Notice of Annual General Meeting

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Twenty First Annual General Meeting of AirAsia Berhad (284669-W) (“AirAsia” or “the Company”) will be held at Asian Aviation Centre of Excellence (formerly known as AirAsia Academy), Lot PT25B, Jalan KLIA S5, Southern Support Zone, Kuala Lumpur International Airport, 64000 Sepang, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia on Wednesday, 4 June 2014 at 10.00 a.m. for the following purposes:-

AS ORDINARY BUSINESS

1. To receive and consider the Audited Financial Statements together with the Reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon for the financial year ended 31 December 2013.  (Resolution 1)

2. To declare a First and Final Single Tier Dividend of 4 sen per ordinary share of RM0.10 for the financial year ended 31 December 2013.  (Resolution 2)

3. To approve Directors’ Fees of RM1,658,875 for the financial year ended 31 December 2013.  (Resolution 3)

4. To re-elect Dato’ Abdel Aziz @ Abdul Aziz Bin Abu Bakar as a Director of the Company, who retires pursuant to Article 124 of the Company’s Articles of Association.  (Resolution 4)

5. To re-elect Datuk Mohd Omar Bin Mustapha as a Director of the Company, who retires pursuant to Article 124 of the Company’s Articles of Association.  (Resolution 5)

6. To re-elect Mr. Robert Aaron Milton as a Director of the Company, who retires pursuant to Article 129 of the Company’s Articles of Association.  (Resolution 6)

7. To re-appoint Messrs PricewaterhouseCoopers as Auditors of the Company and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration.  (Resolution 7)

AS SPECIAL BUSINESS

To consider and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modifications, the following Resolutions:

8. ORDINARY RESOLUTION
RETENTION OF INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

“THAT approval be and is hereby given to Dato’ Fam Lee Ee who has served as an Independent Non-Executive Director of the Company for a cumulative term of more than nine (9) years, to continue to act as an Independent Non-Executive Director of the Company in accordance with the Malaysian Code on Corporate Governance 2012.”  (Resolution 8)

9. ORDINARY RESOLUTION
AUTHORITY TO ALLOT SHARES PURSUANT TO SECTION 132D OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 1965

“THAT pursuant to Section 132D of the Companies Act, 1965 and subject to the approval of relevant authorities, the Directors be and are hereby empowered to issue shares in the Company from time to time and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes as the Directors may, in their absolute discretion, deem fit provided that the aggregate number of shares issued pursuant to this resolution does not exceed 10% of the issued share capital of the Company for the time being and that the Directors be and also empowered to obtain approval for the listing of and quotation for the additional shares so issued on the Main Market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad AND THAT such authority shall continue in force until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company.”  (Resolution 9)
10. To transact any other business of which due notice shall have been given.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND PAYMENT AND DIVIDEND ENTITLEMENT DATE

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN THAT, subject to the approval of the shareholders at the Twenty First Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held on Wednesday, 4 June 2014 at 10.00 a.m., a First and Final Single Tier Dividend of 4 sen per ordinary share of RM0.10 for the financial year ended 31 December 2013 will be paid on 3 July 2014 to depositors whose names appear in the Record of Depositors on Wednesday, 4 June 2014. A depositor shall qualify for entitlement to the dividend only in respect of:-

(a) shares transferred into the Depositor’s Securities Account before 4.00 p.m. on Wednesday, 4 June 2014, in respect of ordinary transfers; and

(b) shares bought on Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad on a cum entitlement basis according to the Rules of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

By Order of the Board

JASMIN DAR A/P SARBAN SINGH
(MAICS 7002687)
Company Secretary
Selangor Darul Ehsan
12 May 2014

NOTES ON APPOINTMENT OF PROXY

a. Pursuant to the Securities Industry (Central Depositories) (Foreign Ownership) Regulations 1996 and Article 43(1) of the Company’s Articles of Association, only those Foreigners (as defined in the Articles) who hold shares up to the current prescribed foreign ownership limit of 45.0% of the total issued and paid-up capital, on a first-in-time basis based on the Record of Depositors to be used for the forthcoming Annual General Meeting, shall be entitled to vote. A proxy appointed by a Foreigner not entitled to vote, will similarly not be entitled to vote. Consequently, all such disenfranchised voting rights shall be automatically vested in the Chairman of the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

b. A member must be registered in the Record of Depositors at 5.00 p.m. on 28 May 2014 (“General Meeting Record of Depositors”) in order to attend and vote at the Meeting. A depositor shall not be regarded as a Member entitled to attend the Meeting and to speak and vote thereof unless his name appears in the General Meeting Record of Depositors. Any changes in the entries on the Record of Depositors after the abovementioned date and time shall be disregarded in determining the rights of any person to attend and vote at the Meeting.

c. A member entitled to attend and vote is entitled to appoint a proxy (or in the case of a corporation, to appoint a representative), to attend and vote in his stead. There shall be no restriction as to the qualification of the proxy(ies).

d. The Proxy Form in the case of an individual shall be signed by the appointor or his attorney, and in the case of a corporation, either under its common seal or under the hand of an officer or attorney duly authorised.

e. Where a member appoints two proxies, the appointment shall be invalid unless he specifies the proportion of his shareholdings to be represented by each proxy.

f. Where a Member of the Company is an exempt authorised nominee which holds ordinary shares in the Company for multiple beneficial owners in one securities account (“omnibus account”), there is no limit to the number of proxies which the exempt authorised nominee may appoint in respect of each omnibus account it holds.

g. The Proxy Form or other instruments of appointment shall not be treated as valid unless deposited at the Registered Office of the Company at B-13-15, Level 13, Menara Prima Tower B, Jalan PJU 1/39, Dataran Prima, 47301 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia not less than forty-eight (48) hours before the time set for holding the meeting. Faxed copies of the duly executed form of proxy are not acceptable.

EXPLANATORY NOTES:

1. Retention of Independent Non-Executive Director (Resolution 8)

Dato’ Fam Lee Ee has served the Board as an Independent Non-Executive Director of the Company for a cumulative term of more than nine (9) years. The Board has recommended him to continue to act as an Independent Non-Executive Director based on the following justifications:

(a) He has fulfilled the criteria under the definition of Independent Director as stated in the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad, and thus, he would be able to function as a check and balance, bring an element of objectivity to the Board;

(b) He has vast experience in a diverse range of businesses and legal matters and therefore would be able to provide constructive opinion; he exercises independent judgement and has the ability to act in the best interest of the Company;

(c) He has devoted sufficient time and attention to his professional obligations for informed and balanced decision making;

(d) He has continued to exercise his independence and due care during his tenure as an Independent Non-Executive Director of the Company and carried out his professional duties in the best interest of the Company and shareholders; and

(e) He has shown great integrity of independence and had not entered into any related party transaction with the Company.

2. Authority to allot shares pursuant to Section 132D of the Companies Act, 1965 (Resolution 9)

Ordinary Resolution 9 has been proposed for the purpose of renewing the general mandate for issuance of shares by the Company under Section 132D of the Companies Act, 1965 (hereinafter referred to as the “General Mandate”). Ordinary Resolution 9, if passed, will give the Directors of the Company authority to issue ordinary shares in the Company at their discretion without having to first convene another General Meeting. The General Mandate will, unless revoked or varied by the Company in a General Meeting, expire at the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting or the expiration of the period within which the next Annual General Meeting is required by law to be held, whichever is earlier.

As at the date of this Notice, no new shares in the Company were issued pursuant to the mandate granted to the Directors at the Twentieth Annual General Meeting held on 4 June 2013 which will lapse at the conclusion of the Twenty-First Annual General Meeting.

The General Mandate, if granted, will provide the flexibility to the Company for any future fund raising activities, including but not limited to further placing of shares for the purposes of funding future investment project(s), repayment of bank borrowing, working capital and/or acquisition(s) and thereby reducing administrative time and costs associated with the convening of additional shareholders meeting(s).