

# **GALAXY ENTERTAINMENT GROUP**

## **RECOGNIZED AT THE INTERNATIONAL GAMING AWARDS FOR THE SEVENTH CONSECUTIVE YEAR**

### **VOTED 2018 INTEGRATED RESORT OF THE YEAR**

Hong Kong, 13 February 2018 - Galaxy Entertainment Group ("GEG" or "the Group") (HKEx stock code: 27) received the **Integrated Resort of the Year** award at the prestigious International Gaming Awards ("IGA") ceremony in London on 5<sup>th</sup> February 2018. It is the third time that GEG has received this award, and marks the seventh consecutive year that GEG has been honoured by the IGA.

Widely regarded as the 'Oscars' of the gaming industry, the IGA judging panel comprises leading international industry professionals, specialized journalists, analysts, investors and gaming consultants. The IGA serves to highlight the achievements of outstanding operators (online and land-based) globally. Since the opening of Galaxy Macau<sup>™</sup> in 2011, the Group and its flagship resorts have won different IGA accolades, reflecting recognition of the Group's performance and achievements from the international community.

Along with its 'World Class, Asian Heart' service philosophy, the Group is highly regarded for its innovative and distinct product offerings, as well as for having the most clearly defined development pipeline among the Macau operators. GEG has the largest landbank in Macau with Cotai Phases 3 and 4 comprising approximately one million square metres.

Mr. Francis Lui, GEG Vice-Chairman, said: "We are honoured to receive such a distinguished award from the IGA. This global accolade recognizes our service philosophy and product offerings, but also shows our success in shaping the Group as a well-known brand for integrated resorts. We have an active pipeline of development projects including our Cotai Phases 3 and 4 in Macau, proposed eco-friendly resort in the Philippines and actively pursuing an Integrated Resort license in Japan. We look forward to returning to the IGA again in the future."

Please refer to the Annex for awards Galaxy Entertainment Group has received from the IGA in the past years.

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#### About Galaxy Entertainment Group (HKEx stock code: 27)

Galaxy Entertainment Group ("GEG" or the "Group") is one of the world's leading resorts, hospitality and gaming companies. It primarily develops and operates a large portfolio of integrated resort, retail, dining, hotel and gaming facilities in Macau. The Group is listed on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange and is a constituent stock of the Hang Seng Index.

GEG is one of the three original concessionaires in Macau with a successful track record of delivering innovative, spectacular and award-winning properties, products and services, underpinned by a "World Class, Asian Heart" service philosophy, that has enabled it to consistently outperform and lead the market in Macau.

GEG operates three flagship destinations in Macau: on Cotai, Galaxy Macau<sup>TM</sup>, one of the world's largest integrated destination resorts, and the adjoining Broadway Macau<sup>TM</sup>, a unique landmark entertainment and food street destination; and on the Peninsula, StarWorld Macau, an award winning premium property.

The Group has the largest undeveloped landbank of any concessionaire in Macau. When The Next Chapter of its Cotai development is completed, GEG's resorts footprint on Cotai will double to more than 2 million square meters, making the resorts, entertainment and MICE precinct one of the largest and most diverse integrated destinations in the world. GEG is also planning to develop a world class leisure and recreation destination resort on a 2.7 square kilometer of land on Hengqin adjacent to Macau. This resort will complement GEG's offerings in Macau, and at the same time differentiate it from its peers while supporting Macau in its vision of becoming a World Centre of Tourism and Leisure.

In July 2015, GEG made a strategic investment in Société Anonyme des Bains de Mer et du Cercle des Etrangers à Monaco ("Monte-Carlo SBM"), a world renowned owner and operator of iconic luxury hotels and resorts in the Principality of Monaco. GEG continues to explore a range of international development opportunities including in Japan and the Philippines.

GEG is committed to delivering world class unique experiences to its guests and building a sustainable future for the communities in which it operates.

For more information about the Group, please visit <u>www.galaxyentertainment.com</u>



#### About International Gaming Awards (IGA)

The International Gaming Awards (IGA) ceremony is the Oscars of the gaming community and offers a unique opportunity to meet, mix and mingle with architects of change. The prestigious awards event unites industry professionals from all around the world. It focuses on highlighting the achievements of outstanding operators (online and land-based) globally. For more details, please visit <u>http://gaming-awards.com</u>.

#### Annex

Year	Awards
2012	5 <sup>th</sup> International Gaming Awards
	Casino Operator of the Year Australia/Asia (GEG)
	Casino / Integrated Resort of the Year (Galaxy Macau <sup>TM</sup> )
2013	6 <sup>th</sup> International Gaming Awards
	Casino Operator of the Year Australia/Asia (GEG)
	Casino VIP Room of the Year (Galaxy Macau <sup>TM</sup> 's Sky 32)
2014	7 <sup>th</sup> International Gaming Award
	Casino Operator of the Year Australia/Asia (GEG)
	Outstanding Contribution Award (Dr. Lui Che Woo)
2015	8 <sup>th</sup> International Gaming Awards
	Casino Operator of the Year Australia/Asia (GEG)
	Casino VIP Room of the Year (Galaxy Macau <sup>TM</sup> )
2016	9 <sup>th</sup> International Gaming Awards
	Socially Responsible Operator (GEG)
2017	<b>10<sup>th</sup> International Gaming Awards</b>
	Casino / Integrated Resort of the Year (GEG)
2018	11 <sup>th</sup> International Gaming Awards
	Integrated Resort of the Year (GEG)

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