

11 December 2023

The Board of Directors
Shandong Hi-Speed Holdings Group Limited
38/F, The Center
99 Queen's Road Central
Central, Hong Kong

Dear Sirs,

Re: Shandong Hi-Speed Holdings Group Limited (the "Company" and together with its subsidiaries, the "Group")

We refer to the circular of the Company dated 11 December 2023 (the "**Circular**") in relation to the Subscription under the Investment Agreement entered into between Success Flow International Investment Limited and Choice Faith Group Holdings Limited (each a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company) as investors and VNET Group, Inc. as issuer. Unless otherwise defined, terms used herein shall have the same meaning as those defined in the Circular.

We hereby give and agree not to withdraw our consent to the issue of the Circular with the inclusion of our legal opinions dated 11 December 2023, advice and/or the reference to our name, logo, qualifications, the Confirmation (as defined below) in the form and context in which they respectively appear.

We hereby consent to this letter and the document(s) above being made available for inspection.

We also confirm that as at the Latest Practicable Date, (a) we did not have any shareholding, directly or indirectly, in any member of the Group or any right (whether legally enforceable or not) to subscribe for or to nominate persons to subscribe for securities in any member of the Group; and (b) we did not have any direct or indirect interest in any assets which had been acquired or disposed of by or leased to any member of the Group, or were proposed to be acquired or disposed of by or leased to any member of the Group, since 31 December 2022, being the date to which the latest published audited consolidated financial statements of the Group were made up (the "**Confirmation**").

Yours faithfully,

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