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## Value Partners appoints Sean CHANG as Co-Chief Investment Officers,

## **Fixed Income**

**(Hong Kong, 1 February 2023) – Value Partners Group Limited** (together with its subsidiaries, "Value Partners" or "the Group", Hong Kong Stock Code: 806) announces the appointment of Sean CHANG as the Co-Chief Investment Officers, Fixed Income, effective 30<sup>th</sup> January 2023, alongside Co-Chief Investment Officers, Fixed Income, Gordon IP. CHANG and IP will both be responsible for leading the fixed income team to create and manage high quality investment solutions for our clients. Both of them will report to Louis SO, Co-Chairman and Co-Chief Investment Officer of the Group. CHANG joins Value Partners from Ping An of China Asset Management (Hong Kong) Company Limited, where he was most recently Head of Fixed Income for the company. IP will continue to be based in Hong Kong, whilst CHANG will be based in Singapore.

**Louis SO, Co-Chairman and Co-Chief Investment Officer at Value Partners Group** said, "We are delighted to welcome Sean onboard to strengthen our fixed income investment capabilities. His deep knowledge and experience in the Asian fixed income markets will be instrumental in helping Value partners build an even stronger fixed income franchise in partnership with Gordon."

**June WONG, Chief Executive Officer at Value Partners Group** said, "Fixed income is an important pillar of our growth strategy. We are excited to have Sean onboard to help Value Partners further develop our capabilities in this key asset class, so as to better serve the investment needs of our institutional and wealth management clients."

CHANG spent six years with Baring Asset Management (Asia) Limited as Head of Asia Debt Investment, specializing in Chinese Mainland research strategies and China credit decisions, prior to joining Ping An of China Asset Management (Hong Kong) Company Limited. He also held a number of senior positions in Halbis Capital, Mirae Asset Global Investments, Hang Seng Investment Management, Invesco Asset Management Asia, HSBC Private Bank and HSBC Asset Management. CHANG started his career in 1994 and has 28 years of industry experience.

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## **About Value Partners Group Limited**

Value Partners, one of Asia's leading independent asset management firms, seeks to offer world-class investment services and products. Since its establishment in 1993, the Company has been a dedicated, specialist value investor in Greater China and Asia. In November 2007, Value Partners Group became the first asset management firm to be listed on the Main Board of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange (Stock code: 806 HK). In addition to its Hong Kong headquarters, the firm operates in Shanghai, Shenzhen, Kuala Lumpur, Singapore and London. Value Partners' investment strategies cover equities, fixed income, multi-asset, alternatives, real estate and quantitative investment solutions, for institutional and individual clients in Asia-Pacific, Europe and the United States. Value Partners is one of the leaders in ESG investing in Greater China and is committed to developing its ESG capabilities further. For more information, please visit <u>www.valuepartners-group.com</u>.

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