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Report of Foreign Private Issuer Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

May 2023

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GDS Holdings Limited

(Registrant's name)

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(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:

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EXHIBITS

- 99.1 Press release GDS to Report First Quarter 2023 Financial Results Before the Open of the U.S. Market on May 25, 2023
- 99.2 <u>Announcement Date of Board Meeting</u>

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.

GDS Holdings Limited

Date: May 15, 2023 By: /s/ William Wei Huang

Name: William Wei Huang
Title: Chief Executive Officer

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GDS to Report First Quarter 2023 Financial Results Before the Open of the U.S. Market on May 25, 2023

SHANGHAI, China, May 15, 2023 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- GDS Holdings Limited ("GDS Holdings", "GDS" or the "Company") (NASDAQ: GDS; HKEX: 9698), a leading developer and operator of high-performance data centers in China and South East Asia, today announced that it will report its first quarter 2023 unaudited financial results after the close of the Hong Kong market and before the open of the U.S. market on May 25, 2023.

The Company's management will host an earnings conference call at 8:00 AM U.S. Eastern Time on Thursday, May 25, 2023 (8:00 PM Hong Kong Time on the same day).

Participants should complete online registration using the link provided below at least 15 minutes before the scheduled start time. Upon registration, participants will receive the conference call access information, including dial-in numbers, a personal PIN and an e-mail with detailed instructions to join the conference call.

Participant Online Registration:

https://register.vevent.com/register/BI24be0a8ed1e5453aa9561f8ee2b9d311

Additionally, a live and archived webcast of the conference call will be available on the Company's investor relations website at http://investors.gds-services.com.

About GDS Holdings Limited

GDS Holdings Limited (NASDAQ: GDS; HKEX: 9698) is a leading developer and operator of high-performance data centers in China and South East Asia. The Company's facilities are strategically located in China's primary economic hubs where demand for high-performance data center services is concentrated. The Company also builds, operates and transfers data centers at other locations selected by its customers in order to fulfill their broader requirements. The Company's data centers have large net floor area, high power capacity, density and efficiency, and multiple redundancies across all critical systems. GDS is carrier and cloud-neutral, which enables its customers to access all the major PRC telecommunications networks, as well as the largest PRC and global public clouds which are hosted in many of its facilities. The Company offers co-location and a suite of value-added services, including managed hybrid cloud services through direct private connection to leading public clouds, managed network services, and, where required, the resale of public cloud services. The Company has a 22-year track record of service delivery, successfully fulfilling the requirements of some of the largest and most demanding customers for outsourced data center services in China. The Company's customer base consists predominantly of hyperscale cloud service providers, large internet companies, financial institutions, telecommunications carriers, IT service providers, and large domestic private sector and multinational corporations.

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GDS Holdings Limited** (the "Company") is controlled through weighted voting rights. Shareholders and prospective investors should be aware of the potential risks of investing in a company with a weighted voting right, or WVR, structure. Particularly, the WVR beneficiary, whose interests may not necessarily be aligned with those of our shareholders as a whole, will be in a position to exert significant influence over the outcome of shareholders' resolutions, irrespective of how other shareholders vote. Our American depositary shares, each representing eight of our Class A ordinary shares, are listed on the Nasdaq Global Market in the United States under the symbol GDS.



GDS Holdings Limited

(A company controlled through weighted voting rights and incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability under the name GDS Holdings Limited and carrying on business in Hong Kong as GDS WanGuo Holdings Limited)

(Stock Code: 9698)

DATE OF BOARD MEETING

Our board of directors will hold a board meeting on May 25, 2023 (Hong Kong time) for the purpose of, among others, approving our unaudited financial results for the first quarter ended March 31, 2023 ("**First Quarter Results**"). We will announce our First Quarter Results after the trading hours of the Hong Kong market on May 25, 2023 (Hong Kong time) and before the opening of the U.S. market on May 25, 2023 (U.S. Eastern Time), on the website of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange at www.hkexnews.hk.

The earnings teleconference call will take place at 8:00 PM on May 25, 2023 (Hong Kong time). Our management will be on the call to discuss the First Quarter Results. Interested parties may complete online registration using the link provided below at least 15 minutes before the initiation of the call. Upon registration, participants will receive the conference call access information, including dial-in numbers, a personal PIN and an e-mail with detailed instructions to join the conference call.

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By order of the Board
GDS Holdings Limited **
Mr. William Wei Huang
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Hong Kong, May 15, 2023

As at the date of this announcement, the board of directors of the Company comprises Mr. William Wei Huang as the chairman, Mr. Sio Tat Hiang as the vice-chairman, Mr. Satoshi Okada, Mr. Bruno Lopez, Mr. Lee Choong Kwong, and Mr. Gary J. Wojtaszek as directors, and Mr. Lim Ah Doo, Ms. Bin Yu, Mr. Zulkifli Baharudin, Mr. Chang Sun and Ms. Judy Qing Ye as independent directors.

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