

# Bluestar Adisseo Company

## 2023 Annual Report by the Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee

In accordance of *Code of Corporate Governance for Listed Companies*, the *Shanghai Stock Exchange Listing Rules*, the *Articles of Association of Bluestar Adisseo Company* and the *Implementation Rules of the Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee*, the Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee of the Board of Directors (hereinafter referred to as “the Audit Committee”) of Bluestar Adisseo Company (hereinafter referred to as “the Company”) fulfilled their duties in a diligent and conscientious manner in 2023; and played an important role in the supervision of the Company’s external control and the internal control guidance. The 2023 annual work report of the Audit Committee is as follows:

### 1. Basic information of the Audit Committee

Elected by the first meeting of the 8<sup>th</sup> session board of directors in September 2021, members of the 8<sup>th</sup> session of Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee are Ding Yuan (the chairman), Wu Jingwan and Caroline Grégoire Sainte-Marie. Mr. Wu Jingwan resigned as the Director of the Company (including Audit Committee member) on 27<sup>th</sup> October 2023 due to job changes. Deliberated by the thirteenth meeting of the 8th session board of directors on 27th October 2023 and the interim shareholder meeting on 11th December 2023, Mr. Sun Yanfeng was elected as board member and member of audit committee.

The Audit Committee meets the requirements of the *Articles of Association of Bluestar Adisseo Company*, the *Implementation Rules of the Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee* and other related regulations by SSE.

### 2. The Audit Committee Meetings in 2023

In 2023, the Audit Committee convened 7 meetings and the detailed contents of the meetings are as follows:

| Date                           | Meeting                                                                   | Proposals                                               |
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| 15 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 | The ninth meeting of 8 <sup>th</sup> Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee | Discussed the proposal on:<br>1. Quick report of FY2022 |

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| 28 <sup>th</sup> March 2023 | The tenth meeting of 8 <sup>th</sup> Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee      | <p>Deliberated and passed the proposal on:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. 2022 Annual Report and the Executive Summary</li> <li>2. 2022 Annual Final Accounts</li> <li>3. 2022 and 2023 Day-to-day Connected Transactions</li> <li>4. Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee's Report for FY2022</li> <li>5. The Special Report on Occupancy of Non-Operation Funds and Other Fund Transactions with Connected Parties for FY2022</li> <li>6. Self-Assessment Report on Internal Control for FY2022 and Audit Report on Internal Control for FY2022</li> <li>7. Appointment of Auditor and Internal Control Auditor for the year 2023</li> <li>8. Auditing Fees for FY2022</li> <li>9. Financial Service Agreement between Sinochem Finance Co., Ltd. &amp; Bluestar Adisseo Company</li> </ol> |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> April 2023 | The eleventh meeting of 8 <sup>th</sup> Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee   | <p>Deliberated and passed the proposal on:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. 2023 Q1 Report</li> <li>2. Foreign Exchange Hedging Business</li> <li>3. Management Measure for Foreign Exchange Hedging Business of the Company</li> </ol>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 13 <sup>th</sup> July 2023  | The twelfth meeting of 8 <sup>th</sup> Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee    | <p>Discussed the proposal on:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. 2023 H1 Performance Reduction Forecast</li> </ol>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> July 2023  | The thirteenth meeting of 8 <sup>th</sup> Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee | <p>Deliberated and passed the proposal on:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. H1 2023 Report and the Executive Summary</li> <li>2. VISAR Project</li> </ol> <p>Review the item on:</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |

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|                                |                                                                               | 1. Update on Risk, Internal Audit and Internal Control matters<br>2. Update on Auditor fees Matters                                                                                     |
| 25 <sup>th</sup> October 2023  | The fourteenth of 8 <sup>th</sup> Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee        | Deliberated and passed the proposal on:<br>1. 2023 Q3 Report<br>Review the item on<br>1. Update on Risk, Internal Audit and Internal Control matters<br>2. Update on Financing Strategy |
| 12 <sup>th</sup> December 2023 | The fifteenth meeting of 8 <sup>th</sup> Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee | Deliberated and passed the proposal on:<br>1. 2023 KPMG Huazhen Audit Plan<br>2. Management Measures for Donation of the Company                                                        |

### 3. Performance of the Audit Committee in 2023

#### 3.1. Supervise and evaluate the work of external audit firm

##### (1) Evaluate the independence and professionalism of external audit firm

KPMG Huazhen LLP. meets the qualifications specified in the securities law, abides by the independent, objective and fair ethics and professional ethics, and KPMG has performed all the audit work engaged by the company with reasonable resources, professional ability and due attention.

##### (2) Propose to the board of directors to engage the audit firm

KPMG Huazhen LLP. was able to fulfill its duties in the audit work in 2023, following the independent, objective and fair practice standards, cooperated well with the company, and completed the annual audit engaged by the company on timely basis. Thus, the audit committee recommended to renew the appointment of KPMG as the Company's financial and internal control auditor in 2023 and submitted the proposal to the board of directors for deliberation.

##### (3) Monitor and evaluate the diligence of external audit firm

Through the communication and discussion with the auditors on the work related to the Company's 2022 annual report and the results of the audit provided by the accountant for the Company, the Audit Committee believe that KPMG Huazhen LLP. was diligent and responsible

during the audit of the Company and followed the professional standards of independence, objectivity and impartiality.

### 3.2. Supervise and evaluate internal audit work

The Audit Committee has listened to the reports on the annual, half-year, and third quarter work of the internal audit and carefully reviewed the work summary and work plan of the internal audit department for the next year, recognized the feasibility of the plan, and urged the Company's internal audit department to strictly follow the audit plan. After reviewing the internal audit work report, no significant issues were found in the internal audit work.

### 3.3 Review the financial reports of listed companies and express opinions on them

The Audit Committee has reviewed the Company's 2022 quick report, 2022 annual report, 2023 H1 performance reduction forecast, 2023 H1 report and quarterly reports of 2023, effectively fulfilling its supervisory responsibilities and issuing relevant audit opinions. It is believed that the Company's financial reports truthfully, accurately, and completely reflect the Company's financial condition and business management, without the possibility of fraud, fraudulent behavior, or significant misstatement. There are no significant accounting error adjustments, matters involving significant accounting judgments, or matters that lead to non-standard unqualified audit reports.

### 3.4. Evaluate the effectiveness of internal control

The Company has established a relatively sound and perfect internal control management system, which meets the requirements of relevant laws and regulations, conforms to the actual situation of the company, can meet the current development needs of the Company, and various internal control management systems have been effectively implemented.

### 3.5. Coordinate the communication between management, internal audit department and relevant departments and external audit institutions

In July 2023, after listening to the management's report on the audit fees of the external audit institution, the Audit Committee actively supported the fee negotiations with the external audit institution.

At the end of 2023, the Company negotiated with the accountant to determine the 2023 annual financial report audit work plan. The audit committee of the board of directors actively urged and coordinated the communication between the management, internal audit department and

relevant departments and external audit institutions to ensure the timely delivery of the audit report.

#### **4. General evaluation**

The Audit Committee fulfilled their duties with their profound expertise and experience in a diligent and conscientious manner in compliance with the *Code of Corporate Governance for Listed Companies*, the *Shanghai Stock Exchange Listing Rules*, the *Articles of Association of Bluestar Adisseo Company* and the *Implementation Rules of the Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee* in 2023; focused on key issues including periodic reports, related-party transaction, C-SOX as well as major events etc.; contributed to the continuous improvement of the corporate governance; and protected the interests of the Company and shareholders, especially minority shareholders.

Bluestar Adisseo Company  
Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee  
28<sup>th</sup> March 2024

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