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EBSI wins Junding Award for Wealth Management Service Brand at the 2023 China Securities Industry Junding Awards

Hong Kong, July 14, 2023 – China Everbright Securities International Company Limited (“Everbright Securities International”, “EBSI” or the “Company”) is pleased to announce that the Company has won the “Junding Award for Wealth Management Service Brand” at the 2023 China Securities Industry Junding Awards organized by *Securities Times*. This award reflects the Company’s solid reputation and the reliability of its wealth management business brand “EBSI Wealth”, which helped EBSI withstand market volatility. The Company’s outstanding and comprehensive wealth management services are also highly recognized by the industry and customers.

In 2022, EBSI’s wealth management product platform continued to grow, with the number of mutual funds increasing to over 1,700, ESG-related products rising to over 500, bonds and certificates of deposit exceeding 1,000, and insurance products exceeding 200. In addition, the Company offers alternative investments such as wine, trust services, and overseas properties through business partners, making it one of the leading financial platforms in Hong Kong in terms of product variety.

The Company’s overall customer base remained stable last year, among which the number of Asset Power accounts for affluent customers increased by 13.5% and the change in their overall AUM size outperformed that in the Hang Seng Index.

Based on half a century of vast experience and a thorough understanding of customer needs, EBSI has been collaborating with product issuers during market turbulence to develop products that suit clients’ investment appetite and goals in a timely manner. For example, last year, as investors generally preferred hedging and diversified investments, the Company worked with an investment bank to launch a principal-protected interest rate-linked note to meet client needs.

Moreover, EBSI Wealth proactively uncovers investment opportunities that may be overlooked in volatile markets. Given the reduced purchasing power as a result of high global inflation last year, it launched a campaign to analyze the opportunity cost of holding cash for clients and design personalized wealth management plans for them to prevent asset erosion due to excessive hedging.

Adhering to the business philosophy of “Hong Kong based, Bay Area exposure, global vision”, the Company’s Macau branch provides diversified financial products and services to qualified investors in the Greater Bay Area. Its income from wealth management products accounted for more than one third of the branch’s total revenue in 2022, and its yearly results outperformed the Hang Seng Index on the back of improved efficiency and cost saving.

With the support of its parent company, Everbright Securities Company Limited, EBSI will continue

to enrich its diversified product platform and provide clients with more offshore investment opportunities, with the aim to become a first-class wealth management brand in the Greater Bay Area.



Mr. Zhang Bin (4th from right), EBSI's Vice President of Business Development, Corporate Team of Wealth Management, receives the "Junding Award for Wealth Management Service Brand".

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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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