# **APPENDIX 3**

# AMENDMENTS RELATING TO THE FORM OF ISSUANCE OF ANNUAL REPORTS AND OTHER AMENDMENTS TO THE MAIN LR

Amendments relating to the form of issuance of annual reports

| CROSS<br>REFERENCE(S) | MAIN LR PROVISIONS   |  |  |  |
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| Paragraph 4A.28       | Copies of documents to be supplied to the Exchange   |  |  |  |
|                       | The provisions of paragraph 9.35 apply and an issuer with a secondary listing must comply with paragraph 9.35 as if it were the listed issuer mentioned in that paragraph.[Deleted]. |  |  |  |
| Paragraph 9.26        | Issua  | Issuance of annual report in CD-ROMelectronic format   |  |  |
|                       | listed   | ut prejudice to other provisions relating to issuance of annual reports, a issuer may issue its annual report in CD-ROM <u>electronic format</u> to its holders provided that it –           |  |  |
|                       | (a)  | gives a printed copy of its annual report to its shareholder upon the shareholder's request, whether verbal or written;  |  |  |
|                       | (b)  | designates a person to attend to the shareholders' requests as stated in subparagraph (a) above;   |  |  |
|                       | (c)  | ensures that a hard copy of the annual report is forwarded to the shareholder requesting the same within 4 market days from the date of receipt of the request;                              |  |  |
|                       | (d)  | designates person(s) to answer queries from shareholders relating to the use of the CD-ROMelectronic format; and   |  |  |
|                       | (e)  | issues hard copies of the notice of the annual general meeting, the proxy form and the following documents to its shareholders together with the CD-ROM-annual report in electronic format - |  |  |
|                       |  | (i) a note containing the following statement or information:  |  |  |
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| CROSS<br>REFERENCE(S)              | MAIN LR PROVISIONS   |  |  |  |  |
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|                                    | <ul> <li>(aa) the listed issuer will forward a hard copy of the annual<br/>report to the shareholder within 4 market days from the<br/>date of receipt of the verbal or written request;</li> </ul>  |  |  |  |  |
|                                    | (bb) the listed issuer's website and e-mail address, name(s) of<br>designated person(s) attending to shareholders' requests<br>and queries and contact number(s); and  |  |  |  |  |
|                                    | (cc) the designated website link or address where a copy of the annual report may be downloaded; and   |  |  |  |  |
|                                    | (ii) a request form to enable the shareholder to request for the<br>annual report in hard copy, with the particulars of the listed<br>issuer's facsimile number and mailing address.   |  |  |  |  |
| Paragraph 9.35                     | Copies of documents to be supplied to the Exchange   |  |  |  |  |
|                                    | A listed issuer must give the Exchange 15 copies or any such number as the Exchange may determine from time to time of -   |  |  |  |  |
|                                    | (a) all periodic and special reports, circulars, and all other documents<br>released or issued by the listed issuer to the holders of any of the listed<br>issuer's securities;  |  |  |  |  |
|                                    | (b) the annual audited financial statements together with the auditors' and<br>directors' reports and the printed annual report of the listed issuer and all<br>documents required by law to be annexed to such documents, as soon<br>as issued; and   |  |  |  |  |
|                                    | (c) information on the annual general meeting proceedings where the information is additional to that contained in the annual report.[Deleted].  |  |  |  |  |
| Paragraph 3.3,<br>Practice Note 18 | Further, pursuant to paragraph 9.35 of the Listing Requirements, ilmmediately upon issuance of the Exempt Circular to securities holders, a listed issuer must submit the requisite number of copies of the Exempt Circular to the Exchange, together with a checklist showing compliance with the relevant parts of the Listing Requirements. |  |  |  |  |

# Other editorial amendments for clarification and consistency

| CROSS<br>REFERENCE(S)                   | MAIN LR PROVISIONS  |  |  |
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| Paragraph 9.44                          | Quarterly reports of a real estate investment trust   |  |  |
|   | (1) A management company of a real estate investment trust must<br>announce to the Exchange an interim financial report of the real estate<br>investment trust for each of the first three quarters of its financial year<br>("REIT Quarterly Report"), immediately after the figures are availableas<br>soon as the figures have been approved by the board of directors of the<br>management company, butand in any event, not later than 2 months<br>after the quarter ends. |  |  |
| Paragraph 9.48                          | Quarterly reports of an exchange-traded fund  |  |  |
|   | (1) A management company must announce to the Exchange an interim<br>financial report of the exchange-traded fund for each of the first three<br>quarters of its financial year ("ETF Quarterly Report"), immediately after<br>the figures are available as soon as the figures have been approved by<br>the board of directors of the management company, butand in any<br>event, not later than 2 months after the quarter ends.  |  |  |
| Paragraph 16,<br>Part A,<br>Appendix 9B | The following items must be included either in the statement of profit and loss and other comprehensive income or in the notes to the statement of <u>profit and</u> <u>loss and other</u> comprehensive income for the current quarter and financial year to date:   |  |  |
|   | (a) interest income;  |  |  |
|   | (b) other income including investment income;   |  |  |
|   | (c) interest expense;   |  |  |
|   | (d) depreciation and amortization;  |  |  |
|   | (e) provision for and write off of receivables;   |  |  |
|   | (f) provision for and write off of inventories;   |  |  |
|   | (g) gain or loss on disposal of quoted or unquoted investments or properties;   |  |  |
|   | (h) impairment of assets;   |  |  |

| CROSS<br>REFERENCE(S) | MAIN LR PROVISIONS |                                   |  |
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|                       | (i)                | foreign exchange gain or loss;    |  |
|                       | (j)                | gain or loss on derivatives; and  |  |
|                       | (k)                | exceptional items (with details). |  |

[End of Appendix 3]