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Report of Foreign Private Issuer

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under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of August 2018

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China Eastern Airlines Corporation Limited

(Translation of Registrant s name into English)

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date August 31, 2018

<u>China Eastern Airlines Corporation Limited</u> (Registrant)

By /s/ Wang Jian Name: Wang Jian

Title: Company Secretary

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OVERSEAS REGULATORY ANNOUNCEMENTS

(I) RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY THE BOARD;

(II) ELECTION OF EMPLOYEE REPRESENTATIVE SUPERVISOR; AND

(III) CHANGE OF MEMBERS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES

OF THE BOARD

This overseas regulatory announcement is made pursuant to Rule 13.10B of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited.

The Company and all members of the Board warrant that the information set out in this announcement is true, accurate and complete, and accept joint responsibility for any false information or misleading statements contained in, or material omissions from, this announcement.

Resolutions Passed by the Board

Pursuant to the articles of association (the Eastern Airlines Corporation Limited (the Company) and the rules for the meeting of the board of directors (Eastern Airlines Corporation Limited (the Company) and as convened by Mr. Liu Shaoyong, the chairman of the Company, the 2018 fourth regular meeting (the Meeting) of the board of directors (the Board) of the Company was held on 30 August 2018 at Shanghai International Airport Hotel.

Mr. Liu Shaoyong, the chairman of the Company; Mr. Ma Xulun, the vice chairman of the Company; Mr. Lin Wanli, Mr. Li Ruoshan, Mr. Ma Weihua, Mr. Shao Ruiqing and Mr. Cai Hongping, independent non-executive directors of the Company; and Mr. Yuan Jun, the employee representative director of the Company were present at the Meeting. Certain supervisors and senior management of the Company also attended the Meeting.

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The directors of the Company (the **Directors**) present at the Meeting confirmed that they had received the Meeting notice and Meeting materials before it was held.

The number of Directors present at the Meeting satisfied the quorum requirements under the Company Law of the People s Republic of China and the Articles. As such, the Meeting was legally and validly convened and held.

The Meeting was chaired by Mr. Liu Shaoyong, the chairman of the Company. The Directors present at the Meeting considered and unanimously passed the following resolutions:

- I. Considered and approved the resolution regarding the adjustment of the members of special committees of the eighth session of the Board. For details of this resolution, please refer to the section Change of Members of Special Committees of the Board of this announcement.
- II. Considered and approved the resolution regarding the appointment of the chief legal adviser of the Company. Below is the biography of Mr. Guo Junxiu (Mr. Guo), the chief legal adviser of the Company:
 Mr. Guo Junxiu, aged 52, is currently the chief legal adviser and the data protection officer of the Company, as well as the chief legal adviser of China Eastern Air Holding Company Limited (CEA Holding). Mr. Guo joined the civil aviation industry in 2007 and worked at Shanxi Financial Institute and Xiamen University. Since April 2007, Mr. Guo has been the chief legal adviser of CEA Holding. Since December 2017, he has been the chief legal adviser of the Company. Since May 2018, Mr. Guo has been the data protection officer of the Company. Mr. Guo graduated from Xiamen University with a bachelor s degree in international law and holds a doctorate degree in law. Mr. Guo is qualified as an associate professor and a lawyer.
- III. Considered and approved the interim financial report of the Company for the year 2018.
- IV. Considered and approved the resolution regarding the selection of producers of A350 aviation supplies POOLING project. The Company will fulfill its disclosure obligations in accordance with the relevant requirements under the listing rules at the place of listing, upon the signing of a definitive agreement by the Company.
- V. Considered and approved the interim report of the Company for the year 2018.
- VI. Considered and approved the resolution regarding the refinement and clarification of subscribers of the 2018 non-public issuance of A shares of the Company. For details, please refer to the announcement published by the Company on the website of the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the **Hong Kong Stock Exchange**) on 30 August 2018.

- VII. Considered and approved the resolution regarding the amendments to the proposal of the 2018 non-public issuance of A shares of the Company. For details, please refer to the announcement published by the Company on the website of Shanghai Stock Exchange on 30 August 2018.
- VIII. Considered and approved the resolution regarding the supplemental agreement of conditional A shares subscription agreement entered into between the Company and Shanghai Juneyao (Group) Co., Ltd. () (JuneYao Group) and Shanghai Jidaohang Enterprise Management Company Limited () (Shang Jidaohang) in respect of matters relating to the refinement and clarification of subscribers of the 2018 non-public issuance of A shares of the Company. For details, please refer to the announcement published by the Company on Hong Kong Stock Exchange s website on 30 August 2018.
- IX. Considered and approved the resolution regarding the connected transactions involving the non-public issuance of A shares and the non-public issuance of H shares, and agreed (i) Juneyao Airlines Co., Ltd. (
 祥 空股份) (Juneyao Airlines), JuneYao Group and Shanghai Jidaohang to subscribe the A shares under the non-public issuance; and (ii) Juneyao Airlines and/or its designated holding subsidiaries to subscribe the H shares under the non-public issuance. For details, please refer to the announcement published by the Company on the website of Shanghai Stock Exchange on 30 August 2018.
- X. Considered and approved the resolution regarding the dilution of current returns by the non-public issuance, remedial measures and supplementary undertakings made by newly appointed Directors in respect of related measures, and agreed the undertakings made by relevant subjects. For details, please refer to the announcement published by the Company on the website of Shanghai Stock Exchange on 30 August 2018.

Election of Employee Representative Supervisor

Pursuant to the relevant requirements of the Company Law of the People s Republic of China, the Articles and the rules for the meeting of the supervisory committee of the Company, the Company held the 2018 third group leaders joint sixth session of the general meeting of the employee representatives of the Company recently, which considered and approved the resolution regarding the appointment of Mr. Gao Feng (Mr. Gao) as the employee supervisor of the Company, for a term of office from 30 August 2018 to the expiry of term of office of the eighth session of the supervisory committee of the Company (the Supervisory Committee). Below is the biography of Mr. Gao Feng:

Mr. Gao Feng, aged 55, is currently the deputy executive chairman of the labour union of the Company, the director of the workers—union, and the vice chairman of the labour union of CEA Holding. Mr. Gao joined the civil aviation industry in 1984. He once worked in China General Aviation Corporation and served as the deputy party secretary and secretary of the disciplinary committee of Shanxi branch of the Company and chairman of the labour union. He was the party secretary of Shanxi Branch of the Company from July 2009 to January 2014. From January 2014 to October 2015, he served as the party secretary, deputy general manager, and executive vice president of China United Airlines Co., Limited consecutively. Since October 2015, he has served as the vice chairman of general affairs of the labour union of the Company and manager of the office of labour union. He has been the vice chairman of the labour union of CEA Holding since April 2018. Mr. Gao graduated from the Party School of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China with a bachelor s degree in economic management. He holds an executive master—s degree in business administration from Fudan University and the title of a senior political work specialist.

There is no service contract entered into between Mr. Gao and the Company in respect of his appointment as a supervisor of the Company. The remuneration of Mr. Gao will be determined according to the remuneration policy of the Company, his responsibilities and the prevailing market conditions.

As far as the Directors are aware and save as disclosed above: (i) Mr. Gao does not presently, and did not in the last three years, hold any other position in the Company or any of its subsidiaries; (ii) Mr. Gao has not held any other directorship in the last three years in public companies the securities of which are listed on any securities market in Hong Kong or overseas; (iii) Mr. Gao has no other major appointment or professional qualification; (iv) Mr. Gao does not have any other relationship with any Director, senior management or substantial or controlling shareholder of the Company; and (v) Mr. Gao does not have, or is not deemed to have, any interests in any shares or underlying shares of the Company within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance.

Save as disclosed herein, the Board is not aware of any other matter in relation to the appointment of Mr. Gao which is required to be disclosed pursuant to Rule 13.51(2) of the Hong Kong Listing Rules and any other matter that needs to be brought to the attention of the shareholders of the Company.

As at the date of this announcement, there were in total three members in the supervisory committee comprising Mr. Xi Sheng, the chairman of the supervisory committee, Mr. Gao Feng, the employee supervisor of the Company and Mr. Li Jinde, a supervisor of the Company.

Change of Members of Special Committees of the Board

Reference is made to the announcement of the Company dated 8 August 2018. The Board hereby announces that it has considered and approved:

(i) the election of Mr. Ma Xulun and Mr. Yuan Jun, the Directors, as members of the Planning and Development Committee of the Company, with a term of office in line with the Board; the members of the Planning and Development Committee of the Company after the adjustment are Mr. Ma Xulun, Mr. Shao Ruiqing and Mr. Yuan Jun, and Mr. Ma Xulun was appointed to serve as the chairman of the Planning and Development Committee of the Company; and

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(ii) the election of Mr. Lin Wanli as a member of the Aviation Safety and Environment Committee of the Company, with a term of office in line with the Board; the members of the Aviation Safety and Environment Committee of the Company after the adjustment are Mr. Ma Xulun, Mr. Li Ruoshan and Mr. Lin Wanli, and Mr. Ma Xulun was appointed to serve as the chairman of the Aviation Safety and Environment Committee of the Company.

By order of the Board

CHINA EASTERN AIRLINES CORPORATION LIMITED

Wang Jian

Company Secretary

Shanghai, the People s Republic of China

30 August 2018

As at the date of this announcement, the directors of the Company include Liu Shaoyong (Chairman), Ma Xulun (Vice Chairman, President), Lin Wanli (Independent non-executive Director), Li Ruoshan (Independent non-executive Director), Ma Weihua (Independent non-executive Director), Shao Ruiqing (Independent non-executive Director), Cai Hongping (Independent non-executive Director) and Yuan Jun (Employee Representative Director).