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NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of Transcenta Holding Limited (the "Company") will be held at 218 Xinghu Street, Biobay, B6-501, Suzhou, China on Friday, June 9, 2023 at 10:00 a.m. for the following purposes:

ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

- 1. To receive and adopt the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company and the reports of the directors and auditors for the year ended 31 December 2022.
- 2(a). To re-elect Mr. Jiasong Tang as an independent non-executive director of the Company.
- 2(b). To re-elect Mr. Zhang Zhihua as an independent non-executive director of the Company.
- 2(c). To re-elect Dr. Kumar Srinivasan as an independent non-executive director of the Company.
- 2(d). To re-elect Mr. Xiaolu Weng as an executive director of the Company.
- 2(e). To authorize the board of directors of the Company to fix the respective directors' remuneration.
- 3. To re-appoint Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu as auditors and to authorize the board of directors to fix their remuneration.
- 4. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"THAT:

(a) subject to compliance with the prevailing requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and paragraph (b) below, a general mandate be and is hereby generally and unconditionally given to the directors of the Company to exercise during the Relevant Period (as defined below) all the powers of the Company to repurchase its shares in accordance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations;

- (b) the total number of shares of the Company to be repurchased pursuant to the mandate in paragraph (a) above shall not exceed 10% of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution (subject to adjustment in the case of any consolidation or subdivision of shares of the Company after the date of passing of this resolution); and
- (c) for the purposes of this resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company or any applicable laws to be held; and
- (iii) the date on which the authority set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders in general meeting."
- 5. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"THAT:

- (a) subject to compliance with the prevailing requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and paragraph (b) below, a general mandate be and is hereby generally and unconditionally given to the directors of the Company to allot, issue and deal with additional shares in the capital of the Company and to make or grant offers, agreements and options which might require the exercise of such powers during or after the end of the Relevant Period (as defined below) in accordance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations;
- (b) the aggregate number of shares allotted or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted by the directors pursuant to the mandate in paragraph (a) above, otherwise than pursuant to:
 - (i) a Rights Issue (as defined below);
 - (ii) the exercise of options under a share option scheme of the Company; and

(iii) any scrip dividend scheme or similar arrangement providing for the allotment of shares in lieu of the whole or part of a dividend on shares of the Company in accordance with the articles of association of the Company,

shall not exceed 20% of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution (subject to adjustment in the case of any consolidation or subdivision of shares of the Company after the date of passing of this resolution); and

(c) for the purposes of this resolution:

"Relevant Period" means the period from the passing of this resolution until whichever is the earliest of:

- (i) the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by the articles of association of the Company or any applicable laws to be held; and
- (iii) the date on which the authority set out in this resolution is revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders in general meeting.

"Rights Issue" means an offer of shares open for a period fixed by the directors to holders of shares of the Company or any class thereof on the register on a fixed record date in proportion to their then holdings of such shares or class thereof (subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the directors may deem necessary or expedient in relation to fractional entitlements or having regard to any restrictions or obligations under the laws of any relevant jurisdiction or the requirements of any recognized regulatory body or any stock exchange)."

6. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"THAT conditional upon the passing of the resolutions set out in items 4 and 5 of the notice convening this meeting (the "Notice"), the general mandate referred to in the resolution set out in item 5 of the Notice be and is hereby extended by the addition to the aggregate number of shares which may be allotted and issued or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be allotted and issued by the directors pursuant to such general mandate of the number of shares repurchased by the Company pursuant to the mandate referred to in resolution set out in item 4 of the Notice, provided that such number of shares shall not exceed 10% of the total number of issued shares of the Company as at the date of passing of this resolution (subject to adjustment in the case of any consolidation or subdivision of shares of the Company after the date of passing of this resolution)."

7. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"THAT the grant of 1,500,000 Award Shares to Dr. Germa (the principal terms and conditions of such grant are set out in the Circular) pursuant to the Share Incentive Scheme and on such terms as stipulated in the award letter issued by the Company pursuant to the Share Incentive Scheme be and is hereby approved, confirmed and ratified, THAT the Board be and is hereby authorized to exercise all rights and powers available to it as it may in its sole discretion consider necessary or expedient to give full effect to the grant of the 1,500,000 Award Shares to Dr. Germa, and THAT any and all such acts to effect the aforesaid grant be and are hereby approved, confirmed and ratified."

8. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"THAT the grant of 500,000 Award Shares to Dr. Germa (the principal terms and conditions of such grant are set out in the Circular) pursuant to the Share Incentive Scheme and on such terms as stipulated in the award letter issued by the Company pursuant to the Share Incentive Scheme be and is hereby approved, confirmed and ratified, THAT the Board be and is hereby authorized to exercise all rights and powers available to it as it may in its sole discretion consider necessary or expedient to give full effect to the grant of the 500,000 Award Shares to Dr. Germa, and THAT any and all such acts to effect the aforesaid grant be and are hereby approved, confirmed and ratified."

9. To consider and, if thought fit, pass with or without amendments, the following resolution as a special resolution:

SPECIAL RESOLUTION

"THAT the amended and restated memorandum and articles of association of the Company, as set out in Appendix III to the Circular, be and is hereby approved and adopted as the New Articles of Association of the Company in substitution for and to the exclusion of the existing amended and restated memorandum and articles of association of the Company with immediate effect after the close of this meeting and that any one of the Directors be and is hereby authorised to do all things necessary to implement the adoption of the New Articles of Association."

By Order of the Board **Dr. Yining (Jonathan) Zhao** *Chairman*

Hong Kong, May 17, 2023

Notes:

- 1. All resolutions at the meeting will be taken by poll (except where the chairman decides to allow a resolution relating to a procedural or administrative matter to be voted on by a show of hands) pursuant to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules"). The results of the poll will be published on the websites of Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited and the Company in accordance with the Listing Rules.
- 2. Any shareholder of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint more than one proxy to attend and on a poll, vote instead of him. A proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company. If more than one proxy is appointed, the number of shares in respect of which each such proxy so appointed must be specified in the relevant form of proxy. Every shareholder present in person or by proxy shall be entitled to one vote for each share held by him.
- 3. In order to be valid, the form of proxy together with the power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a certified copy of that power of attorney or authority, must be deposited at the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong or via the designated URL (https://spot-emeeting.tricor.hk) by using the username and password provided on the notification letter sent by the Company not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for the meeting (i.e. not later than 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, June 7, 2023 (Hong Kong time)) or the adjourned meeting (as the case may be). Completion and return of the form of proxy shall not preclude a shareholder of the Company from attending and voting in person at the meeting and, in such event, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to be revoked.
- 4. For determining the entitlement to attend and vote at the meeting, the Register of Members of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, June 6, 2023 to Friday, June 9, 2023, both dates inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares will be registered. In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting, unregistered holders of shares of the Company shall ensure that all transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's branch share registrar in Hong Kong, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong for registration not later than 4:30 p.m. on Monday, June 5, 2023.
- 5. Shareholders can view and listen to the Annual General Meeting through online access by visiting the e-Meeting System. Accessing the meeting online will not constitute attendance at the Annual General Meeting. Shareholders who view and listen to the Annual General Meeting using the e-Meeting System will not be counted towards the quorum nor will they be able to cast their votes online. Shareholders may submit questions relevant to the proposed resolutions in advance before 5:00 p.m. on Friday, June 2, 2023 to the Board by email, telephone, or letter. Details of contact information are set out on page 3 and page 89 of the Annual Report 2022 of the Company. The Board and/or the Company will endeavour to address relevant questions in relation to the resolutions to be proposed for approval at the Annual General Meeting and may, at their discretion, respond to substantial and relevant questions.

The Company would like to remind all Shareholders that physical attendance in person at the Annual General Meeting is not necessary for the purpose of exercising voting rights. As an alternative, by using proxy forms with voting instructions inserted, Shareholders may appoint the Chairman of the Annual General Meeting as their proxy to vote on the relevant resolutions at the Annual General Meeting instead of attending the Annual General Meeting in person.

Registered Shareholders will receive a separate notification letter with personalised username and password for the e-Meeting System. Non-registered Shareholders whose Shares are held in the Central Clearing and Settlement System through bank, stockbroker, custodians or Hong Kong Securities Clearing Company Limited (collectively the "Intermediary") may also be able to view and listen to the Annual General Meeting online through the e-Meeting System. In this regard, they should consult directly with their Intermediary for the necessary arrangements and the username and password will be sent to them upon receipt of request. Without the login details, non-registered Shareholders will not be able to view and listen to the Annual General Meeting using the e-Meeting System. Shareholders should note that viewing and listening to the Annual General Meeting using the e-Meeting System will not be counted towards the quorum nor will they be able to cast their votes online.

The e-Meeting System will be open for Shareholders to log in approximately 30 minutes prior to the commencement of the Annual General Meeting and can be accessed from any location with internet connection by a smart phone, tablet device or computer.

- 6. A circular containing further details concerning items 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 set out in the above notice will be sent to all shareholders of the Company.
- 7. References to time and dates in this notice are to Hong Kong time and dates.

As at the date of this notice, the board of directors of the Company comprises Dr. Xueming Qian as executive Director and chief executive officer, Mr. Xiaolu Weng as executive Director, Dr. Yining (Jonathan) Zhao as chairman and non-executive Director, and Mr. Jiasong Tang, Dr. Jun Bao, Mr. Zhihua Zhang and Dr. Kumar Srinivasan as independent non-executive Directors.