## [Revised] Convening Notice of 27<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting

Dear shareholders:

We hereby notify that the 27th Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of the Company will be held pursuant to Article 17 of the Articles of Incorporation of the Company.

- 1. Date/Time: Tuesday March 29, 2022 at 9:00 KST
- 2. Place: Multi Hall 1st floor of Space.1, 242, Cheomdan-ro, Jeju-si, Jeju-do, Korea
- 3. Purpose of the 27th Fiscal Year General Shareholders' Meeting
  - Items to report

     Audit report, Business report, Report on the operating condition of the
     internal accounting control system.
  - 2) Agenda to vote:
    - No. 1 Approval of Consolidated financial statements and Nonconsolidated financial statements for the 27th period (January 1, 2021 -December 31, 2021), including the statement of disposition of retained earnings (draft), cash dividend (Dividend per share 53 KRW)
    - No. 2 Partial change in the articles of the Company [attachment 1]
       No. 2-1: Changes to the subject of granting stock options (Article 10)
       No. 2-2: Changes in the order of acting on behalf of the chairman of the general meeting of shareholders (Article 18)
       No. 2-3: Extension of the interim dividend resolution date (Article 37-2)
       No. 2-4: Changes to other provisions (Articles 8, 26, 36, Addendum)
    - No. 3 Appointment of directors (three inside directors) [attachment 2] No. 3-1: Appointment of Hoon Namgoong as an inside director (two years)
       No. 3-2: Appointment of Sung-soo Kim as an inside director (two years)
       No. 3-3: Appointment of Euntaek Hong as an inside director (two years)
    - No. 4 Approval of the ceiling of remuneration for directors (12 billion won)

- No. 5 Approval for granting stock options previously decided by the board of directors
- No. 6 Retirement of treasury stock [attachment 3]
- No. 7 Revision of the payment regulations for directors' retirement allowance
- No.8: Approval of granting stock options
- 4. Placement of the company's managerial information

In accordance with Article 542-4 of the Commercial Act, the company's managerial information has been placed at the Company's head office and transfer agency (KB Kookmin Bank Securities Agency). This information can also be viewed in the disclosure system of the Financial Services Commission or the Korea Exchange.

- 5. Matters related to exercising voting rights by proxy
  - 1) At this general shareholders' meeting, shareholders may participate and exercise their voting rights directly or indirectly exercise their voting rights based on a power of attorney.
  - If you wish to exercise your voting rights in accordance with electronic voting and electronic power of attorney, please refer to <6. Matters regarding the Exercise of Voting Rights by Electronic Means>
- 6. Matters related to exercising voting rights by electronic means

Shareholders may exercise their voting rights through electronic means, without physical attendance or award an electronic power of attorney by referring to the following methods.

- 1) Electronic Voting Website
  - PC: [https://evote.ksd.or.kr]
  - Mobile: 
     <sup>[</sup><u>https://evote.ksd.or.kr/m</u>]
- 2) Period: March 19, 2022 at 9:00 a.m to March 28, 2022 at 5:00 p.m. (you may access the voting website 24/7 during this period)

- Shareholder may exercise voting rights for each agenda or award an electronic power of attorney after verifying his/her identity through authentication in the system
- 4) Amendment motion
  - If amendment motion on agendas presented at the AGM is submitted, electronic votes will automatically be abstained.
- 7. What to bring to the shareholders' meeting:
  - In-person: an identification
  - Proxy: a power of attorney (with information of the relevant shareholder and the person with the power of attorney filled in, and duly executed and sealed), and an identification of the agent.
- 8. Matters related to COVID-19
  - 1) In order to prevent the infection and spread of COVID-19, a shareholder may be restricted from entry, in case of suspected fever or an attempt to enter without a mask.
  - 2) In addition, depending on the social distancing stage on the day of the general shareholders' meeting, the number of admission may be limited.
  - The company will notify shareholders if there is an unavoidable change of location due to the spread of COVID-19
  - 4) Electronic voting and electronic power of attorney system is highly recommended to prevent the spread of COVID-19

March 14, 2022 Kakao Corp Co-Ceo Mason Yeo, Sean Joh Stock Transfer Agent: KB Kookmin Bank Jae-Geun Lee, President & CEO

#### [Attachment 1] Amendment in Business Objectives

| No. 2-1: Changes to the | subject of gra | nting stock options | 6 (Article 10) |
|-------------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|
|                         |                |                     |                |

| Before Amendments                    | Proposed Amendments                      | Purpose of<br>Amendments |
|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------|
| Article 10. (Stock Option)           | Article 10. (Stock Option)               | Deletion of part of      |
| 5. The number of directors, officers | 5. (deleted) The stock option granted to | provision                |
| and employees of the Company who     | a single director or employee shall not  |                          |
| may be granted with a stock option   | exceed ten percent (10 %) of the total   |                          |
| shall not exceed ninety percent      | number of issued and outstanding         |                          |
| (90 %) of the total number of        | shares.                                  |                          |
| directors and employees in office.   |  |                          |
| The stock option granted to a single |  |                          |
| director or employee shall not       |  |                          |
| exceed ten percent (10 %) of the     |  |                          |
| total number of issued and           |  |                          |
| outstanding shares.                  |  |                          |

# No. 2-2: Changes in the order of acting on behalf of the chairman of the general meeting of shareholders (Article 18)

| Before Amendments                      | Proposed Amendments                     | Purpose of<br>Amendments |
|--|---|--------------------------|
| Article 18. (Chairman of Meeting)      | Article 18. (Chairman of Meeting)       | Clarify order of         |
| The Representative Director shall      | The Representative Director shall       | person to act as         |
| serve as Chairman of the general       | serve as Chairman of the general        | Chairman                 |
| meeting of shareholders. In the event  | meeting of shareholders. In the         |                          |
| that the Representative Director is    | event that the Representative           |                          |
| absent or fails to serve as Chairman   | Director is absent or fails to serve as |                          |
| of any general meeting of              | Chairman, if there is a person          |                          |
| shareholders, the director designated  | designated by the general meeting       |                          |
| by the Board of Directors shall act as | of shareholders such person shall       |                          |
| the Chairman.                          | serve as the Chairman, and if there is  |                          |
|  | no such designated person, the          |                          |
|  | director designated by the Board of     |                          |
|  | Directors shall act as the Chairman in  |                          |
|  | the order prescribed by the Board       |                          |

| No. 2-3: Extension of the interim | dividend resolution date (Article 37-2) |
|-----------------------------------|---|
|                                   |   |

| Before Amendments                    | Proposed Amendments                   | Purpose of<br>Amendments |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Article 37-2. (Interim Dividends)    | Article 37-2. (Interim Dividends)     | Extension of period      |
| 2. The resolution as set forth in    | 2. The resolution as set forth in     | of interim dividend      |
| Paragraph (1) above should be made   | Paragraph (1) above should be made    | resolution               |
| within forty-five (45) days from the | within three (3) months from the date |                          |
| date specified in Paragraph (1)      | specified in Paragraph (1) above.     |                          |
| above.                               |                                       |                          |

| Before Amendments   | Proposed Amendments  | Purpose of<br>Amendments              |
|---|--|---------------------------------------|
| Article 8. (Issuance of Additional Shares)<br>4. In the event new shares are issued to persons other than shareholders pursuant to Paragraph (3) above, matters stipulated under Sections (1), (2), (2-2), (3) and (4) of Article 416 of the KCA must be notified or published for notification to the shareholders by no later than two (2) weeks prior to the date of payment for the new shares; provided, however, that such notice or public notice thereof may be substituted for by making a public disclosure of a report on material facts to the Financial Supervisory Commissions and the Korea Exchange, in accordance with Article 165-9 of FSCMA. | to persons other than shareholders<br>pursuant to Paragraph (3) above<br>(except for Item (2) of Paragraph (3)),<br>matters stipulated under Sections (1),<br>(2), (2-2), (3) and (4) of Article 416 of<br>the KCA must be notified or<br>published for notification to the<br>shareholders by no later than two (2)<br>weeks prior to the date of payment<br>for the new shares; provided,<br>however, that such notice or public<br>notice thereof may be substituted for<br>by making a public disclosure of a<br>report on material facts to the | Change due to<br>business practice    |
| such other officers as deemed<br>necessary and appropriate to operate<br>the Company. Such appointed officers<br>shall not have the right to execute<br>his/her duties and shall regularly  | the Company, <u>(deleted)</u> and the Board<br>of Directors may decide on the hiring<br>criteria of the management required<br>for the daily operation of the  | adoption of system<br>of unregistered |
| Article 36. (Appropriation of<br>Earnings)<br>The Company shall dispose of the<br>retained earnings (including the<br>retained earnings carried over from   | <b>Earnings)</b><br>The Company shall dispose of the   | Change of<br>disposition order        |

|                  | retained e             | appropriati<br>earnings; an | d                                     | of          |             | retained ea             | 0             |       |  |
|------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------|---------------|-------|--|
| 6.               | Retained<br>carried ov | earnings<br>/er             | to                                    | be          | 6.          | Retained<br>carried ove | earnings<br>r | to be |  |
| ADDITIONAL RULES |                        |                             |                                       | ADDIT       | IONAL RULI  | ES                      |               | -     |  |
| (Newly added)    |                        |                             | These Articles of Incorporation shall |             | n shall     |                         |               |       |  |
|                  |                        |                             | be effe                               | ctive on Ma | rch 29, 202 | 2.                      |               |       |  |

#### [Attachment 2] Appointment of directors (three inside directors)

| Name          | Date of Birth | Appointment term | Recommendation made by |
|---------------|---------------|------------------|------------------------|
| Hoon Namgoong | 1972-10-19    | 2 Years          | Board of Directors     |
| Sung-soo Kim  | 1962-01-08    | 2 Years          | Board of Directors     |
| Euntaek Hong  | 1963-12-11    | 2 Years          | Board of Directors     |

#### 1. Details of Director Appointment

#### 2. Professional experience (including present position)

| Name     | Professional experience (including present position)         |
|----------|--|
|          | 1992 Business Administration, Sogang University              |
|          | 2009 - 2010 CEO of CJ Internet                               |
| Hoon     | 2010 - 2012 Representative of CJ E&M Game Division           |
|          | 2012 - 2013 CEO of WeMade                                    |
| Namgoong | 2015 - 2021 Independent CEO of Kakao Games                   |
|          | 2021 - 2022 Head of Kakao Future Initiative Center           |
|          | 2022 - Present Kakao   |
|          | 1988 French Language and Literature, Korea University        |
|          | 1990 Master of Journalism and Broadcasting, Korea University |
| Sung-soo | 2011 - 2018 CEO of CJ E&M                                    |
| Kim      | 2019 - 2021 CEO of Kakao M                                   |
|          | 2021 - Present Independent CEO of Kakao Entertainment        |
|          | 2022 - Present Head of Kakao Corporate Alignment Center      |
|          | 1986 Oriental History, Seoul National University             |
| Euntaek  | 2015 - 2016 Kakao Chief Business Officer                     |
| Hong     | 2016 - 2017 Kakao Social impact Executive Vice President     |
|          | 2017 - 2019 Kakao Makers CEO                                 |

| Name   | Professional experience (including present position) |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| 2018 - 2021 Kakao Commerce CEO                             |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2022 - Present Kakao Co-Head of Corporate Alignment Center |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2022 - Present Kakao Head of ESG                           |  |  |  |  |  |

### [Attachment 3] Decision on Capital Reduction

| Decision on Capital Reduction |                             |  |                        |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|------------------------|--|--|--|
| •                             | 2 220 741                   |  |                        |  |  |  |
| 1. Class and number of        | . ,                         | 3,239,741                                |                        |  |  |  |
| shares to be reduced          | Different classes of stocks | -  |                        |  |  |  |
|                               | (shrs.)                     |  |                        |  |  |  |
| 2. Par value per share (KRV   | N)                          | 100                                      |                        |  |  |  |
| 3. Changes in capital stock   |                             | Before capital                           | After capital          |  |  |  |
|                               |                             | reduction (KRW)                          | reduction (KRW)        |  |  |  |
|                               |                             | 44,662,289,600                           | 44,338,315,500         |  |  |  |
| 4. Changes in number of       | Category                    | Before capital                           | After capital          |  |  |  |
| shares issued                 |                             | reduction (shrs.)                        | reduction (shrs.)      |  |  |  |
|                               | Common stock (shrs.)        | 446,122,896                              | 442,883,155            |  |  |  |
|                               | Different classes of stocks | -  | -                      |  |  |  |
|                               | (shrs.)                     |  |                        |  |  |  |
| 5. Capital reduction ratio    | Common stock (%)            | 0.73                                     |                        |  |  |  |
|                               | Different classes of stocks | -  |                        |  |  |  |
|                               | (%)                         |  |                        |  |  |  |
| 6. Record date for capital i  | reduction                   | 2022-05-03                               |                        |  |  |  |
| 7. Method of capital reduc    | tion                        | Retirement of treasury stocks            |                        |  |  |  |
| 8. Reasons for capital redu   | ction                       | The decision was ma                      | ade to retire treasury |  |  |  |
|                               |                             | stocks in order to enhance shareholder   |                        |  |  |  |
|                               |                             | value                                    |                        |  |  |  |
|                               |                             | - Treasury stocks acquired in the merger |                        |  |  |  |
|                               |                             | process can be disposed by resolution of |                        |  |  |  |
|                               |                             | the general meeting of shareholders in   |                        |  |  |  |
|                               |                             | accordance with the capital reduction    |                        |  |  |  |
|                               |                             | procedure based on Article 343 of the    |                        |  |  |  |
|                               |                             | Commercial Act (Disposal of stocks)      |                        |  |  |  |
| 9. Schedule for capital       | Scheduled date of           | 2022-03-29                               |                        |  |  |  |
| reduction                     | shareholders' meeting       |  |                        |  |  |  |
|                               | Book closure period         | -  |                        |  |  |  |
|                               | Period for Start -          |  |                        |  |  |  |
|                               |                             |  |                        |  |  |  |

|  | submission  | date       |         |  |
|--|---|------------|---------|--|
|  | of old  | End        |         |  |
|  | share   | date       |         |  |
|  | certificates                                      | uale       |         |  |
|  | Scheduled   | Start      | _       |  |
|  | period of   |            |         |  |
|  | trading   | End        | -       |  |
|  | suspension  | date       |         |  |
|  | Scheduled delivery date of new share certificates |            |         | -  |
|  |   |            |         |  |
|  | Scheduled   | listing    | date of | 2022-05-16                               |
|  | new shares  |            |         |  |
| 10. Period for filing                                  | Start date  |            |         | 2022-03-30                               |
| statement of objections                                | End date  |            |         | 2022-05-02                               |
| by creditors   |   |            |         |  |
| 11. Place for submitting                               | old share certificates and                        |            |         | -  |
| delivery of new share certificates                     |   |            |         |  |
| 12. Date of board resolution                           |   | 2022-02-24 |         |  |
| - Attendance of outside                                | Present (No.)                                     |            |         | 4  |
| directors  | Absent (No.)                                      |            |         | 0  |
| - Attendance of auditors (members of Audit             |   |            |         | Present                                  |
| Committee)   |   |            |         |  |
| 13. Subject to reporting to the Fair Trade Commission? |   |            |         | No                                       |
| 14. Other matters to be factored into investment       |   |            |         | (1) Stock details subject to capital     |
| decisions  |   |            |         | reduction: treasury stocks acquired      |
|  |   |            |         | through the new merger stocks allocated  |
|  |   |            |         | to part of Kakao M stocks held by Kakao, |
|  |   |            |         | when Kakao Co., Ltd. and the former      |
|  |   |            |         | Kakao M Co., Ltd. were merged; treasury  |
|  |   |            |         | stocks acquired through the exercise of  |
|  |   |            |         | the right to claim purchase of shares by |
|  |   |            |         | shareholders who oppose the merger;      |
|  |   |            |         | and treasury stocks acquired through the |
|  |   |            |         | fraction shares arising from the merger  |
|  |   |            |         | process, etc.                            |
|  |   |            |         | (2) Method of capital reduction: As only |
|  |   |            |         | 3,239,741 of the Company's treasury      |
|  |   |            |         | stocks, which are part of the Company's  |
|  |   |            |         | 12,137,094 shares, will be               |

| voluntarily/freely retired, there is no   |
|---|
| change in the stocks owned by ordinary    |
| shareholders. Consequently, there is no   |
| procedure for submitting old stock        |
| certificates and delivering new stock     |
| certificates.                             |
| (3) The above "9. Schedule for capital    |
| reduction- Scheduled date of listing of   |
| new shares" is the scheduled date for the |
| change listing.                           |
| (4) The above information and schedule    |
| are subject to change according to        |
| consultation with the relevant            |
| organizations and the resolution of the   |
| general meeting of shareholders; and the  |
| decision of other details (including the  |
| schedule) and specific tasks related to   |
| the capital reduction are delegated to    |
| the CEO.                                  |