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Preface

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Zero2IPO Data: Chinese Enterprises' IPOs Hit Record Low in February; New Third Board to Be An Alternative

Both the number and amount of IPOs by Chinese enterprises hit record lows again in February, as affected by the sluggish IPOs both at home and abroad and the Spring Festival holiday. According to the statistics by Zero2IPO Database, only two Chinese enterprises realized IPOs in February 2013, both listed on HKMB and raising US$264.00M in total, or US$132.00M on average. The number of IPOs and amount of financing respectively fell by 33.3% and 48.3% month-on-month, and up 86.7% and 81.0% year-on-year.

Hot News

Ambow Suspends Its Privatization

National Business Daily , Mar. 28, 2013

Baring Private Equity Asia announced to launch a privatization offer to Ambow Education on March 15. Affected by this, Ambow's stock price soared by 53.47%, but the company was troubled by a series of turbulences: resignations of three directors, independent audit institution PwC, and law firm Fenwick & West LLP as the legal adviser of the Board of Auditors. On March 26, this round of privatization came to an end with Baring Private Equity Asia's withdrawal of its non-binding acquisition offer.

Hot News

Alibaba.com is Rumored to Acquire Moji Weather

Tech.ifeng.com , Mar. 25, 2013

Insiders disclosed on March 22 that Alibaba.com acquired a domestic statistical service platform of mobile developers with US$70M, which was speculated to be Umeng.com. This demonstrated the first acquisition of Alibaba.com in the field of mobile Internet. In response to the rumor of the acquisition, Moji Weather's CEO Jin Li said he was not informed. Judging from their ambiguous attitude, we speculated the acquisition may be still in negotiation.

In early 2010, Moji Weather got the first investment of RMB2.5M from Chen Keyi of Xianfenghuaxing. Subsequently, it received an investment worth RMB10M from SNDA in 2011, and closed the third round of fundraising from such investors as Innovation Works at the end of the previous year.

Hot News

Umeng.com Looks for Round B Fundraising

21st Century Business Herald , Mar. 26, 2013

It has been widely rumored in the industry since March 22 that Alibaba.com would acquire mobile Internet statistical analysis company Umeng.com with US$70M. Previously, Umeng.com had completed a round of angel fundraising worth US$50M from Innovation Works and Matrix Partners.

Reporters respectively called Alibaba.com and Umeng.com on March 25. Alibaba.com replied, it was not clear about the acquisition, and had no comment on the market rumor. Luo Qionghua, Market Director of Umeng.com, said, its senior management did not confirm the news.

Hot News

Wine9.com Closes Round B Fundraising from China Europe International Business School

Eeo.com.cn , Mar. 26, 2013

Domestic vertical B2C website for imported wines—Wine9.com also won favor from a VC fund recently. The investor was China Europe International Business School, with no specific investment amount disclosed. In the interview, Zhang Huijun, CEO of Wine9.com, gave tacit consent to the news, but failed to disclose the specific amount. He would like to declare it at the celebration for the third anniversary of Wine9.com in April.

Reportedly, this fundraising was a supplement to the round B fundraising of Wine9.com from China Equity in 2012. According to public data, Wine9.com closed two rounds of fundraising from Shenzhen Co-win Venture Capital Investments and Beijing China Equity Capital in 2011 and 2012.

Hot News

AF Ocean Investment Management Invests in Aapinche.cn

Yesky.com , Mar. 23, 2013

Aapinche.cn, a car-sharing information service provider for drivers and passengers, raised RMB10M from AF Ocean Investment Management of Wall Street.

Aapinche.cn had hit a series of records in China's car-sharing market by the end of February 2013, with 3.5 million of registered users, 500,000 of registered vehicles, and more than one million of fixed car-sharing routes. Each year, it helps indirectly reduce two million tons of carbon emission, and save more than RMB100M worth of fuel for drivers. Aapinche.cn has become the third largest car-sharing website after Zimride and Blablacar, as well as the largest professional car-sharing reservation platform in Chinese language in the world.