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FIRST SHANGHAI INVESTMENTS LIMITED

(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 227)

POSITIVE PROFIT ALERT

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The board of directors of the Company (the "Board") wishes to inform its shareholders and potential investors that the Group is expected to record an increase of not less than 15 times in profit attributable to shareholders of the Company for the six months ended 30th June 2015, as compared to the corresponding period in 2014. Such expected increase is mainly attributable to (1) the significant growth in our brokerage and securities investment businesses due to the booming market turnover and expansion of customer base; and (2) the expected increase in share of profit from the Group's investment in a listed associate as a result of the recognition of a realised gain from its equity investment.

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By order of the Board
First Shanghai Investments Limited
Lo Yuen Yat
Chairman

Hong Kong, 11th August 2015

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises three executive directors, being Mr. Lo Yuen Yat, Mr. Xin Shulin and Mr. Yeung Wai Kin; one non-executive director, Mr. Kwok Lam Kwong, Larry, B.B.S., J.P.; and four independent non-executive directors, being Prof. Woo Chia-Wei, Mr. Liu Ji, Mr. Yu Qihao and Mr. Zhou Xiaohe.