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Everbright Securities International awarded Hong Kong Best Broker at FinanceAsia Awards 2023 second year in a row

Resilient business and winning strategies for clients in uncertain times

Hong Kong, June 6, 2023 – China Everbright Securities International Company Limited (“Everbright Securities International”, “EBSI” or the “Company”) is pleased to announce that the Company is crowned the Best Broker in Hong Kong SAR in Domestic Category at FinanceAsia Awards 2023 for the second consecutive year, a recognition of the Company’s resilience and commitment to delivering world-class financial services amid the challenging year of 2022.

In 2022, the Company recorded growth in its client base and brokerage income from certain products such as leveraged forex trading and local futures, options and stock options. Despite headwinds in the business environment, EBSI’s core business of Wealth Management remained solid and contributed significant revenue, while the business results of Macau branch outperformed the Hang Seng Index, which is attributed to enhanced productivity and cost compression.

To offer more options for clients to diversify risks and strengthen their portfolios’ defensiveness in the volatile market, EBSI continued to expand its selection of wealth management products, which rose 9.8% in 2022, covering approximately 1,700 mutual funds, more than 1,000 bonds and certificates of deposit, over 200 insurance products, etc., making EBSI one of the leaders in the industry in terms of product variety.

EBSI also strives to develop new product ideas drawing on decades of experience through economic cycles and a deep understanding of customer needs. For example, last year it partnered with an investment bank to launch an interest rate-linked note that met investor demand, and identified investment opportunities of long-time idle cash and foreign currency for its clients.

The Company expanded its reach in the capital markets by participating in new projects, such as IPOs for new economy corporations in the metaverse, clean energy, ophthalmic medical care, and e-commerce sectors. The Debt Capital Markets team also served clients in public utilities, state-owned enterprises, and high-rated urban investment enterprises, underwriting their offshore USD bonds and Shanghai Free Trade Zone Euro bonds, among others.

With deep product development, a strong financial position and vast capital markets experience, Everbright Securities International will continue to seize growth opportunities by leveraging the

deepening synergies with its parent company Everbright Securities Company Limited, as well as reinforcing its competitive advantages in product platform, customer services, investment and financing team and international exposure in all-round financial services.

The awardees of the FinanceAsia Awards 2023 organized by the FinanceAsia magazine were selected by a judging panel consisting of leading seasoned industry professionals across the Asia-Pacific region, based on the criteria of Performance/Financials, Vision/Strategy, Key Transactions and Market Position.



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About Everbright Securities International

Everbright Securities International* ("EBSI") is a leading financial services institution. As an international business platform of Everbright Securities Company Limited ("Everbright Securities", SSE: 601788, HKEX: 6178), EBSI is engaged in five key businesses: Wealth Management, Corporate Finance & Capital Markets, Institutional Business, Asset Management, and Investment & Financing, serving individuals, corporations and institutions in Hong Kong, Macau, Mainland China and the U.K.

Operating under the "Everbright Securities International" brand and business brand "EBSI Wealth", as well as service brands "EBSI Private", "EBSI Direct" and "EBSI Forex", EBSI is a full-fledged financial platform providing excellent global financial products and services with Moody's "Baa3" long-term issuer and "Prime-3" short-term issuer credit ratings.

Established in 1996, Everbright Securities is one of the first three innovative pilot companies approved by the China Securities Regulatory Commission. It is also the core financial service platform of Fortune Global 500 company China Everbright Group Co., Ltd. ("China Everbright Group"). Backed by China Everbright Group and Everbright Securities, coupled with its more than

50 years of international financial experience, EBSI is committed to becoming an influential first-class wealth management brand adhering to the business philosophy of “Hong Kong based, Bay Area exposure, global vision”.

EBSI has customer assets of more than HK\$82 billion**. For more information, please visit www.ebshk.com.

** EBSI refers to the group of companies including China Everbright Securities International Company Limited, Everbright Securities International (HK) Limited and their respective subsidiaries, associated and affiliated companies.*

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