## Tender of

RMB-denominated 2.41 per cent. Bonds due 2023 (the "Additional 2023 Bonds") (to be consolidated and form a single series with the RMB9.5 billion 2.41 per cent. Bonds due 2023 (the "Original 2023 Bonds"))

## and

RMB-denominated 2.50 per cent. Bonds due 2026 (the "Additional 2026 Bonds") (to be consolidated and form a single series with the RMB2.0 billion 2.50 per cent. Bonds due 2026 (the "Original 2026 Bonds"))

#### and

RMB-denominated 4.15 per cent. Bonds due 2031 (the "Additional 2031 Bonds") (to be consolidated and form a single series with the RMB1.5 billion 4.15 per cent. Bonds due 2031 (the "Original 2031 Bonds"))

## To be held on 17 November 2021

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The Ministry of Finance of the People's Republic of China (the "Ministry of Finance") announces that a tender of the Additional 2023 Bonds, the Additional 2026 Bonds and the Additional 2031 Bonds (together, the "Additional Bonds") of the Central People's Government will be held on Wednesday, 17 November 2021, for settlement on Friday, 19 November 2021.

A total of RMB3.0 billion Additional 2023 Bonds, RMB2.0 billion Additional 2026 Bonds and RMB1.0 billion Additional 2031 Bonds will be made available for competitive tender on a price-bid basis by any qualified Central Moneymarkets Unit ("CMU") members through the CMU BID. Upon issuance, the Additional 2023 Bonds will be consolidated and form a single series with the Original 2023 Bonds (the "2023 Bonds"), the Additional 2026 Bonds will be consolidated and form a single series with the Original 2026 Bonds (the "2026 Bonds") and the Additional 2031 Bonds will be consolidated and form a single series with the Original 2031 Bonds (the "2031 Bonds", together with the 2023 Bonds and the 2026 Bonds, the "Bonds"). The 2023 Bonds bear interest at 2.41 per cent. per annum. The 2026 Bonds bear interest at 2.50 per cent. per annum. The 2031 Bonds bear interest at 4.15 per cent. per annum. The 2023 Bonds, the 2026 Bonds and the 2031 Bonds will mature in 2023, 2026 and 2031, respectively, on the last interest payment date of the relevant series of Bonds. Each series of Additional Bonds will be issued at the uniform issue price i.e. the lowest accepted price of the successful competitive tender bids for the relevant series, plus accrued interest.

Each tender must be for an amount of RMB500,000 or integral multiples thereof and the difference between any specified tender price should be at least 0.01%, rounded to two decimal places.

The tender results will be published on the website of the Hong Kong Monetary Authority ("HKMA") (https://www.hkma.gov.hk) and the CMU Bond Price Bulletin (https://www.cmu.org.hk).

The Tender Information Memorandum of the Ministry of Finance dated 11 November 2021 includes the details of the tender of the Additional Bonds, including the terms of the Bonds, the tender arrangements and the application, payment and settlement procedures. Copies of the Tender Information Memorandum can be obtained from the HKMA at 55/F, Two International Finance Centre, 8 Finance Street, Central, Hong Kong (Tel: 8100 0136) or from the Issuing and Lodging Agent, Bank of Communications Co., Ltd, Hong Kong Branch at 20 Pedder Street, Central, Hong Kong (Tel: 2315 7386 / 2315 7387). It can also be downloaded from the respective websites of the HKMA and the Issuing and Lodging Agent at https://www.bankcomm.com.hk.

The Ministry of Finance will tender the Additional Bonds through the CMU BID. The tender and settlement of the Additional Bonds will be governed by the Tender Information Memorandum and the Applicable Terms and Conditions of CMU BID issued by the HKMA as the system administrator and service provider of the CMU BID, as amended from time to time, the CMU Operating Procedures and other relevant CMU rules (subject to any amendments under the Tender Information Memorandum).

The Ministry of Finance has appointed Bank of Communications Co., Ltd. Hong Kong Branch as the Issuing and Lodging Agent to administer the tender of the Additional Bonds on its behalf.

The Ministry of Finance of the People's Republic of China

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#### **Bonds Tender Information**

Information of each series of Additional Bonds:

CMU Instrument No. : 2023 Bonds : BCMKFB21002

2026 Bonds : BCMKFB21003

2031 Bonds : BCMKFB16023

Tender Date and Time : Wednesday, 17 November 2021

9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Issue and Settlement Date : Friday, 19 November 2021

Aggregate Principal Amount

Tendered : Additional 2023 Bonds : RMB3.0 billion

Additional 2026 Bonds : RMB2.0 billion

Additional 2031 Bonds : RMB1.0 billion

Denomination : RMB500,000 each

Issue Price : Each series of Additional Bonds will be issued at the lowest

accepted price of the successful competitive tender bids for the

relevant series, plus accrued interest

Maturity Date : Last interest payment date of the relevant series of Bonds in 2023,

2026 and 2031 respectively

Interest Rates and Accrued

Interest

The 2023 Bonds bear interest at 2.41 per cent. per annum and the

accrued interest on each 2023 Bond from and including 27 September 2021 up to but excluding the Further Issue Date is

RMB1,749.73

The 2026 Bonds bear interest at 2.50 per cent. per annum and the accrued interest on each 2026 Bond from and including 27 September 2021 up to but excluding the Further Issue Date is

RMB1,815.07

The 2031 Bonds bear interest at 4.15 per cent. per annum and the accrued interest on each 2031 Bond from and including 15 June 2021 up to but excluding the Further Issue Date is RMB8,925.34

Interest Payment Dates : In respect of the 2023 Bonds and the 2026 Bonds: 27 March and

27 September in each year, subject to the modified following

business day convention

In respect of the 2031 Bonds: 12 June and 12 December in each year, subject to the modified following business day convention

Tender Amount . RMB500,000 or integral multiples thereof and the difference

between any specified tender prices should be at least 0.01%,

rounded to two decimal places

Other details : Please refer to the Tender Information Memorandum

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