



志鴻科技國際控股有限公司
EXCEL TECHNOLOGY INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

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Excel Technology
Wins A Caring Company
2003/04 Logo Award



(February 3, 2004 HONG KONG) Excel Technology International Holdings Limited (“Excel”, together with its subsidiaries, the “Group”; stock code: 8048) is honoured to be one of the awardees of the “Caring Company 2003/04 Logo that is announced by the Hong Kong Council of Social Service (HKCSS) today.

Organized by the HKCSS and patron by the Chief Executive of Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, Mr. TUNG Chee-hwa, the Caring Company Scheme recognizes companies that demonstrate the enduring efforts in caring for the community and commitment to corporate citizenship. More particularly, the winning companies must meet in at least two of these six areas of criteria including *Volunteering*, *Family Friendly*, *Employing the Vulnerable*, *Partnering*, *Mentoring*, and *Giving*. According to the HKCSS, about 500 companies win the Caring Company 2003/04 Logo Awards this year.

The award of Caring Company 2003/04 Logo recognizes Excel’s active support and participation in community and philanthropy initiatives towards a better society of Hong Kong. Since the launch of “*Excellers*”, the Corporate Volunteering Program of Excel, in 2002, the *Excellers* have participated in various volunteer community services and charitable activities. To name a few, the company organized a blood drive with the Red Cross in its office in response to the outbreak of SARS. The company held a charity mooncake sale to help raise fund for elderly service for Po Leung Kuk. To support the ACCA Charity Fun Day 2003 for raising funds for those non-profit social welfare and charitable organizations in Hong Kong, Excel sponsored the rickshaw race and games prizes. The *Excellers* visited a Christian old aged home with gift packs during Christmas, and many more.

Ms. Peggy Chan, Chairman and CEO of Excel, said, “We are very delighted today to receive such an honorable award in recognition of Excel’s support in community and philanthropy initiatives in the past year. More encouragingly, we not only motivate our Excellers to get involved in charitable activities and volunteer works to help build a better society of Hong Kong, but also we see a stronger sense of belonging and team spirit within the company. Being a Caring Company, we will continue to support community and philanthropy initiatives with hearts.”

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