CHANGE - ANNOUNCEMENT OF APPOINTMENT::APPOINTMENT OF LEAD INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR

Issuer & Securities Issuer/ Manager **DATAPULSE TECHNOLOGY LIMITED Securities** DATAPULSE TECHNOLOGY LIMITED - SG1CB7000003 - BKW **Stapled Security** No **Announcement Details Announcement Title** Change - Announcement of Appointment Date &Time of Broadcast 27-Sep-2023 17:32:05 **Status** New **Announcement Sub Title** Appointment of Lead Independent Director **Announcement Reference** SG230927OTHRRHMO Submitted By (Co./ Ind. Name) Lau Yin Whai Designation **Company Secretary** Description (Please provide a detailed description of the event in the box below) Appointment of Lead Independent Director - Hor Siew Fu **Additional Details Date Of Appointment** 27/09/2023 Name Of Person Hor Siew Fu Age 72

Country Of Principal Residence

The Board's comments on this appointment (including rationale, selection criteria, board diversity considerations, and the search and nomination process)

The Board has accepted the recommendations of the Nominating Committee of the Company, having reviewed and considered the qualifications, work experience and independence of Mr Hor, and is of the opinion that he is suitable for the role of Lead Independent Director in compliance with Provision 3.3 of the Code of Corporate Governance 2018. The Board considers Mr Hor to be independent.

Whether appointment is executive, and if so, the area of responsibility

Non-Executive

Job Title (e.g. Lead ID, AC Chairman, AC Member etc.)

Lead Independent Non-Executive Director Audit Committee Chairman

 $\label{lem:member of the Nominating and Remuneration Committee} Member of the Nominating and Remuneration Committee$

Professional qualifications

Fellow Chartered Accountant - Institute of Singapore Chartered Accountants Fellow Member - Association of Chartered Certified Accountants

Any relationship (including immediate family relationships) with any existing director, existing executive officer, the issuer and/or substantial shareholder of the listed issuer or any of its principal subsidiaries

None

Conflict of interests (including any competing business)

None

Working experience and occupation(s) during the past 10 years

Albedo Limited - Chief Financial Officer 2014 - 2016

Cosmosteel Holdings Limited - Chief Financial Officer 2007 - 2013

Undertaking submitted to the listed issuer in the form of Appendix 7.7 (Listing Rule 704(7)) Or Appendix 7H (Catalist Rule 704(6))

Yes

Shareholding interest in the listed issuer and its subsidiaries?

No

These fields are not applicable for announcements of appointments pursuant to Listing Rule 704 (9) or Catalist Rule 704 (8).

Past (for the last 5 years)

Plastoform Holdings Limited - Director 2019 - 2022

Sundav Business Solutions Pte. Ltd. - Director 2004 - 2019

Q Industries & Trade Pte. Ltd. - Director 2016 - 2020

Present

Memiontec Holdings Ltd. - Independent Director 2019 - Present

Cosmosteel Holdings Limited - Independent Director 2018 - Present

Edition Ltd. - Independent Director 2016 - Present

(a) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, an application or a petition under any bankruptcy law of any jurisdiction was filed against him or against a partnership of which he was a partner at the time when he was a partner or at any time within 2 years from the date he ceased to be a partner?

No

(b) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, an application or a petition under any law of any jurisdiction was filed against an entity (not being a partnership) of which he was a director or an equivalent person or a key executive, at the time when he was a director or an equivalent person or a key executive of that entity or at any time within 2 years from the date he ceased to be a director or an equivalent person or a key executive of that entity, for the winding up or dissolution of that entity or, where that entity is the trustee of a business trust, that business trust, on the ground of insolvency?

No

(c) Whether there is any unsatisfied judgment against him?

No

(d) Whether he has ever been convicted of any offence, in Singapore or elsewhere, involving fraud or dishonesty which is punishable with imprisonment, or has been the subject of any criminal proceedings (including any pending criminal proceedings of which he is aware) for such purpose?

No

(e) Whether he has ever been convicted of any offence, in Singapore or elsewhere, involving a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, or has been the subject of any criminal proceedings (including any pending criminal proceedings of which he is aware) for such breach?

No

(f) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, judgment has been entered against him in any civil proceedings in Singapore or elsewhere involving a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, or a finding of fraud, misrepresentation or dishonesty on his part, or he has been the subject of any civil proceedings (including any pending civil proceedings of which he is aware) involving an allegation of fraud, misrepresentation or dishonesty on his part?

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(g) Whether he has ever been convicted in Singapore or elsewhere of any offence in connection with the formation or management of any entity or business trust?

No

(h) Whether he has ever been disqualified from acting as a director or an equivalent person of any entity (including the trustee of a business trust), or from taking part directly or indirectly in the management of any entity or business trust?

Nο

(i) Whether he has ever been the subject of any order, judgment or ruling of any court, tribunal or governmental body, permanently or temporarily enjoining him from engaging in any type of business practice or activity?

No

(j) Whether he has ever, to his knowledge, been concerned with the management or conduct, in Singapore or elsewhere, of the affairs of:-

(i) any corporation which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing corporations in Singapore or elsewhere; or

No

(ii) any entity (not being a corporation) which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing such entities in Singapore or elsewhere; or

No

(iii) any business trust which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing business trusts in Singapore or elsewhere; or

No

(iv) any entity or business trust which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, in connection with any matter occurring or arising during that period when he was so concerned with the entity or business trust?

No

(k) Whether he has been the subject of any current or past investigation or disciplinary proceedings, or has been reprimanded or issued any warning, by the Monetary Authority of Singapore or any other regulatory authority, exchange, professional body or government agency, whether in Singapore or elsewhere?

No

Any prior experience as a director of an issuer listed on the Exchange?

Yes

If Yes, Please provide details of prior experience

Independent Director, Memiontec Holdings Ltd.
Independent Director, Cosmosteel Holdings Limited
Independent Director, Edition Ltd.
Independent Director, Plastoform Holdings Limited