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SOHO CHINA LIMITED

SOHO 中國有限公司

(incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 410)

CLARIFICATION ANNOUNCEMENT

PRESS REPORTS ON POTENTIAL INVESTMENT IN A NEW YORK OFFICE BUILDING DEVELOPMENT

This announcement is made by the Company pursuant to Rule 13.09 of the Listing Rules to clarify certain recent press reports that the Company is considering an investment in a New York office building development.

Shareholders and investors are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the shares of the Company.

This announcement is made by SOHO China Limited (the “**Company**”) pursuant to Rule 13.09 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “**Listing Rules**”).

The board of directors (the “**Board**”) of the Company is aware of certain recent press reports that the Company is considering an investment in a New York office building development. The Board wishes to inform the shareholders of the Company (“**Shareholders**”) and investors that this report is untrue. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Company has been informed by its controlling Shareholder, Capevale Limited (Cayman Islands), that it is reviewing a possible participation in an overseas property investment which, if undertaken, would be financed entirely from its private resources and managed by third parties independent of the Company and connected persons of the Company.

For the avoidance of doubt, the Company is and remains dedicated to domestic commercial property development activities in the People’s Republic of China (“**China**”) with no intention to divert from this strategy. The Company will remain focused on the Beijing and Shanghai markets and continue to pursue its goal of being China’s premier domestic real estate development company.

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By order of the Board
SOHO China Limited
Pan Shiyi
Chairman

Beijing, the PRC, 17 July 2011

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Mr. Pan Shiyi, Mrs. Pan Zhang Xin Marita, Ms. Yan Yan and Ms. Tong Ching Mau, being the executive Directors, and Dr. Ramin Khadem, Mr. Cha Mou Zing, Victor and Mr. Yi Xiqun, being the independent non-executive Directors.