

Everbright China Focus Fund Ranked No. 4 among Emerging Market Asia Equity Hedge Funds for Past Three-Year Performance by Leading Hedge Fund Research Firm BarclayHedge

28 February 2018 – **China Everbright Limited** ("CEL", stock code: 165.HK)'s Everbright China Focus Fund (subsequently referred to as "the Fund") was ranked No.4 among 257 Emerging Market Asia hedge funds by leading hedge fund research firm BarclayHedge for delivering 22.93% net annualized return for the past three years between 2015 and 2017.

The Fund since inception in January 2014 has been managed by Keith Wu, Managing Director of China Everbright Limited. The Fund carries an absolute return mandate and its investment philosophy is to exploit the high growth opportunities in Greater China equity markets so as to generate compounded long-term absolute return for its investors. For the past four years since inception, the Fund has delivered 130.32% net (22.67% net annualized return) as of January 31st, 2018, with a Sharpe ratio of 1.45. The Fund was also ranked No. 1 in 2015 by BarclayHedge for single-year performance among Emerging Market Asia hedge funds.

Founded in 1985, BarclayHedge is one of the foremost sources for proprietary research in alternative investments. It is dedicated to serving institutional clients worldwide in the field of hedge fund and managed futures performance measurement and portfolio management. The BarclayHedge Alternative Investment Database tracks and analyzes the performance of 7644 hedge fund and managed futures investment programs worldwide. The BarclayHedge hedge fund and managed futures (CTA) indices are utilized worldwide by financial media and investment consultants as performance benchmarks for the alternative investment industry.

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About China Everbright Limited

China Everbright Limited (CEL, stock code: 165.HK) was established in Hong Kong in 1997. As a member of China Everbright Group, CEL is China's leading cross-border investment and asset management company. CEL manages private equity funds, venture capital funds, sector focus funds, mezzanine funds, fund of funds, fixed income and equity funds. CEL utilises its strong capital strength and cultivates a number of high-growth-potential enterprises together with its investors. While closely following the development requirements of Chinese enterprises, it also seamlessly merges the best in overseas technologies with the Chinese market, providing diversified financial services for its Chinese clients involved in overseas investment.

As at the end of 2017, CEL managed 44 funds and completed fundraising scale of HKD 121.7 billion. Through both fund management and principal investment businesses, CEL has invested in companies both in China and globally, including China UMS, GDS, Goldwind, CECEP Wind-power Corporation, Nanjing Gaosu Chuandong, HC SemiTek, Beijing Genomics Institute, Betta Pharmaceuticals, Beingmate, Focus Media, iQiYi, Miaopai, Albania Capital Airport, Wish and BEP. It has invested in a total of over 300 companies, covering fields including real estate, pharmaceuticals, new energy, infrastructure, advanced technology, high-level manufacturing, financial technology and cultural consumption. Of these, more than 150 companies have been listed in China or overseas, or were listed and have withdrawn due to mergers and acquisitions.

CEL is the second-largest shareholder of Everbright Securities (stock code: 601788.SH, 6178.HK) and a strategic shareholder of China Everbright Bank (stock code: 601818.SH, 6818.HK). It is also the largest shareholder of Everbright Jiabao Company Limited (stock code: 600622.SH). On the Hong Kong listing, it is the largest shareholder of China Aircraft Leasing Group Holdings Limited (stock code: 1848.HK). On the Singapore listing, it is the second-largest shareholder of Ying Li International Real Estate Limited (stock code: 5DM. SGX). CEL and its subsidiary companies currently have offices in Hong Kong, Beijing, Shanghai, Shenzhen, Tianjin, Singapore and Dublin.

CEL became one of the first Hong Kong stocks to be traded following the launches of the Shanghai-Hong Kong and Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect programmes in April 2014 and December 2016.

CEL adheres to the motto "The Power to Transform". With a firm footing in Hong Kong – a true bridge between east and west – the Group is well positioned to take advantage of the long-term opportunities presented by changes in the Chinese market, respond flexibly, and become a leader in Chinese cross-border investment and asset management.

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