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OFFER TO ACQUIRE THE ENTIRE ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF EON CAPITAL BERHAD ("EON CAP")

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On behalf of Hong Long Bank Berhad, please find attached herewith the press release pertaining to the offer to acquire the entire assets and liabilities of EON Capital Berhad.

This announcement is dated 23 April 2010.

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[Press Release \(23 Apr 2010\).pdf](#)

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HONG LEONG BANK BERHAD MAKES APPLICATION TO BANK NEGARA MALAYSIA AND PROPOSES A RIGHTS ISSUE

KUALA LUMPUR, April 23: Hong Leong Bank Berhad (“**HLBB**”) has today submitted its application to Bank Negara Malaysia (“**BNM**”) for its approval for HLBB’s to acquire the entire assets and liabilities of EON Capital Berhad (“**EON Cap**”) (“**Offer**”).

In addition, HLBB has announced its plan to raise capital via a proposed rights issue of up to RM1,600 million to further bolster its capital base for future growth.

“Both HLBB and EON Cap have today submitted our applications to BNM for the Offer.

We target to have our extraordinary general meeting to seek our shareholders’ approval for the transaction by end of May” said Raymond Choong, President of Hong Leong Financial Group Berhad and a Director of HLBB.

“The proposed rights issue, on the other hand, is undertaken to strengthen our capital base after the completion of the acquisition of EON Cap assets and liabilities” Raymond added.

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