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中國太平洋保險(集團)股份有限公司 CHINA PACIFIC INSURANCE (GROUP) CO., LTD.

(A joint stock company incorporated in the People's Republic of China with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 02601)

Price-sensitive Information and Overseas Regulatory Announcement

This announcement is made pursuant to Rule 13.09(1) and 13.09(2) of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited. Please refer to the attached announcement of China Pacific Insurance (Group) Co., Ltd. (the "Company") of a condensed report on the change in shareholding in the Company published by the Company on The Shanghai Stock Exchange on 12 January 2011.

The aforesaid announcement is originally prepared in Chinese. In case of any inconsistency between the Chinese version and the English version, the Chinese version shall prevail.

Stock name: CPIC

Important Notice

The board of directors and all directors of the Company warrant that the content of this announcement does not contain any false descriptions, misleading statements or material omissions. The directors severally and jointly accept liabilities for the truthfulness, accuracy and completeness of the content of this announcement.

CHINA PACIFIC INSURANCE (GROUP) CO., LTD. Condensed Report on the Change in Shareholding

Information on the Listed Issuer:

Name: China Pacific Insurance (Group) Co., Ltd.

Address: 190 Central Yincheng Road, Pudong New District, Shanghai,

People's Republic of China

Place of listing: The Shanghai Stock Exchange and The Stock Exchange of Hong

Kong Limited

Stock name: CPIC (A Shares) and CPIC (H Shares)

Stock code: 601601 (A Shares) and 02601 (H Shares)

The Obligor for Related Information Disclosure:

Name: Parallel Investors Holdings Limited

Address: Rogers House, 5 President John Kennedy Street, Port Louis, Republic of Mauritius

Correspondence address: Rogers House, 5 President John Kennedy Street, Port Louis, Republic of Mauritius

Date of signature:

11 January 2011

Statement

1. The Report is prepared by the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure in accordance with the Securities Law of the People's Republic of China (hereinafter referred to as the "Securities Law"), Management Methods on Acquisitions by Listed Companies (hereinafter referred to as the "Management Methods on Acquisitions"), "Content and Format of Information Disclosure by Public Listed Issuers (Standard 15 - Report on Shareholding Changes)" (hereinafter referred to as "Standard 15") and other relevant laws and regulations.

2. The Obligor for Related Information Disclosure has obtained necessary authorization and approval to sign the Report. The signature by the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure does not violate or contradict any provisions of the articles of association of the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure or its internal rules;

3. The change of interests in the Listed Issuer held by the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure has been fully disclosed in the Report in accordance with the provisions of Securities Law, Management Methods on Acquisitions and Standard 15. As at the signature date of the Report, except from the information disclosed in the Report, the aforesaid Obligor for Related Information Disclosure has not increased or reduced its shareholding in the Listed Issuer through any other means.

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Section I Definitions

In this report, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the following meanings:

Obligor for Related Information Disclosure	Parallel Investors Holdings Limited
H Shares	the H Shares of China Pacific Insurance (Group) Co., Ltd.
Listed Issuer	China Pacific Insurance (Group) Co., Ltd.
Report	this Condensed Report on the Change in Shareholding of China Pacific Insurance (Group) Co., Ltd.
Hong Kong Stock Exchange	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

Section II The Introduction of the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure

1. Basic information on the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure

The Name of the Company: Parallel Investors Holdings Limited

Registered Office: Rogers House, 5 President John Kennedy Street, Port Louis, Republic of Mauritius

Legal Representative: N/A

Registered Capital: US\$567,886,299.00

Registration Number: C51266

Type of Business: Foreign company with limited liability

Scope of Business: Investment holding

Term of Operation: Permanent

Tax Registration Certificate Number: N/A

Names of Shareholders:

Carlyle Asia Partners (PV), L.P. Carlyle Asia Partners (PV II), L.P. Carlyle Asia Partners (Deutschland), L.P. Carlyle Asia Coinvestment, L.P. Carlyle–CPL Partners I, L.P. CPL Investment Partners, L.P.

Correspondence Address: Rogers House, 5 President John Kennedy Street, Port Louis, Republic of Mauritius

Telephone: +230 405 2028

2. Basic information on the directors of the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure

Name	Sex	Nationality	Usual Place of Residence	Position	
Deven Coopoosamy	Male	Mauritius	Mauritius	Director	
Curtis Lyle Buser	Male	U.S.A	U.S.A	Director	
Abdool Azize Owasil	Male	Mauritius	Mauritius	Director	
David Allan Willich	Male	U.S.A	U.S.A	Director	
Wayne Bannon	Male	U.K.	Hong Kong	Director	

3. Holding 5% or more of the issued shares of other listed issuers by the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure

As at the signature date of the Report, the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure did not hold 5% or more issued shares in any other listed issuers.

Section III The Purposes for the Change in Shareholding

Upon the change in shareholding, the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure has no plan to increase or further reduce its interests in the shares of the Listed Issuer in the following six months. In case of any occurrence of any change required to be disclosed under any relevant provisions, the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure shall strictly comply its disclosure obligations in accordance with relevant requirements.

Section IV The Method of the Change in Shareholding

1. Number of Shares and Change in Shareholding Interest Held by the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure in the Listed Issuer

Prior to the change in shareholding, the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure held 828,064,102 H Shares in the Listed Issuer, of which 415,200,000 H Shares were disposed of on 10 January 2011. As at the settlement date on 12 January 2011, it holds 412,864,102 H Shares in the Listed Issuer. Carlyle Holdings Mauritius Limited, a related company of the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure, continues to hold 279,403,498 H Shares in the Listed Issuer.

No.	Counterparty	Number of shares sold (shares)	The number of shares sold as a percentage of the total share capital (%)	Trading price (HK\$/share)	Trading date
1	Allianz Group	198,482,200	-	33.45	2011.1.10
2	Fairholme Capital	144,000,000	-	33.45	2011.1.10
3	Other investors	72,717,800	-	33.45	2011.1.10
Total number of shares sold 41		415,200,000	4.83	33.45	2011.1.10

Details of the disposal of shares are as follows:

2. Means By Which the Change in Shareholding was effected

The change in shareholding occurred through block trades conducted on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange.

3. Approval for the Change in Shareholding

No approval by relevant authorities is required.

4. Issues Relating to the Change in Shareholding

The shares which are the subject of the change in shareholding are not subject to any restriction on rights, such as any pledge, lock-up or ownership dispute.

Section V The Trading of Listed Tradable Shares for the Last Six Months

The Obligor for Related Information Disclosure disposed of 215,832,400 H Shares in the Listed Issuer on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange at the price of HK\$31.15 per share on 30 December 2010. Prior to such transaction, the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure held 1,043,896,502 H Shares in the Listed Issuer.

Section VI Other Significant Events

The Obligor for Related Information Disclosure has no other material information that should be disclosed in respect of the change in its shareholding in the Listed Issuer as at the signature date of this Report.

Section VII The Statement of the Responsible Person of the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure

I (and the entity that I represent) hereby undertake that the Report does not contain any false descriptions, misleading statements or material omissions and jointly and severally accept liability for the truthfulness, accuracy and completeness hereof.

Responsible Person: Wayne Bannon

Parallel Investors Holdings Limited

Date of Signature : 11 January 2011

Section VIII Documents Available for Inspection

1. A copy of the incorporation certificate of Parallel Investors Holdings Limited

2. List of directors and the responsible person and their identification documents

Basic informatio	n	0	0
Name of the	China Pacific Insurance (Group)	Location of	Shanghai, the PRC
Listed Issuer	Co., Ltd.	the Listed	
		Issuer	
Stock name	CPIC	Stock code	601601
Name of the	Parallel Investors Holdings	Registered	Rogers House, 5 President John
Obligor for	Limited	address of the	Kennedy Street, Port Louis,
Related		Obligor for	Republic of Mauritius
Information		Related	
Disclosure		Information	
		Disclosure	
Change in the	Increase Decrease 🗹	Having parties	Yes 🛛 No 🗹
number of	Unchanged, but the shareholders	acting in	
shares held	are changed \Box	concert	
The Obligor for	Yes D No 🗹	The Obligor	Yes D No 💆
Related		for Related	
Information		Information	
Disclosure is		Disclosure is	
the largest		the de facto	
shareholder of		controller of	
the Listed Issuer		the Listed	
		Issuer	
The method of	Through centralized trading on sto	ock exchanges 🛓	\blacksquare Transfer under agreement \square
change in	Administrative allocation or altern	ation	Indirect transfer \Box
shareholding	of state-owned shares		
(multiple			
choices	Acquisition of new shares issued	Enforcement of court ruling \Box	
allowed)	by the Listed Issuer		
	Inheritance		Gift
	Others (please specify)		

Condensed Report on the Change in Shareholding

Number of	Number of shares held:	828,064,102	Shareholding	percentage:	9.63%
shares held by					
the Obligor for					
Related					
Information					
Disclosure and					
the					
shareholding as					
a percentage in					
the issued					
shares in the					
Listed Issuer					
prior to the					
disclosure					
Number of	Change in the number	of shares :	415,200,000	Change in	shareholding
shares held by	percentage: <u>4.83%</u>				
the Obligor for					
Related					
Information					
Disclosure and					
change in					
shareholding					
percentage					
subsequent to					
the change in					
shareholding					
The intention of	Yes D No	$\mathbf{\nabla}$			
the Obligor for					
Related					
Information					
Disclosure to					
further increase					
its shareholding					
in the following					
12 months					

The acquisition	Yes $\underline{\square}$ No \square
or disposal by	
the Obligor for	
Related	
Information	
Disclosure of	
any shares in	
the Listed Issuer	
in the secondary	
market during	
the preceding	
six months	
For reduction of s	shareholding by the controlling shareholder or the de facto controller of the Listed Issuer,
the Obligor for Re	elated Information Disclosure shall also provide explanation for the following items:
Whether the	Yes D No D
interests of the	
Listed Issuer	
and its	
shareholders	
have been	
prejudiced due	
to the reduction	
of shareholding	
by the	
controlling	
shareholder or	
the de facto	
controller	

Whether it is	Yes		No					
the case that				(If	"Yes"	, please specify)		
outstanding								
debt due to the								
Company have								
not been settled,								
guarantees								
provided by the								
Company for its								
liabilities have								
not yet been								
released or								
other								
circumstances								
where the								
interests of the								
Company were								
prejudiced								
when the								
shareholding								
was reduced by								
the controlling								
shareholder or								
the de facto								
controller								
Whether there is	Yes		No					
any approval	105		110					
required in								
respect of the								
change in								
shareholding								
Whether the	Yes		No					
approval is		-	0					
obtained								

Instructions for the completion of this form:

- 1. For the applicable items in the form above, choose "Yes" or "No". Where the answer is "No", explanation must be given in the spaces provided;
- 2. For the inapplicable items in the form, choose "None";
- 3. Explanations, where necessary, can be given and written in the spaces provided;
- 4. The Obligor for Related Information Disclosure includes the investor and the parties acting in concert with it. Where there are a number of Obligors for Related Information Disclosure, one of them may be nominated as the representative to jointly prepare and submit the Report.

Wayne Bannon

Name of the Obligor for Related Information Disclosure (in case of legal person or other entity) (Signature and seal): Legal representative (Signature and seal): Date: 11 January 2011

By Order of the Board China Pacific Insurance (Group) Co., Ltd.

Chairman

Gao Guofu

Shanghai, the PRC, 12 January 2011

As of the date of this announcement, the executive Directors of the Company are Mr. GAO Guofu and Mr. HUO Lianhong; the non-executive Directors of the Company are Mr. YANG Xianghai, Mr. ZHOU Ciming, Mr. YANG Xiangdong, Ms. FENG Junyuan, Mr. WANG Chengran, Mr. WU Jumin, Mr. ZHENG Anguo and Ms. XU Fei; and the independent non-executive Directors of the Company are Mr. XU Shanda, Mr. CHANG Tso Tung Stephen, Mr. LI Ruoshan, Mr. YUEN Tin Fan and Mr. XIAO Wei.