# NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Fourth Annual General Meeting of AirAsia Group Berhad [Registration No.: 201701030323 (1244493-V)] ("the Company") will be held as a fully virtual meeting via live streaming and online remote voting at the Broadcast Venue at RedQ, Jalan Pekeliling 5, Lapangan Terbang Antarabangsa Kuala Lumpur (klia2), 64000 KLIA, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia, on Thursday, 22 July 2021 at 10.00 a.m. for the following purposes:

#### **AS ORDINARY BUSINESS**

1. To receive the Audited Financial Statements together with the Reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon for the financial year ended 31 December 2020.

Please refer to Note A.

2. To approve the Non-Executive Directors' Remuneration as described in Note B for the period from 23 July 2021 until the next Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held in the year 2022.

Please refer to Note B.

- To re-elect the following Directors of the Company who retire by rotation pursuant to Rule 119
  of the Company's Constitution and who being eligible had offered themselves for re-election:
  - (a) Datuk Kamarudin bin Meranun; and
  - (b) Tan Sri Anthony Francis Fernandes
- 4. To re-appoint Ernst & Young PLT as Auditors of the Company and to authorise the Board of Directors to determine their remuneration.

(Ordinary Resolution 1)

(Ordinary Resolution 2)

(Ordinary Resolution 3)

(Ordinary Resolution 4)

### **AS SPECIAL BUSINESS**

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

5. AUTHORITY TO ALLOT SHARES PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 75 AND 76 OF THE COMPANIES ACT. 2016 ("ACT")

"THAT pursuant to Sections 75 and 76 of the Act, the Constitution of AirAsia Group Berhad (the "Company") and subject to the approval of the relevant authorities, where required, the Board of Directors ("Directors") of the Company 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 and to such persons whomsoever as the Directors may, in their absolute discretion, deem fit provided that the aggregate number of shares issued pursuant to this resolution during the preceding 12 months does not exceed 10% of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) of the Company for the time being and that the Directors be and are 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 after the approval was given or at the expiry of the period within which the next Annual General Meeting is required to be held after the approval was given, whichever is earlier unless revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the Company at a general meeting."

Please refer to Note C.

(Ordinary Resolution 5)

6. PROPOSED RENEWAL OF EXISTING SHAREHOLDERS' MANDATE AND NEW SHAREHOLDERS' MANDATE FOR RECURRENT RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS OF A REVENUE OR TRADING NATURE ("PROPOSED MANDATE")

"THAT approval be and is hereby given for the renewal of existing shareholders' mandate and new shareholders' mandate for AirAsia Group Berhad ("the Company") to enter into recurrent related party transactions of a revenue or trading nature with the related parties ("Recurrent Related Party Transactions") as set out in Section 2.3 of the Circular to Shareholders dated 31 May 2021 ("Circular"), subject further to the following:

- i. the Recurrent Related Party Transactions are entered into in the ordinary course of business which are:
  - (a) necessary for the day-to-day operations;
  - (b) on normal commercial terms and transaction price which are not more favourable to the related parties than those generally available to the public;
  - (c) undertaken on arm's length basis; and
  - (d) not to the detriment of the minority shareholders of the Company;
- ii. the shareholders' mandate is subject to annual renewal and this shareholders' mandate shall only continue to be in full force until:
  - (a) the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of the Company following the AGM at which this shareholders' mandate is approved, at which time it will lapse, unless by an ordinary resolution passed at that AGM, such authority is renewed;
  - (b) the expiration of the period within which the next AGM after the date is required to be held pursuant to Section 340(2) of the Companies Act, 2016 ("Act") (but shall not extend to such extension as may be allowed pursuant to Section 340(4) of the Act);
  - (c) revoked or varied by ordinary resolution passed by the shareholders of the Company in a general meeting of the Company,

whichever is the earliest.

**THAT** the Directors of the Company and/or any one of them be and are hereby authorised to complete and do all such acts and things and take all such steps and to execute all such transactions, deeds, agreements, arrangements and/or undertakings as the Directors in their discretion deem fit, necessary, expedient and/or appropriate in the best interest of the Company in order to implement, finalise and give full effect to the Recurrent Related Party Transactions with full powers to assent to any modifications, variations and/or amendments thereto

**AND THAT** as the estimates given for the Recurrent Related Party Transactions specified in Section 2.3 of the Circular being provisional in nature, the Directors of the Company and/ or any one of them be and are hereby authorised to agree to the actual amount or amounts thereof provided always that such amount or amounts comply with the procedures set out in Section 2.6 of the Circular."

Please refer to Note D.

(Ordinary Resolution 6)

### 7. PROPOSED RENEWAL OF SHARE BUY-BACK AUTHORITY OF AIRASIA GROUP BERHAD ("THE COMPANY")

"THAT subject always to the Companies Act, 2016 ("Act"), the Constitution of the Company, the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities") ("Listing Requirements") and all other applicable laws, guidelines, rules and regulations, the Company be and is hereby authorised, to the fullest extent permitted by law, to purchase such number of issued shares in the Company as may be determined by the Board of Directors ("Directors") of the Company from time to time through Bursa Securities upon such terms and conditions as the Directors may deem fit and expedient in the best interest of the Company provided that:

- the aggregate number of issued shares in the Company ("Shares") purchased ("Purchased Shares") or held by the Company pursuant to this resolution does not exceed ten per cent (10%) of the total number of issued shares of the Company at any point in time; and
- ii. the maximum amount of funds to be allocated by the Company for the purpose of purchasing its Shares shall not exceed the amount of the retained profits of the Company at the time of the purchase,

#### ("Proposed Share Buy-Back").

**THAT** the authority to facilitate the Proposed Share Buy-Back will commence immediately upon passing of this ordinary resolution and will continue to be in force until:

- a. the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting ("**AGM**") of the Company, following at which time the authority shall lapse, unless the authority is renewed by ordinary resolution passed at that meeting, either unconditionally or subject to conditions; or
- b. the expiration of the period within which the next AGM of the Company is required by law to be held; or
- the authority is revoked or varied by ordinary resolution passed by the shareholders of the Company at a general meeting,

whichever occurs first, but shall not prejudice the completion of purchase(s) by the Company of its own Shares before the aforesaid expiry date and, in any event, in accordance with the provisions of the Act, Constitution of the Company, Listing Requirements and any applicable laws, rules, regulations, orders, guidelines and requirements issued by any relevant authorities.

**THAT** the Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised, at their discretion, to deal with the Purchased Shares until all the Purchased Shares have been dealt with by the Directors in the following manner as may be permitted by the Act, Listing Requirements, applicable laws, rules, regulations, guidelines, requirements and/or orders of any relevant authorities for the time being in force:

- i. To cancel all or part of the Purchased Shares;
- ii. To retain all or part of the Purchased Shares as treasury shares;
- iii. To distribute all or part of the Purchased Shares as dividends to shareholders;
- iv. To resell all or part of the Purchased Shares on Bursa Securities in accordance with the relevant rules of Bursa Securities;

- v. To transfer all or part of the Purchased Shares for the purposes of or under an employees' share scheme;
- vi. To transfer all or part of the Purchased Shares as purchase consideration; and/or
- vii. In any other manner as may be prescribed by applicable laws and/or regulations and guidelines applied from time to time by Bursa Securities, and/or any other relevant authority for the time being in force,

**AND THAT** the Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to take all such steps as are necessary or expedient (including without limitation, the opening and maintaining of central depository account(s) under the Securities Industry (Central Depositories) Act, 1991, and to enter into or execute, on behalf of the Company, any instrument, agreement and/or arrangement with any person, and with full power to assent to any condition, modification, variation and/or amendment as may be imposed by Bursa Securities or any relevant regulatory authority, and/or as may be required in the best interest of the Company and to take all such steps as the Directors may deem fit, necessary and expedient in the best interest of the Company in order to implement, finalise and give full effect to the purchase by the Company of its Shares."

Please refer to Note E.

#### OTHER ORDINARY BUSINESS

8. To transact any other business of which due notice shall have been given.

By Order of the Board

HARMINDER SINGH A/L JAILA SINGH (P.C. REG. NO. 201908001591) (LS0009855)

REBECCA KONG SAY TSUI (P.C. REG. NO. 202008001003) (MAICSA 7039304)

Company Secretaries Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia 31 May 2021 (Ordinary Resolution 7)

#### **VIRTUAL AGM**

- 1. As part of the measures taken by the Company to curb the spread of COVID-19 and taking into consideration the paramount safety and well-being of the members of the Company, the Fourth Annual General Meeting of the Company ("4th AGM") will be conducted as a fully virtual meeting via live streaming and online Remote Participation and Voting Facilities ("RPV") provided by Tricor Investor & Issuing House Services Sdn Bhd via its TIIH Online website at https://tiih.online. This is also in line with the revised Guidance Note on the Conduct of General Meetings for Listed Issuers issued by the Securities Commission Malaysia on 5 March 2021 (including any amendments that may be made from time to time) ("Guidance Note"). Please follow the procedures as set out in the Administrative Note which is available at the Company's website at www.airasia.com/aagbir.
- 2. The Broadcast Venue is strictly for the purpose of complying with Section 327(2) of the Companies Act, 2016 and Guidance Note which require the Chairperson of the meeting to be present at the main venue of the meeting together with essential individuals.
- 3. Members and/or proxy(ies) and/or corporate representative(s) and/or attorneys **WILL NOT BE ALLOWED** to be physically present at the Broadcast Venue on the day of the 4th AGM, instead are to attend, speak (including posing questions to the Board of Directors via real time submission of typed texts) and vote (collectively, "participate") remotely at the 4th AGM via the RPV provided by Tricor Investor & Issuing House Services Sdn Bhd.

#### **NOTES ON APPOINTMENT OF PROXY**

- 1. Pursuant to the Securities Industry (Central Depositories) (Foreign Ownership) Regulations 1996 and Rule 41(a) of the Company's Constitution, only those Foreigners (as defined in the Constitution) who hold shares up to the current prescribed foreign ownership limit of 45.0% of the total number of issued shares of the Company, on a first-in-time basis based on the Record of Depositors to be used for the forthcoming Annual General Meeting ("AGM" or "the 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 AGM.
- 2. A member must be registered in the Record of Depositors at 5.00 p.m. on 13 July 2021 ("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 thereat 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.
- 3. A member entitled to attend and vote is entitled to appoint not more than two (2) proxies (or in the case of a corporation, to appoint a representative(s) in accordance with Section 333 of the Companies Act, 2016) to attend and vote in his stead. There shall be no restriction as to the qualification of the proxy(ies).
- 4. 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.
- 5. Where a member appoints two (2) proxies, the appointment shall be invalid unless he specifies the proportion of his shareholdings to be represented by each proxy.
- 6. 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.
- 7. The Proxy Form or other instruments of appointment shall not be treated as valid unless deposited at the Registered Office of the Company at RedQ, Jalan Pekeliling 5, Lapangan Terbang Antarabangsa Kuala Lumpur (klia2), 64000 KLIA Selangor, Malaysia or by electronic lodgement via the **TIIH Online** website at <a href="https://tiih.online">https://tiih.online</a> 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**.
- 8. Pursuant to Paragraph 8.29A(1) of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad, all resolutions set out in this Notice will be put to vote by way of poll.

9. By submitting an instrument appointing a proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) to attend, speak and vote at the AGM and/ or any adjournment thereof, a member of the Company (i) consents to the collection, use and disclosure of the member's personal data by the Company (or its agents) for the purpose of the processing and administration by the Company (or its agents) of proxies and representatives appointed for the AGM (including any adjournment thereof) and the preparation and compilation of the attendance lists, minutes and other documents relating to the AGM (including any adjournment thereof), and in order for the Company (or its agents) to comply with any applicable laws, listing rules, regulations and/or guidelines (collectively, the "Purposes"), (ii) warrants that where the member discloses the personal data of the member's proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) to the Company (or its agents), the member has obtained the prior consent of such proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) for the collection, use and disclosure by the Company (or its agents) of the personal data of such proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) for the Purposes, and (iii) agrees that the member will indemnify the Company in respect of any penalties, liabilities, claims, demands, losses and damages as a result of the member's breach of warranty.

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTES:**

A. Audited Financial Statements together with the Reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon for the financial year ended 31 December 2020

This Agenda item is meant for discussion only in accordance with Sections 248(2) and 340(1) of the Companies Act, 2016 ("the Act"). The audited financial statements do not require the formal approval of shareholders and hence, the matter will not be put forward for voting.

B. To approve the Non-Executive Directors' Remuneration for the period from 23 July 2021 until the next Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of the Company to be held in the year 2022 (Ordinary Resolution 1)

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee had recommended and the Board of Directors ("Directors") affirmed that the Non-Executive Directors' Remuneration for the period from 23 July 2021 until the next AGM of the Company to be held in the year 2022 shall remain unchanged as per the financial year ended 31 December 2020, as shown below:

Non-Executive Directors' Fees (per annum)	Non-Executive Chairman (RM)	Per Non-Executive Director/Per other Committee Member (RM)
Board of Directors	N/A	262,500
Audit Committee	75,000	60,000
Nomination and Remuneration Committee	55,000	35,000
Safety Review Board	55,000	35,000
Risk Management Committee	55,000	35,000

Non-Executive Directors' Benefits (per attendance by each Director or committee member)	Board of Directors (RM)	Board Committees (RM)
Meeting allowance	2,000	2,000

Other Non-Executive Directors' Benefits	
Insurance premiums on medical coverage, and other claimable	Up to a total amount of RM100,000 for all Non-Executive
expenses incurred in the course of carrying out their duties.	Directors.

The shareholders' approval being sought under **Ordinary Resolution 1** is for the payment of the remuneration to the Non-Executive Directors of the Company for the period from 23 July 2021 up to the next AGM of the Company to be held in the year 2022 in accordance with the remuneration structure as set out above, and to authorise the Board of Directors to disburse the fees on a monthly basis.

In view of the significant impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and the difficult economic circumstances facing the aviation industry, the Non-Executive Directors of the Company had voluntarily offered to receive a 50% reduction in their fees for the period from 1 May 2020 up to the date of the forthcoming AGM and will continue with such reduction, subject to the shareholders' approval on the above-mentioned remuneration structure, until such time that the Company's financial performance improves significantly, or up to the next AGM of the Company, to be held in the year 2022, whichever is earlier.

### C. Authority to allot shares pursuant to Sections 75 and 76 of the Act (Ordinary Resolution 5)

The Company had at its Third AGM held on 28 September 2020 ("3rd AGM") obtained its shareholders' approval on the general mandate for issuance of shares by the Company pursuant to Sections 75 and 76 of the Act as well as the Additional Temporary Relief Measures to listed corporations for COVID-19, issued by Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities") via its letter dated 16 April 2020 ("Additional Temporary Relief Measures"), for the Directors of the Company to issue ordinary shares in the Company at their discretion provided that the aggregate number of shares issued does not exceed 20% of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) of the Company at any point of time, inclusive of the extended utilisation period until 31 December 2021, unless revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution of the Company at a general meeting ("20% General Mandate").

With effect from 1 January 2022, the 20% General Mandate will be reinstated to a 10% limit pursuant to the Additional Temporary Relief Measures and Paragraph 6.03 of the Main Market Listing Requirements ("MMLR") of Bursa Securities.

As at the date of this Notice, the Company had raised approximately RM454.5 million through placement of shares from the 20% General Mandate pursuant to Sections 75 and 76 of the Act as granted at the 3rd AGM of the Company and empowered by Bursa Securities via the Additional Temporary Relief Measures. The details, purpose and utilisation of proceeds from the placement of shares pursuant to the 20% General Mandate are more particularly described in the Additional Compliance Information section of the Company's Annual Report 2020.

**Ordinary Resolution 5** if passed, will empower the Directors of the Company authority to issue ordinary shares in the Company at their discretion without having to first convene another general meeting provided that the aggregate number of shares issued pursuant to this resolution during the preceding 12 months does not exceed 10% of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares) of the Company at any point of time ("Proposed 10% General Mandate"). The authority for the Proposed 10% General Mandate will, unless revoked or varied by the Company in a general meeting, expire at the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company or the expiration of the period within which the next AGM of the Company is required by law to be held, whichever is earlier.

The Proposed 10% 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(s), working capital and/or acquisition(s), or such other application as the Directors may deem fit in the best interest of the Company, and thereby reducing administrative time and costs associated with the convening of additional shareholders' meeting(s).

### D. Proposed Renewal of Existing Shareholders' Mandate and New Shareholders' Mandate for Recurrent Related Party Transactions of a Revenue or Trading Nature ("Proposed Mandate") (Ordinary Resolution 6)

**Ordinary Resolution 6**, if passed, will allow the Group to enter into Recurrent Related Party Transactions of a revenue or trading nature pursuant to the provisions of the MMLR of Bursa Securities. Please refer to the Circular to Shareholders dated 31 May 2021 for further information.

### E. Proposed Renewal of Share Buy-Back Authority of the Company (Ordinary Resolution 7)

**Ordinary Resolution 7**, if passed, will empower the Company to purchase its own ordinary shares of up to 10% of the total number of issued shares of the Company through Bursa Securities as may be determined by the Directors of the Company at any time within the time stipulated by utilising the funds allocated out of the retained profits of the Company based on the latest audited financial statements and/or the latest management accounts (where applicable) available at the time of the purchase. Details of the Proposed Share Buy-Back are contained in the Statement to Shareholders dated 31 May 2021.