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## **Announcement of Resignation of Director**

The Board hereby announces that it approved Mr. Li Yimin's resignation as director and vice chairman of the Company on 22 June 2004 with effect from the same date.

The Company and all members of the Board hereby confirm the truthfulness, accuracy and completeness of the contents of this announcement and jointly accept full responsibilities for any false representation, misleading statements or material omission.

Due to his health conditions, Mr. Li Yimin tendered his resignation as director and vice chairman of Guangzhou Pharmaceutical Company Limited (the "Company") to the board of directors (the "Board") of the Company. The Board approved Mr. Li's resignation as director and vice chairman of the Company by means of written resolution passed on 22 June 2004 with effect from the same date. Mr. Li confirms that there are no matters that need to be brought to the attention of the shareholders of the Company in relation to his resignation.

The Board hereby extends its appreciation for Mr. Li's efforts and contribution to the Company during the tenure of his office.

By order of the Board **He Shuhua**Company Secretary

Guangzhou, PRC, 23 June 2004

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Mr. Cai Zhixiang, Mr. Zhou Yuejin and Mr. Feng Zansheng as executive directors and Mr. Wu Zhang, Mr. Wong Hin Wing and Mr. Zhang Heyong as independent non-executive directors.

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