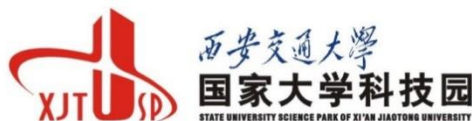


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Chinlink and Xi'an Jiaotong University Science Park Partner to Build Incubation Centres and Closely Cooperate in the Areas of Project Funding, Technology Commercialisation and Mentoring

[8 January 2019 – Hong Kong] Chinlink International Holdings Limited (“Chinlink”, HKSE Stock Code: 0997) and its subsidiaries (collectively the “Group”) and Xi’an Jiaotong University (“XJTU”) Science Park Limited Company (“XJTU Science Park”) are pleased to announce the two parties have signed a ten-year strategic cooperation framework agreement in several areas, including technology and product commercialisation, technology startups incubation, advisory and mentoring and venture capital funding and operation for the technology startups under the XJTU Science Park. By combining their respective resources, the parties will also jointly build additional technology incubation centres in Shaanxi Province and rest of China in order to further explore and cultivate potential technology projects and enterprises. The partnership will help promote the development of technology enterprises in China and create business values for both parties.

Founded in 1996, XJTU Science Park was one of the first national university science parks recognised by the China Ministry of Science and Technology and Ministry of Education in 2001. In 2012, XJTU Science Park was classified as Class A (Excellent) National University Science Park. XJTU Science Park serves as an important window to the community for XJTU and the university’s main platform for its talents, scientific achievements, and incubation of technology and high-tech enterprises.

Under the agreement framework, the incubation centres will utilise the XJTU Science Park’s technology and research resources and talents, and Chinlink’s network and expertise in international capital markets and financial services. Starting from Shaanxi, the incubation centres will focus on discovering and cultivating outstanding local technology projects and enterprises providing business resources, learning and skill developments, mentoring and capital access on an international scale. Furthermore, Chinlink and XJTU Science Park will work together as a new platform for the exchange of technology between western China and rest of the world and to invite strategic emerging industries to land on Shaanxi in order to boost local innovation and economic development.

Mr. Siu Wai Yip, Executive Director of Chinlink, said, "As one of the few listed companies in Hong Kong with major investment in Shaanxi Province, Chinlink has been actively promoting the financial and commercial cooperations between Hong Kong and Shaanxi and our efforts and achievements are widely recognised by the People's Government of Shaanxi Province. In December of last year, the Shaanxi Provincial Department of Commerce appointed Chinlink to be their commerce representative office in Hong Kong. Our new strategic partnership with the XJTU Science Park will further strengthen the Group's role as an international financial platform and allow us to provide better financial services support to Shaanxi's startups."

Mr. Xiong Jianlong, President of XJTU Science Park Limited Company, said, "Through this strategic partnership, we can enhance our role as an important platform for giving long term development and financial support to potential technology projects and talent in western China. We understand that startups, especially at their early stage, require much resources to thrive. With the abundant financial resources of Chinlink together with our rich technology resources, we believe this partnership will facilitate the success of many more technology projects in the future."



Mr. Li Weibin (back row, left), Chairman and Managing Director of Chinlink International Holdings Limited, and Mr. Xiong Jianlong (back row, right), President of Xi'an Jiaotong University Science Park Limited Company, witnessed the signing of strategic cooperation framework agreement by Mr. Yang Zhao (front row, right), Standing Deputy General Manager, China Regional Headquarters of Chinlink International Holdings Limited, and Mr. Zhang Li (front row, left), General Manager of Xi'an Jiaotong University Science Park Limited Company.

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About Chinlink International Holdings Limited

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About Xi'an Jiaotong University Science Park

The Science Park of Xi'an Jiaotong University ("XJTU") leverages the advantages of XJTU in scientific and technological, talent and culture to integrate innovation resources from all sectors of society, commercialise the research and development deliverables, incubate innovative startups, guide founders to launch businesses and innovate, and promote open and coordinated development. It is the key platform for XJTU to connect industry players, universities and academic institutions and contribute to the regional economy. Also, the Science Park successful integration of XJTU and China university science park alliance within the coalition the ability of science and technology resources, and the national university science park brand advantage. The Science Park have won the following designations: "Maker Space", "National Scientific and Technological Business Incubator" by the Ministry of Science and Technology; "University Students Science and Technology Entrepreneurship Practice Base" by the Ministry of Science and Technology and the Ministry of Education; "Maker Space Incubation Base in Shaanxi Province" by Shaanxi provincial government; "SME Public Service Demonstration Platform" and "Startup Incubation Base in Xi'an" by Xi'an municipal government.