Chairman of the AGM as proxy is executed by a corporation, it must be either under its common seal or signed on its behalf by a duly authorised officer or attorney.
- 8. Where the proxy form appointing the Chairman of the AGM as proxy is signed on behalf of the appointor by an attorney, the power of attorney (or other authority) or a duly certified copy thereof must (failing previous registration with the Company) be attached to the proxy form, failing which the proxy form may be treated as invalid.
- 9. The Company shall be entitled to reject the proxy form appointing the Chairman of the AGM as proxy if it is incomplete, improperly completed, illegible or where the true intentions of the appointor are not ascertainable from the instructions of the appointor specified in the proxy form appointing the Chairman of the AGM as proxy.
- 10. In the case of shares entered in the Depository Register, the Company may reject the proxy form if the member, being the appointor, is not shown to have shares entered against his/her/its name in the Depository Register as at 72 hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting, as certified by The Central Depository (Pte) Limited to the Company.

#### Important Reminders:

Due to the constantly evolving COVID-19 situation, the Company may be required to change its AGM arrangements at short notice. Members are advised to regularly check the Company's website or announcements released on SGXNET for updates on the AGM. Further, in view of the current COVID-19 measures which may make it difficult for members to submit completed proxy forms by post, members are strongly encouraged to submit completed proxy forms electronically via email.

#### Personal Data Privacy:

By (a) submitting a proxy form appointing the Chairman of the AGM as proxy to attend, speak and vote at the AGM and/or any adjournment thereof, (b) completing the pre-registration in accordance with this Notice, or (c) submitting any question prior to the AGM in accordance with this Notice, a Member of the Company consents to the collection, use and disclosure of the Member's personal data by the Company (or its agents or service providers) for the following purposes:

- (i) processing, administration and analysis by the Company (or its agents or service providers) of proxy forms appointing the Chairman of the AGM as proxy for the AGM (including any adjournment thereof);
- (ii) processing of the pre-registration for purposes of granting access to Members to the LIVE WEBCAST or AUDIO ONLY MEANS of the AGM proceedings and providing them with any technical assistance where necessary;

- (iii) addressing substantial and relevant questions from members received before the AGM and if necessary, following up with the relevant members in relation to such questions;
- (iv) preparation and compilation of the attendance lists, proxy lists, minutes and other documents relating to the AGM (including any adjournment thereof); and
- (v) enabling the Company (or its agents or service providers) to comply with any applicable laws, listing rules, take-over rules, regulations and/or guidelines.

In addition, the personal data of a Member (such as name, presence at the AGM and any questions raised or motions proposed/seconded) may be recorded by the Company during sounds and/or video recordings of the AGM which may be made by the Company for record keeping and to ensure the accuracy of the minutes of the AGM and a Member of the Company consents to the collection, use and disclosure of the Member's personal data by the Company (or its agents or service providers) for such purpose.