

## **CEL's subsidiary China Aircraft Leasing Delivers Its 35th Aircraft in Tianjin**

On 18 August 2014, China Everbright Limited's subsidiary China Aircraft Leasing Group Holdings Limited (CALC) delivered its 35th aircraft at the Dongjiang Free Trade Port Zone in Tianjin. The aircraft, an A320-200, is also CALC's first self-purchased aircraft. It was handed over at Airbus China's assembly plant, marking the success of a cooperative effort with China Eastern Airlines Corporation Limited and the Shanghai Free-trade Zone Branch of the China Construction Bank Corporation, who financed the deal.

In August 2013, CALC and China Eastern Airlines entered into a lease agreement for six A320s. The delivery of the latest Airbus A320-200 follows the first, which was assembled on Airbus Germany's production line and delivered to China Eastern Airlines earlier in May.

CALC attributed the success of the deal to strong support from shareholders and the leadership of its operating team. Over the past years, CALC has established a firm foothold in mainland China by leveraging its extensive local and overseas experience operating an aircraft leasing business. The Group added that it is committed to offering the best quality and comprehensive service to its airline clients by providing innovative, value-added leasing solutions that are customized to airline companies.



### **About China Aircraft Leasing Group Holdings Limited**

China Aircraft Leasing Group Holdings Limited (“CALC”; stock code: 1848.HK) is a forerunning aircraft operating lessor in China with offices in Hong Kong, Beijing, Shanghai, Shenzhen and Tianjin, China; Labuan, Malaysia; Toulouse, France and Dublin, Ireland. Through its overseas leasing platform and its domestic leasing platforms in Tianjin and Shanghai, CALC has created competitive advantages through its strategic “dual-platform” business model which enables the Group to provide its airline customers with innovative, flexible and competitive leasing solutions inside and outside China. As an independent aircraft operating lessor, CALC takes advantage of its extensive international financial network to access to a wide range of sustainable sources of financing from the region and beyond.

As of 24 June 2014, CALC owned and managed a portfolio of 32 commercial aircraft. With primary focus on China market, CALC is expanding its footprints into global emerging markets, providing innovative and dynamic leasing solutions to clients around the globe.

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