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China Modern Dairy Holdings Ltd.

中國現代牧業控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 1117)

ISSUE OF DOMESTIC SHORT-TERM DEBENTURES IN THE PRC BY MODERN FARMING (GROUP) CO., LTD.*, A NON-WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF THE COMPANY

This announcement is made by the board of directors (the "**Board**") of China Modern Dairy Holdings Ltd. (the "**Company**") on a voluntary basis. The Board is pleased to announce that Modern Farming (Group) Co., Ltd.* (現代牧業 (集團) 有限公司) (the "**Issuer**"), a non-wholly owned subsidiary of the Company has obtained the approval from the National Association of Financial Market Institutional Investors to issue domestic short-term debentures of principal amount RMB200 million at 2.1% per annum, with 365 days tenure ("**Short-term Debentures**") in the People's Republic of China (the "**PRC**").

The Short-term Debentures have been issued to qualified domestic institutional investors in the PRC. China Minsheng Banking Corporation (中國民生銀行股份有限公司) is the lead underwriter and Industrial Bank Co., Ltd. (興業銀行股份有限公司) is the co-lead underwriter for the issue of the Short-term Debentures. The Issuer has been rated an AA+ rating by Golden Credit Rating International Co., Ltd. (東方金誠國際信用評估有限公司). The proceeds will be used for rural revitalization purpose, i.e. the Issuer's purchase of silage and other feeds from farmers in the nearby counties, townships, and villages of the dairy farms, as well as the repayment of the bank borrowings or notes payable generated by the purchase of silage and other feeds.

In accordance with the relevant laws and regulations in the PRC, relevant documents in relation to the Issuer and the domestic Short-term Debentures will be published on the websites of Shanghai Clearing House (http://www.shclearing.com.cn) and China Foreign Exchange Trade System (http://www.chinamoney.com.cn).

For and on behalf of the Board China Modern Dairy Holdings Ltd. Zhao Jiejun Chairman

* For identification purpose only

Hong Kong, 9 January 2025

As of the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. Sun Yugang and Mr. Zhu Xiaohui, the non-executive Directors are Mr. Zhao Jiejun (Chairman), Mr. Zhang Ping, Mr. Chen Yiyi and Ms. Gan Lu, and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. Li Shengli, Mr. Lee Kong Wai, Conway and Mr. Chow Ming Sang.