#### PRICING SUPPLEMENT

13 November 2013

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Issuer:

## **BOC AVIATION PTE. LTD.**

## Issue of CNY1,000,000,000 4.50 per cent. Notes due 2018 under the U.S.\$2,000,000,000 Euro Medium Term Note Programme

This document constitutes the Pricing Supplement relating to the issue of Notes described herein.

Terms used herein shall be deemed to be defined as such for the purposes of the Conditions (the **Conditions**) set forth in the Offering Circular dated 8 April 2013 (the **Offering Circular**). This document must be read in conjunction with the Offering Circular. Full information on the Issuer and the offer of the Notes is only available on the basis of the combination of this Pricing Supplement (including Annex 1 to this Pricing Supplement) and the Offering Circular.

Where interest, discount income, prepayment fee, redemption premium or break cost is derived from any of the Notes by any person who is not resident in Singapore and who carries on any operations in Singapore through a permanent establishment in Singapore, the tax exemption available for qualifying debt securities (subject to certain conditions) under the Income Tax Act, Chapter 134 of Singapore (the ITA), shall not apply if such person acquires such Notes using the funds and profits of such person's operations through a permanent establishment in Singapore. Any person whose interest, discount income, prepayment fee, redemption premium or break cost derived from the Notes is not exempt from tax (including for the reasons described above) shall include such income in a return of income made under the ITA.

BOC Aviation Pte. Ltd.

2.	(a)	Series Number:	5		
	(b)	Tranche Number:	1		
3.	Specifie	ed Currency or Currencies:	Renminbi (CNY)		
4.	Aggreg	ate Nominal Amount:			
	(a)	Series:	CNY1,000,000,000		
	(b)	Tranche:	CNY1,000,000,000		
5.	Issue Pr	rice:	100.00 per cent. of the Aggregate Nominal Amount		
6.	(a)	Specified Denominations:	CNY1,000,000 and integral multiples of CNY 10,000 in excess thereof.		
	(b)	Calculation Amount:	CNY10,000		
7.	(a)	Issue Date:	20 November 2013		
	(b)	Interest Commencement Date:	Issue Date		

8. Maturity Date: 20 November 2018

9. Interest Basis: 4.50 per cent. Fixed Rate

(further particulars specified below)

10. Redemption/Payment Basis: Redemption at par

11. Change of Interest Basis or Not Applicable

Redemption/Payment Basis:

12. Put/Call Options: Not Applicable

13. Status of the Notes: Senior

14. Listing: Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited

(SGX-ST).

15. Method of distribution: Syndicated

# PROVISIONS RELATING TO INTEREST (IF ANY) PAYABLE

16. Fixed Rate Note Provisions: Applicable

(a) Rate of Interest: 4.50 per cent. per annum payable semi-annually

in arrear

(b) Interest Payment Dates: 20 May and 20 November in each year

commencing on 20 May 2014 up to and including the Maturity Date provided that if any Interest Payment Date falls on a day which is not a Business Day, the Interest Payment Date shall be postponed to the next day which is a Business Day unless it would thereby fall into the next calendar month, in which event such Interest Payment Date shall be brought forward to the immediately preceding Business Day. For these purposes, Business Day means a day on which commercial banks and foreign exchange markets settle payments in Renminbi and are open for general business (including dealing in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) in Singapore, Hong Kong, New York and Beijing.

(c) Fixed Coupon Amount: (Applicable to Notes in definitive form.)

Each Fixed Coupon Amount shall be calculated by applying the Rate of Interest to each Calculation Amount, multiplying such sum by the actual number of days in the Fixed Interest Period divided by 365 and rounding the resultant figure to the nearest CNY0.01, CNY being rounded upwards.

(d) Broken Amount(s):

(Applicable to Notes in definitive form.)

Not Applicable

(e) Day Count Fraction:

Actual/365(Fixed)

(f) Other terms relating to the method of calculating interest for Fixed Rate Notes:

None

17. Floating Rate Note Provisions:

Not Applicable

18. Zero Coupon Note Provisions:

Not Applicable

19. Index Linked Interest Note Provisions:

Not Applicable

20. Dual Currency Interest Note Provisions:

Not Applicable

## PROVISIONS RELATING TO REDEMPTION

21. Issuer Call:

Not Applicable

22. Investor Put:

Not Applicable

23. Final Redemption Amount:

CNY10,000 per Calculation Amount

24. Early Redemption Amount payable on redemption for taxation reasons or on event of default and/or the method of calculating the same (if required or if different from that set out in Condition 8.5):

CNY10,000 per Calculation Amount

## GENERAL PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO THE NOTES

25. Form of Notes:

Registered Notes: Global Registered Note (CNY1,000,000,000 nominal amount) exchangeable for Registered Notes in definitive form only upon an Exchange Event

26. Additional Financial Centre(s) or other special provisions relating to Payment Days:

Not Applicable

27. Talons for future Coupons or Receipts to be attached to Definitive Notes (and dates on which such Talons mature):

No

28. Details relating to Partly Paid Notes: amount of each payment comprising the Issue Price and date on which each payment is to be made and consequences of failure to pay, including any right of the Issuer to forfeit the Notes and

Not Applicable

interest due on late payment:

29. Details relating to Instalment Notes: Not Applicable

30. Redenomination applicable: Redenomination not applicable

31. Other final terms: Not Applicable

32. Ratings: Fitch Ratings: A-

Standard and Poor's Ratings Services: BBB-

33. Governing law: English

DISTRIBUTION

34. (a) If syndicated, names of Managers: BOCI Asia Limited

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation

Limited

Standard Chartered Bank

(b) Stabilising Manager: BOCI Asia Limited

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation

Limited

Standard Chartered Bank

35. If non-syndicated, name of relevant Dealer: Not Applicable

36. U.S. Selling Restrictions: Reg. S Compliance Category 2; TEFRA not

applicable

37. Additional selling restrictions: Not Applicable

## PURPOSE OF PRICING SUPPLEMENT

This Pricing Supplement comprises the final terms required for issue and admission to trading on the SGX-ST of the Notes described herein pursuant to the U.S.\$2,000,000,000 Euro Medium Term Note Programme of BOC Aviation Pte. Ltd.

## **OPERATIONAL INFORMATION**

(i) ISIN Code: XS0994732401

(ii) Common Code: 099473240

(iii) Any clearing system(s) other than Euroclear Not Applicable

Bank S.A./N.V., and Clearstream or, as the case may be, CDP and the relevant

identification number(s):

(iv) Delivery: Delivery against payment

(v)	Names and addresse	s of a	additional	Paying	Not Applicable
	Agent(s) (if any):				

(vi) Registrar: The Bank of New York Mellon (Luxembourg) S.A.

## RESPONSIBILITY

The Issuer accepts responsibility for the information contained in this Pricing Supplement.

Signed on behalf of

**BOC AVIATION PTE. LTD.** 

..... By: Duly authorised

Phang Thim Fatt
Deputy Managing Director / CFO

## ANNEX 1

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

## PART 1

## **Recent Developments**

On 25 September 2013, BOC Aviation announced that it had placed an order with Airbus for 25 A320 Family aircraft. The order comprised A320 and A321 variants for both the current engine option (CEO) and the new engine option (NEO). The aircraft are scheduled for delivery from 2015 to end of 2019.

### PART 2

The section titled "Taxation – Singapore" appearing from pages 107 to 110 of the Offering Circular shall be deemed to be replaced in its entirety with the following:

#### "TAXATION

## **Singapore**

The statements below are general in nature and are based on certain aspects of current tax laws in Singapore and administrative guidelines and circulars issued by the Monetary Authority of Singapore (MAS) in force as at the date of this Offering Circular and are subject to any changes in such laws, administrative guidelines or circulars, or the interpretation of those laws, guidelines or circulars, occurring after such date, which changes could be made on a retroactive basis. Neither these statements nor any other statements in this Offering Circular are intended or are to be regarded as advice on the tax position of any holder of the Notes or of any person acquiring, selling or otherwise dealing with the Notes or on any tax implications arising from the acquisition, sale or other dealings in respect of the Notes. The statements made herein do not purport to be a comprehensive or exhaustive description of all the tax considerations that may be relevant to a decision to subscribe for, purchase, own or dispose of the Notes and do not purport to deal with the tax consequences applicable to all categories of investors, some of which (such as dealers in securities or financial institutions in Singapore which have been granted the relevant Financial Sector Incentive(s)) may be subject to special rules or tax rates. Prospective holders of the Notes are advised to consult their own tax advisers as to the Singapore or other tax consequences of the acquisition, ownership of or disposal of the Notes, including, in particular, the effect of any foreign, state or local tax laws to which they are subject. It is emphasised that neither the Issuer nor any other persons involved in the Programme accepts responsibility for any tax effects or liabilities resulting from the subscription for, purchase, holding or disposal of the Notes.

## 1. Interest and Other Payments

Subject to the following paragraphs, under Section 12(6) of the Income Tax Act, Chapter 134 of Singapore (ITA), the following payments are deemed to be derived from Singapore:

- (a) any interest, commission, fee or any other payment in connection with any loan or indebtedness or with any arrangement, management, guarantee, or service relating to any loan or indebtedness which is (i) borne, directly or indirectly, by a person resident in Singapore or a permanent establishment in Singapore (except in respect of any business carried on outside Singapore through a permanent establishment outside Singapore or any immovable property situated outside Singapore) or (ii) deductible against any income accruing in or derived from Singapore; or
- (b) any income derived from loans where the funds provided by such loans are brought into or used in Singapore.

Such payments, where made to a person not known to the paying party to be a resident in Singapore for tax purposes, are generally subject to withholding tax in Singapore. The rate at which tax is to be withheld for such payments (other than those subject to the 15 per cent. final withholding tax described below) to non-resident persons (other than non-resident individuals) is currently 17 per cent. The applicable rate for non-resident individuals is currently 20 per cent. However, if the payment is derived by a person not resident in Singapore otherwise than from any trade, business, profession or vocation carried on or exercised by such person in Singapore and is not effectively connected with any permanent establishment in Singapore of that person, the payment is subject to a final withholding tax of 15 per cent. The rate of 15 per cent. may be reduced by applicable tax treaties.

However, certain Singapore-sourced investment income derived by individuals from financial instruments is exempt from tax, including:

- (a) interest from debt securities derived on or after 1 January 2004;
- (b) discount income (not including discount income arising from secondary trading) from debt securities derived on or after 17 February 2006; and
- (c) prepayment fee, redemption premium or break cost from debt securities derived on or after 15 February 2007,

except where such income is derived through a partnership in Singapore or is derived from the carrying on of a trade, business or profession.

In addition, as the Programme as a whole is arranged by Citigroup Global Markets Singapore Pte. Ltd. and The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited, Singapore Branch, each of which is a Financial Sector Incentive (Bond Market) (**FSI-BM**) Company (as defined in the ITA), any tranche of the Notes (**Relevant Notes**) issued as debt securities under the Programme during the period from the date of this Offering Circular to 31 December 2013 and, pursuant to the MAS Circular FSD Cir 02/2013 entitled "Extension and Refinement of Tax Concessions for Promoting the Debt Market" issued by the MAS on 28 June 2013 (**MAS Circular**), during the period from 1 January 2014 to 31 December 2018, would be qualifying debt securities (**QDS**) for the purposes of the ITA, to which the following treatment shall apply:

- subject to certain prescribed conditions having been fulfilled (including the furnishing of a return on debt (i) securities for the Relevant Notes in the prescribed format within such period as the relevant authorities may specify and such other particulars in connection with the Relevant Notes as the relevant authorities may require to MAS and such other relevant authorities as may be prescribed, and the inclusion by the Issuer in all offering documents relating to the Relevant Notes of a statement to the effect that where interest, discount income, prepayment fee, redemption premium or break cost from the Relevant Notes is derived by a person who is not resident in Singapore and who carries on any operation in Singapore through a permanent establishment in Singapore, the tax exemption for qualifying debt securities shall not apply if the non-resident person acquires the Relevant Notes using funds from that person's operations through the Singapore permanent establishment), interest, discount income (not including discount income arising from secondary trading), prepayment fee, redemption premium and break cost (collectively, the Qualifying Income) from the Relevant Notes, paid by the Issuer and derived by a holder who is not resident in Singapore and who (aa) does not have any permanent establishment in Singapore or (bb) carries on any operation in Singapore through a permanent establishment in Singapore but the funds used by that person to acquire the Relevant Notes are not obtained from such person's operation through a permanent establishment in Singapore, are exempt from Singapore tax;
- (ii) subject to certain conditions having been fulfilled (including the furnishing of a return on debt securities for the Relevant Notes in the prescribed form within such period as the relevant authorities may specify and such other particulars in connection with the Relevant Notes as the relevant authorities may require to MAS and such other relevant authorities as may be prescribed), Qualifying Income from the Relevant Notes paid by the Issuer and derived by any company or body of persons (as defined in the ITA) in Singapore is subject to income tax at a concessionary rate of 10 per cent. (except for holders of the relevant Financial Sector Incentive(s) who may be taxed at different rates); and
- (iii) subject to:
  - (aa) the Issuer including in all offering documents relating to the Relevant Notes, a statement to the effect that any person whose interest, discount income, prepayment fee, redemption premium or

- break cost derived from the Relevant Notes is not exempt from tax shall include such income in a return of income made under the ITA; and
- (bb) the furnishing to MAS and such other relevant authorities as may be prescribed of a return on debt securities for the Relevant Notes in the prescribe format within such period as the relevant authorities may specify and such other particulars in connection with the Relevant Notes as the relevant authorities may require,

payments of Qualifying Income derived from the Relevant Notes and made by the Issuer are not subject to withholding of tax by the Issuer.

The MAS Circular further states that, with effect from 1 January 2014, the relevant arrangement requirements for QDS issued under a programme from 1 January 2014 to 31 December 2018 (including programmes arranged prior to 1 January 2014) include that the programme must be wholly arranged by Financial Sector Incentive – Capital Market, Financial Sector Incentive – Standard Tier or FSI-BM companies.

### Notwithstanding the foregoing:

- (A) if during the primary launch of any tranche of Relevant Notes, the Relevant Notes of such tranche are issued to fewer than four persons and 50 per cent. or more of the issue of such Relevant Notes is beneficially held or funded, directly or indirectly, by related parties of the Issuer, such Relevant Notes would not qualify as QDS; and
- (B) even though a particular tranche of Relevant Notes are QDS, if, at any time during the tenure of such tranche of Relevant Notes, 50 per cent. or more of the issue of such Relevant Notes is held beneficially or funded, directly or indirectly, by any related party(ies) of the Issuer, Qualifying Income derived from such Relevant Notes held by:
  - (I) any related party of the Issuer; or
  - (II) any other person where the funds used by such person to acquire such Relevant Notes are obtained, directly or indirectly, from any related party of the Issuer,

shall not be eligible for the tax exemption or concessionary rate of tax as described above.

The term **related party**, in relation to a person, means any other person who, directly or indirectly, controls that person, or is controlled, directly or indirectly, by that person, or where he and that other person, directly or indirectly, are under the control of a common person.

The terms **prepayment fee**, **redemption premium** and **break cost** are defined in the ITA as follows:

"prepayment fee", in relation to debt securities and qualifying debt securities, means any fee payable by the issuer of the securities on the early redemption of the securities, the amount of which is determined by the terms of the issuance of the securities;

"redemption premium", in relation to debt securities and qualifying debt securities, means any premium payable by the issuer of the securities on the redemption of the securities upon their maturity; and

"break cost", in relation to debt securities and qualifying debt securities, means any fee payable by the issuer of the securities on the early redemption of the securities, the amount of which is determined by any loss or liability incurred by the holder of the securities in connection with such redemption.

References to "prepayment fee", "redemption premium" and "break cost" in this Singapore tax disclosure have

the same meaning as defined in the ITA.

Notwithstanding that the Issuer is permitted to make payments of interest, discount income, prepayment fee, redemption premium and break cost (i.e. the Qualifying Income) in respect of the Relevant Notes without deduction or withholding for tax under Section 45 or Section 45A of the ITA, any person whose interest, discount income, prepayment fee, redemption premium or break cost (i.e. the Qualifying Income) derived from the Relevant Notes is not exempt from tax is required to include such income in a return of income made under the ITA.

Under the Qualifying Debt Securities Plus Scheme (QDS Plus Scheme), subject to certain conditions having been fulfilled (including the submission of a return on debt securities in respect of the QDS in the prescribed format within such period as the relevant authorities may specify and such other particulars in connection with the QDS as the relevant authorities may require to MAS and such other relevant authorities as may be prescribed), income tax exemption is granted on Qualifying Income derived by any investor from QDS (excluding Singapore Government Securities) which:

- (a) are issued during the period from 16 February 2008 to 31 December 2013 and, pursuant to the MAS Circular, during the period from 1 January 2014 to 31 December 2018;
- (b) have an original maturity of not less than 10 years;
- (c) cannot be redeemed, called, exchanged or converted within 10 years from the date of their issue; and
- (d) cannot be re-opened with a resulting tenure of less than 10 years to the original maturity date.

However, even if a particular tranche of the Relevant Notes are QDS which qualify under the QDS Plus Scheme, if, at any time during the tenure of such tranche of Relevant Notes, 50 per cent. or more of the issue of such Relevant Notes is beneficially held or funded, directly or indirectly, by any related party(ies) of the Issuer, Qualifying Income from such Relevant Notes derived by:

- (i) any related party of the Issuer; or
- (ii) any other person where the funds used by such person to acquire such Relevant Notes are obtained, directly or indirectly, from any related party of the Issuer,

shall not be eligible for the tax exemption under the QDS Plus Scheme as described above.

The MAS Circular states that, with effect from 28 June 2013, the QDS Plus Scheme will be refined to allow QDS with certain standard early termination clauses (as prescribed in the MAS Circular) to qualify for the QDS Plus Scheme at the point of issuance of such debt securities. MAS has also clarified that if such debt securities are subsequently redeemed prematurely pursuant to such standard early termination clauses before the 10<sup>th</sup> year from the date of issuance of such debt securities, the tax exemption granted under the QDS Plus Scheme to Qualifying Income accrued prior to such redemption will not be clawed back. Under such circumstances, the QDS Plus status of such debt securities will be revoked prospectively for such outstanding debt securities (if any), and holders thereof may still enjoy the tax benefits under the QDS Scheme if the QDS conditions continue to be met.

MAS has stated that, notwithstanding the above, QDS with embedded options with economic value (such as call, put, conversion or exchange options which can be triggered at specified prices or dates and are built into the pricing of such debt securities at the onset) which can be exercised within ten years from the date of issuance of such debt securities will continue to be excluded from the QDS Plus Scheme from such date of issuance.

### 2. Capital Gains

Any gains considered to be in the nature of capital made from the sale of the Notes will not be taxable in Singapore. However, any gains derived by any person from the sale of the Notes which are gains from any trade, business, profession or vocation carried on by that person, if accruing in or derived from Singapore, may be taxable as such gains are considered revenue in nature.

Holders of the Notes who apply or are required to apply Singapore Financial Reporting Standard 39 (**FRS 39**) may, for Singapore income tax purposes, be required to recognise gains or losses (not being gains or losses in the nature of capital) on the Notes, irrespective of disposal, in accordance with FRS 39. Please see the section below on "Adoption of FRS 39 Treatment for Singapore Income Tax Purposes".

#### 3. Adoption of FRS 39 Treatment for Singapore Income Tax Purposes

The Inland Revenue Authority of Singapore has issued a circular entitled "Income Tax Implications Arising from the Adoption of FRS 39-Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement" (the **FRS 39 Circular**). The ITA has since been amended to give effect to the FRS 39 Circular.

The FRS 39 Circular generally applies, subject to certain "opt-out" provisions, to taxpayers who are required to comply with FRS 39 for financial reporting purposes.

Holders of the Notes who may be subject to the tax treatment under the FRS 39 Circular should consult their own accounting and tax advisers regarding the Singapore income tax consequences of their acquisition, holding or disposal of the Notes.

## 4. Estate Duty

Singapore estate duty has been abolished with respect to all deaths occurring on or after 15 February 2008"