CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

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COMPANY NAME: OVERSEA ENTERPRISE BERHAD

FINANCIAL YEAR : March 31, 2023

OUTLINE:

SECTION A – DISCLOSURE ON MALAYSIAN CODE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCEDisclosures in this section are pursuant to Paragraph 15.25 of Bursa Malaysia Listing Requirements.

SECTION B – DISCLOSURES ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES PERSUANT CORPORATE GOVERNANCE GUIDELINES ISSUED BY BANK NEGARA MALAYSIA

Disclosures in this section are pursuant to Appendix 4 (Corporate Governance Disclosures) of the Corporate Governance Guidelines issued by Bank Negara Malaysia. This section is only applicable for financial institutions or any other institutions that are listed on the Exchange that are required to comply with the above Guidelines.

SECTION A - DISCLOSURE ON MALAYSIAN CODE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

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Intended Outcome

Every company is headed by a board, which assumes responsibility for the company's leadership and is collectively responsible for meeting the objectives and goals of the company.

Practice 1.1

The board should set the company's strategic aims, ensure that the necessary resources are in place for the company to meet its objectives and review management performance. The board should set the company's values and standards, and ensure that its obligations to its shareholders and other stakeholders are understood and met.

Application		Applied	
Explanation on application of the practice	••	The roles and responsibilities of the Board of Directors ("Board") of Oversea Enterprise Berhad and various Board Committees are set out in the Board Charter and published on the Company's website at www.oversea.com.my . The term of reference of the Audit Committee ("AC"), Nomination Committee ("NC"), Remuneration Committee ("RC"), Risk Management Committee ("RMC") and Investment Committee are available at the above website. Other relevant information and details are also set out in the Corporate Governance Overview Statement ("CG Overview Statement") and Annual Report 2023.	
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Practice 1.2

A Chairman of the board who is responsible for instilling good corporate governance practices, leadership and effectiveness of the board is appointed.

Application	:	Applied	
Explanation on application of the practice	::	 The Board recognises the importance of having a clearly accepted division of power and responsibilities at the head of the Company to ensure a balance of power and authority. The responsibilities of the Chairman, among others, include but not limited to the following:- Lead the Board and ensure its effectiveness of all aspects; Preside at Board and shareholders' meetings and ensuring the proceedings thereof comply with good conduct and practices; Facilitate the deliberation and discussion to enable the Board to arrive at clear and quality decisions on issues discussed; Ensure constructive relations between Directors, and between the Board and the management team; and Ensure effective communication with shareholders and relevant stakeholders. However, the position of the Chairman has been vacated since 8 April 2022. The Group are sourcing for a suitable candidate to fill the vacancy. 	
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Practice 1.3The positions of Chairman and CEO are held by different individuals.

Application :	Departure
Explanation on : application of the practice	
Explanation for : departure	The position of Chairman of the Board and Group Managing Director was held by the former Chairman who had resigned on 8 April 2022. The Group is sourcing for a suitable candidate to fill the vacancies of Chairman and Group Managing Director. As the alternate practice, the Board undertakes the following effort to ensure there is a balance of power and authority on the Board:- (a) The decision of the Board shall always be agreed upon by at least majority of the Directors present at the Meeting, therefore, no individual Director can dominate the decision-making of the Board. (b) A clear division of responsibilities for the role of Chairman of the Board has been outlined in the Board Charter, which are distinct and separate from his roles and responsibilities as Group Managing Director through a separate employment contract.
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Practice 1.4

The Chairman of the board should not be a member of the Audit Committee, Nomination Committee or Remuneration Committee

Note: If the board Chairman is not a member of any of these specified committees, but the board		
allows the Chairman to participate in any or all of these committees' meetings, by way of invitation,		
then the status of this practice should be a 'Departure'.		
Application	:	Applied
Explanation on	:	The Chairman of the Board is not the member of the AC, NC or RC.
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Practice 1.5

The board is supported by a suitably qualified and competent Company Secretary to provide sound governance advice, ensure adherence to rules and procedures, and advocate adoption of corporate governance best practices.

Application	:	Applied	
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Board was supported by two (2) suitably qualified and competent Company Secretaries during the financial year ended 31 March 2023 ("FYE 2023"), namely Ms Tai Yit Chan and Ms Leong Shiak Wan, both of them are the members of the Malaysian Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators (MAICSA). Ms Tai Yit Chan and Ms Leong Shiak Wan have resigned on 11 July 2023;	
		and Ms Wong Yuet Chyn and Ms Adeline Tang Koon Ling were appointed as the new Company Secretaries on the same day.	
		The Board recognises the importance of suitable qualified and competent Company Secretary to function as an advisor to the Board on CG matters, compliance to rules and regulation and conduct of meetings in proper and effective manner.	
		The Board review and consider the suitability, qualification, experience and competency of a candidate for Company Secretary prior to their appointment.	
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Practice 1.6

Directors receive meeting materials, which are complete and accurate within a reasonable period prior to the meeting. Upon conclusion of the meeting, the minutes are circulated in a timely manner.

Application	:	Applied	
Explanation on application of the practice	:	During the FYE 2023, the Notice of the scheduled Board Meeting is served to the Directors in a timely manner prior to the Board Meeting, except in the case of emergency, shorter notice shall be deemed sufficient.	
		During the FYE 2023, for each meetings, the board/meeting papers detailing the matters to be transacted at the meeting, had been circulated to all Directors in advance of the meeting, so that the Directors have ample time to review and consider the relevant information.	
		All proceedings of the Board meetings were duly noted and circulated to all Directors for their perusal prior to the confirmation of the minutes by the Chairman as a correct record. The Company Secretaries recorded the proceedings of all meetings including pertinent issues, the substance of inquiries, if any, and responses thereto, members' suggestion and the decision made, as well as the rationale for those decisions. By doing so, the Company Secretaries kept the Board updated on the follow-up actions arising from the Board's decisions and/or requests at subsequent meetings. The Board is therefore able to perform its fiduciary duties and fulfil its oversight role towards instituting a culture of transparency and accountability in the Company.	
		accountability in the company.	
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There is demarcation of responsibilities between the board, board committees and management.

There is clarity in the authority of the board, its committees and individual directors.

Practice 2.1

The board has a board charter which is periodically reviewed and published on the company's website. The board charter clearly identifies—

- the respective roles and responsibilities of the board, board committees, individual directors and management; and
- issues and decisions reserved for the board.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Board Charter is subject to review by the Board as and when necessary to ensure it complies with all applicable laws, rules and regulations of the regulators and remain consistent with the policies and procedures of the Board. A full copy of the Board Charter is available for viewing at the Group's corporate website at www.oversea.com.my .
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The board is committed to promoting good business conduct and maintaining a healthy corporate culture that engenders integrity, transparency and fairness.

The board, management, employees and other stakeholders are clear on what is considered acceptable behaviour and practice in the company.

Practice 3.1

The board establishes a Code of Conduct and Ethics for the company, and together with management implements its policies and procedures, which include managing conflicts of interest, preventing the abuse of power, corruption, insider trading and money laundering.

The Code of Conduct and Ethics is published on the company's website.

Application :	Applied	
Explanation on application of the practice	The Code of Ethics and Conduct as set out in the Board Charter is available for viewing at the Group's corporate website at www.oversea.com.my . The Directors and the employees of the Group are expected to behave ethically and professionally for or on behalf of the Company to comply with the Code of Ethics and Conduct of the Company. The Code of Ethics and Conduct for Directors covers, among others, the aspects of the business operations, including compliance with the applicable laws, duties and responsibilities, conflict of interest, confidential information, workplace environment, working behaviour, discipline and conduct, use of resources, protecting Company's assets, dealing with external parties and dealings in securities. The Code of Ethics and Conduct will be communicated to new Director upon his/her appointment. All Directors are required to understand and accept the terms of the Code of Ethics and Conduct and it forms part of the Company's induction programme for newly appointed Directors.	
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Practice 3.2

The board establishes, reviews and together with management implements policies and procedures on whistleblowing.

Application	Applied	
Explanation on application of the practice	The whistle-blowing policy is published on the Company's website at www.oversea.com.my . The Whistle Blowing Policy is established to provide employees or stakeholders (shareholders, customers and suppliers) with proper internal reporting channels and guidance to raise genuine concerns on any wrongdoing or improper/unlawful conduct, inappropriate behavior or malpractices within the Group or any action that could be harmful to the reputation of the Group or compromise the interests of the shareholders, stakeholders and the public (a) Reporting procedure Employees of the Group who wish to report concerns for malpractice, illegal act or omission of work by any employee of the Group should be communicated to the immediate superior. If for any reason, it is believed that this is not possible or appropriate to do so, the concern should be reported to the Deputy General Manager as follows:-	
	Jalan Senang R 58200 Kuala Lu	a.com.my orise Berhad ., Seri Gembira Avenue, ia, Taman Gembira, ımpur, Wilayah Persekutuan
	In case where reporting to the management is a concern, the r should be made directly to the Chairman of the AC. The chan reporting is as follows:-	
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The company addresses sustainability risks and opportunities in an integrated and strategic manner to support its long-term strategy and success.

Practice 4.1

The board together with management takes responsibility for the governance of sustainability in the company including setting the company's sustainability strategies, priorities and targets.

The board takes into account sustainability considerations when exercising its duties including among others the development and implementation of company strategies, business plans, major plans of action and risk management.

Strategic management of material sustainability matters should be driven by senior management.

Application	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	The Group recognises the importance of promoting sustainability in regard to economic, environmental and social. It aims to follow and to promote good sustainability practices and continually integrates them into the Group's decision-making and activities, to avoid, minimise or mitigate adverse environmental, social or economic impacts of all our activities and to encourage our clients and business partners to do the same. The Sustainability Statement can be viewed in the Annual Report of the Company.
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Practice 4.2

The board ensures that the company's sustainability strategies, priorities and targets as well as performance against these targets are communicated to its internal and external stakeholders.

Application :	Applied	
Explanation on : application of the practice	embedded in the business operations of the Group. The implementation is headed by the Managing Director and all departmental heads are involved in the supervision of the sustainable practices and operations.	
	The Group's sustainability framework is premised upon the evaluation of the economic, environmental, and social ("EES") risk and opportunities in line with Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad's Sustainability Reporting Guide. The Sustainability Statement can be viewed in the Annual Report of the	
	Company.	
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Practice 4.3

The board takes appropriate action to ensure they stay abreast with and understand the sustainability issues relevant to the company and its business, including climate-related risks and opportunities.

Application	:	Departure
Explanation on application of the practice	:	Please provide an explanation on how the practice is being applied.
Explanation for departure	:	The Board recognises the importance of sustainability issues and will incorporate more sustainability discussion into its business planning and strategies.
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Practice 4.4

Performance evaluations of the board and senior management include a review of the performance of the board and senior management in addressing the company's material sustainability risks and opportunities.

Application	:	Departure
Explanation on application of the practice	:	
Explanation for departure	:	There is no official performance evaluation of the board and senior management in addressing the company's material sustainability risks and opportunities. However, the Group recognises the importance of material sustainability risks and opportunities.
		Please provide an alternative practice and explain how the alternative practice meets the intended outcome.
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Practice 4.5- Step Up

The board identifies a designated person within management, to provide dedicated focus to manage sustainability strategically, including the integration of sustainability considerations in the operations of the company.

Note: The explanation on adoption of this practice should include a brief description of the responsibilities of the designated person and actions or measures undertaken pursuant to the role in the financial year.		
Application	:	Not Adopted
Explanation on adoption of the practice	:	There is no dedicated or designated person at this juncture within management – however, this role and work scope is co-managed and shared by the executive director and members of the management team.

Board decisions are made objectively in the best interests of the company taking into account diverse perspectives and insights.

Practice 5.1

The Nomination Committee should ensure that the composition of the board is refreshed periodically. The tenure of each director should be reviewed by the Nomination Committee and annual re-election of a director should be contingent on satisfactory evaluation of the director's performance and contribution to the board.

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Application :	Applied
Explanation on : application of the practice	In line with the MCCG, the Board through the NC performs an annual review of the Board's composition to determine if the Board has the appropriate make up with regard to aspects such as size, diversity, independence and alignment to the Company's objectives and strategic goals.
	Based on its annual review, the Board is satisfied that the current Board composition is strongly suited to provide effective oversight and delegation of responsibilities, in alignment with the strategic objectives of the Group.
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Practice 5.2

At least half of the board comprises independent directors. For Large Companies, the board comprises a majority independent directors.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	For the FYE 2023, the Board comprises six (6) members, four (4) of whom are INEDs and is in compliance with the Rule 15.02(1) of the ACE LR and two (2) Executive Directors.
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Practice 5.3

The tenure of an independent director does not exceed a cumulative term limit of nine years. Upon completion of the nine years, an independent director may continue to serve on the board as a non-independent director.

If the board intends to retain an independent director beyond nine years, it should provide justification and seek annual shareholders' approval through a two-tier voting process.

Application	: Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	The Board subscribes to an open policy on the tenure of INEDs whereby there should not be an arbitrary tenure be imposed on the INEDs. The Board believes that the length of tenure of Independent Directors on the Board does not interfere with their objective and independent judgement or their ability to act in the best interest of the Company. In addition, the Board will take into consideration of the existing board composition viz-a-viz the commercial interest/ benefits of the Company.
	The Board takes cognisant that Practice 5.3 of MCCG recommends that the tenure of an independent director should not exceed a term limit of nine (9) years. Upon completion of the nine (9) years, an independent director may continue to serve on the Board as a non-independent director. In the event such director is to be retained as an independent director, the Board would first justify and seek annual shareholders' approval through a two-tier voting process. As at the date of this report, none of the independent directors is currently serving beyond nine (9) years.
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Practice 5.4 - Step Up

The board has a policy which limits the tenure of its independent directors to nine years without further extension.

Note: To qualify for adoption of this Step Up practice, a listed issuer must have a formal policy which limits the tenure of an independent director to nine years without further extension i.e. shareholders' approval to retain the director as an independent director beyond nine years.		
Application	:	Not Adopted
Explanation on adoption of the practice	:	

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Practice 5.5

Appointment of board and senior management are based on objective criteria, merit and with due regard for diversity in skills, experience, age, cultural background and gender.

Directors appointed should be able to devote the required time to serve the board effectively. The board should consider the existing board positions held by a director, including on boards of non-listed companies. Any appointment that may cast doubt on the integrity and governance of the company should be avoided.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice		The Board has taken into consideration factors like age, qualification, capability, experience and mix of skills when making decision in the appointment of Director.
		The NC is tasked with the responsibility of assessing and recommending to the Board of suitably qualified candidates for appointment as Director.
		The review is conducted on an annual basis, and as and when the need arises, such as when a new Director is appointed. In determining the candidates for appointment to the Board Committees, various factors are considered by the NC, including but not limited to the following factors:
		 the needs of the particular Board Committees; the results of the Board Effectiveness Evaluation for the Board Committees;
		time commitment and availability;
		regulatory requirements; andbest practices or governance practices.
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Practice 5.6

In identifying candidates for appointment of directors, the board does not solely rely on recommendations from existing board members, management or major shareholders. The board utilises independent sources to identify suitably qualified candidates.

If the selection of candidates was based on recommendations made by existing directors, management or major shareholders, the Nominating Committee should explain why these source(s) suffice and other sources were not used.

Application :	Applied
Explanation on : application of the practice	In recommending to the Board of any appointment of Director, the NC considers the criteria, namely the composition requirements for the Board, skills, knowledge, expertise, experience, professionalism, integrity, capability, time commitment, character, competence, age, cultural background, gender and such other relevant criteria of the proposed candidate. The NC will assess the independence of the candidate in the case of appointment of an Independent Non-Executive Director.
	The process for the recruitment of new Director is summarised as follows:
	The NC is responsible to identify and select potential new Directors and to make recommendations to the Board for the appointment of Directors.
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Practice 5.7

The board should ensure shareholders have the information they require to make an informed decision on the appointment and reappointment of a director. This includes details of any interest, position or relationship that might influence, or reasonably be perceived to influence, in a material respect their capacity to bring an independent judgement to bear on issues before the board and to act in the best interests of the listed company as a whole. The board should also provide a statement as to whether it supports the appointment or reappointment of the candidate and the reasons why.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	•	In accordance with Clause 21.6 of the Company's Constitution, one-third (1/3) of the Directors for the time being, or the number nearest to one-third (1/3) shall retire from office at each Annual General Meeting ("AGM") provided always that all Directors shall retire from office at least once every three (3) years in compliance with the Rule 7.26(2) of ACE LR of Bursa Securities. In determining the Director's eligibility for re-election, the NC conducted the following assessments: • Formal review of the performance of the retiring Directors, taking into account the results of the latest Board Effectiveness Evaluation, the time commitment to discharge their roles, the level of contribution to the Board through their skills, experience and strength in qualities; and • Ability to act in the best interest of the Company in decision-making.
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Practice 5.8

The Nominating Committee is chaired by an Independent Director or the Senior Independent Director.

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Explanation on :	The Chairperson of the NC, Ms. Tang Yee Ling is an Independent Non-
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Practice 5.9

The board comprises at least 30% women directors.

Application	:	Departure
Explanation on application of the practice	:	
Explanation for departure	:	For the FYE 2023, the Board comprises one (1) female Director.
		The Board affirmed that gender diversity shall be one of the criteria to be considered by the NC during the evaluation process on potential candidate(s) for Board's membership to fill the above vacancy.
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Practice 5.10

The board discloses in its annual report the company's policy on gender diversity for the board and senior management.

Application :	Departure						
Explanation on : application of the practice							
Explanation for : departure	There is no official policy currently regarding gender diversity for appointment of Directors. The NC recognises and embraces the importance of having a diverse Board that will benefit from a diverse mix of knowledge and experience, background, expertise, age, gender, ethnicity and other qualities in its composition. It is an essential element in maintaining competitive advantage by having diverse Board members to leverage different perspectives to various issues raised and help in decision making, which will contribute to the sustainable development of the Company. The NC will take into consideration the benefits of diversity in sourcing and selecting new Board members as well as in conducting annual assessment of Board and Board Committee members.						
	Please provide an alternative practice and explain how the alternative practice meets the intended outcome.						
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Stakeholders are able to form an opinion on the overall effectiveness of the board and individual directors.

Practice 6.1

The board should undertake a formal and objective annual evaluation to determine the effectiveness of the board, its committees and each individual director. The board should disclose how the assessment was carried out its outcome, actions taken and how it has or will influence board composition.

For Large Companies, the board engages an independent expert at least every three years, to facilitate objective and candid board evaluation.

	y to qualify for adoption of this practice, it must undertake annual board
evaluation and engage an	independent expert at least every three years to facilitate the evaluation.
Application :	Applied
Explanation on :	The NC had carried out a review for 2022/2023 the effectiveness of the
application of the practice	Board and Board Committee as well as the performance of individual Directors. The evaluation process was conducted using Board and Board
practice	Committee Evaluation Form, Directors' Evaluation Form, Board Skills
	Matrix Form and Independent Directors Self-Assessment Checklist.
	Directors filled up the relevant forms and returned the same to the Company Secretary for consolidation. The results were summarised and
	presented to the NC for discussion, review and the decision made was
	being recorded.
	The NC reported the same to the Board at the subsequent Board
	Meeting.
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The level and composition of remuneration of directors and senior management take into account the company's desire to attract and retain the right talent in the board and senior management to drive the company's long-term objectives.

Remuneration policies and decisions are made through a transparent and independent process.

Practice 7.1

The board has remuneration policies and procedures to determine the remuneration of directors and senior management, which takes into account the demands, complexities and performance of the company as well as skills and experience required. The remuneration policies and practices should appropriately reflect the different roles and responsibilities of non-executive directors, executive directors and senior management. The policies and procedures are periodically reviewed and made available on the company's website.

Application	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	The Board had on 1 July 2019 adopted a Directors and Senior Management's Remuneration Policy and Procedures to set out the criteria for remunerating its Directors and/or Senior Management.
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Practice 7.2

The board has a Remuneration Committee to implement its policies and procedures on remuneration including reviewing and recommending matters relating to the remuneration of board and senior management.

The Committee has written Terms of Reference which deals with its authority and duties and these Terms are disclosed on the company's website.

Application	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	The RC's Terms of Reference ("TOR") is available at the Company's website at www.oversea.com.my .
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Stakeholders are able to assess whether the remuneration of directors and senior management is commensurate with their individual performance, taking into consideration the company's performance.

Practice 8.1

There is detailed disclosure on named basis for the remuneration of individual directors. The remuneration breakdown of individual directors includes fees, salary, bonus, benefits in-kind and other emoluments.

Application :	Applied
Explanation on : application of the practice	The disclosure on named basis for the remuneration of individual Directors is set out in the following table.

			Company ('000)						Group ('000)							
No	Name	Directorate	Fee	Allowance	Salary	Bonus	Benefits-in- kind	Other emoluments	Total	Fee	Allowance	Salary	Bonus	Benefits-in- kind	Other	Total
1	LEE SENG FAN	Executive Director	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	132	0	0	15	147
2	KHONG YIK KAN	Executive Director	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	87	0	5	10	102
3	DATUK CHAI WOON CHET	Executive Director	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	TAY BEN SENG, BENSON	Executive Director	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	146	0	0	16	162
5	ANDY LIEW HOCK SIM	Independent Director	50	0	0	0	0	1	51	50	0	0	0	00	1	51
6	HOONG YIK MIIN	Independent Director	50	0	0	0	0	1	51	50	0	0	0	0	1	51
7	TANG YEE LING	Independent Director	50	0	0	0	0	1	51	50	0	0	0	0	1	51
8	DATO' KU CHIN WAH	Independent Director	39	0	0	0	0	1	40	39	0	0	0	0	1	40
9	YU SOO CHYE@ YEE SOO CHYE (Resigned w.e.f. 08.04.2022)	Executive Director	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	453	0	15	50	518
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Stakeholders are able to assess whether the remuneration of directors and senior management is commensurate with their individual performance, taking into consideration the company's performance.

Practice 8.2

The board discloses on a named basis the top five senior management's remuneration component including salary, bonus, benefits in-kind and other emoluments in bands of RM50,000.

Application :	Departure						
Explanation on : application of the practice							
Explanation for : departure	The Board is of the view that, given that the disclosure of the remuneration of the top five (5) senior management will give rise to recruitment and talent retention issues and may lead to the performing senior management staff being lured away by the competitors and hence, the Group may lose high calibre personnel who have been contributing to the Group's performance. The Board will ensure that the remuneration for the senior management personnel is commensurate with their performance in						
	order to attract, retain and motivate them to contribute positively to the Group's performance.						
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Stakeholders are able to assess whether the remuneration of directors and senior management is commensurate with their individual performance, taking into consideration the company's performance.

Practice 8.3 - Step Up

Companies are encouraged to fully disclose the detailed remuneration of each member of senior management on a named basis.

Application	:	Not Adopted
Explanation on adoption of the practice	:	

		Position	Company ('000)							
No	Name		Salary	Allowance	Bonus	Benefits	Other emoluments	Total		
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There is an effective and independent Audit Committee.

The board is able to objectively review the Audit Committee's findings and recommendations. The company's financial statement is a reliable source of information.

Practice 9.1

The Chairman of the Audit Committee is not the Chairman of the board.

Application	:	Applied
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Explanation on	:	In compliance with Practice 9.1 of the MCCG, the AC is chaired by Mr.
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Practice 9.2

The Audit Committee has a policy that requires a former partner of the external audit firm of the listed company to observe a cooling-off period of at least three years before being appointed as a member of the Audit Committee.

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Application :	Applied
Explanation on : application of the practice	In compliance with Practice 9.2 of the MCCG, the AC has instituted a policy by way of inclusion in the TOR of the AC that requires a former key audit partner to observe a cooling-off period before being appointed as a member of the AC. The TOR of the AC will be updated accordingly in order for the AC to formalise such policy. As a matter of practice, the AC has recommended to the NC not to consider any key audit partner as a potential candidate for Roard.
	consider any key audit partner as a potential candidate for Board Directorship/Audit Committee to affirm the AC's stand on such policy.
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There is an effective and independent Audit Committee.

The board is able to objectively review the Audit Committee's findings and recommendations. The company's financial statement is a reliable source of information.

Practice 9.3

The Audit Committee has policies and procedures to assess the suitability, objectivity and independence of the external auditor to safeguard the quality and reliability of audited financial statements.

Application	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	In compliance with Practice 9.3 of the MCCG, the AC has policies and procedures to assess the suitability, objectivity and independence of External Auditors vide annual assessment on the suitability, objectivity and independence of the External Auditors.
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There is an effective and independent Audit Committee.

The board is able to objectively review the Audit Committee's findings and recommendations. The company's financial statement is a reliable source of information.

Practice 9.4 - Step Up

The Audit Committee should comprise solely of Independent Directors.

Application	:	Adopted
Explanation on adoption of the practice	:	The AC of the Company is comprised solely of Independent Directors.

There is an effective and independent Audit Committee.

The board is able to objectively review the Audit Committee's findings and recommendations. The company's financial statement is a reliable source of information.

Practice 9.5

Collectively, the Audit Committee should possess a wide range of necessary skills to discharge its duties. All members should be financially literate, competent and are able to understand matters under the purview of the Audit Committee including the financial reporting process.

All members of the Audit Committee should undertake continuous professional development to keep themselves abreast of relevant developments in accounting and auditing standards, practices and rules.

Application		Applied
Explanation on	:	The AC conducts self and peer evaluation annually to assess the
application of the practice		performance and skillsets of the individual AC members and their peers.
F -4-5-1-5		During the FYE 2023, the AC members had completed the assessment on individual basis and the results were compiled by the Company Secretaries and tabled for the NC's review.
		Based on the results of the assessment, the AC members are financially literate and understand the Group's business. The AC as a whole, has necessary skills and knowledge to discharge their duties. The AC members had also given feedback to their peers on areas of focus for enhancement.
		The members of the AC have attended various continuous trainings and development programmes as detailed in Principle A, Section II, Continuing Education and Training of Directors in this Statement.
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Companies make informed decisions about the level of risk they want to take and implement necessary controls to pursue their objectives.

The board is provided with reasonable assurance that adverse impact arising from a foreseeable future event or situation on the company's objectives is mitigated and managed.

Practice 10.1

The board should establish an effective risk management and internal control framework.

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Application :	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	The Board assumes its overall responsibility in establishing a risk management framework and maintaining a sound system of risk management and internal control throughout the Group which provides reasonable assurance in ensuring the effectiveness and efficiency of the Group's operations that not limiting to financial aspects of the business but also operational and regulatory compliance. The AC has been entrusted by the Board to ensure effectiveness of the Group's internal control systems. The ultimate objectives are to protect the Group's assets and safeguard shareholders' investments. The information of the risk management and internal control framework are disclosed in the Statement on Risk Management and Internal Control as set out in the Annual Report 2023.
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Companies make informed decisions about the level of risk they want to take and implement necessary controls to pursue their objectives.

The board is provided with reasonable assurance that adverse impact arising from a foreseeable future event or situation on the company's objectives is mitigated and managed.

Practice 10.2

The board should disclose the features of its risk management and internal control framework, and the adequacy and effectiveness of this framework.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Statement on Risk Management and Internal Control as set out in this Annual Report provides an overview of the state of risk management and internal controls within the Group.
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Companies make informed decisions about the level of risk they want to take and implement necessary controls to pursue their objectives.

The board is provided with reasonable assurance that adverse impact arising from a foreseeable future event or situation on the company's objectives is mitigated and managed.

Practice 10.3 - Step Up

The board establishes a Risk Management Committee, which comprises a majority of independent directors, to oversee the company's risk management framework and policies.

Application :	Adopted
Explanation on : adoption of the practice	The RMC of the Company is comprised solely of Independent Directors.

Companies have an effective governance, risk management and internal control framework and stakeholders are able to assess the effectiveness of such a framework.

Practice 11.1

The Audit Committee should ensure that the internal audit function is effective and able to function independently.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Company outsourced its internal audit function to an independent internal audit service provider, namely Sterling Business Alignment Consulting Sdn. Bhd., who reports directly to the AC. The functions of the Internal Auditors are to assist the AC in providing independent assessment and review on the adequacy, efficiency and effectiveness of the key controls and processes in the operating units, as well as the governance aspect of the Group and to ensure compliance with the established policies and procedures of the Group. The internal controls are tested for effectiveness and efficiency by the Internal Auditors. The report of the internal audit is tabled for AC's
		review and comments, and the audit findings will then be communicated to the Board. The outsourced Internal Auditor's representatives met up four (4) times with the AC for the FYE 2023.
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Companies have an effective governance, risk management and internal control framework and stakeholders are able to assess the effectiveness of such a framework.

Practice 11.2

The board should disclose-

- whether internal audit personnel are free from any relationships or conflicts of interest, which could impair their objectivity and independence;
- the number of resources in the internal audit department;
- name and qualification of the person responsible for internal audit; and
- whether the internal audit function is carried out in accordance with a recognised framework.

Application	Applied
Explanation on	The information on the Internal Audit function is included in the
application of the	Statement on Risk Management and Internal Control as set out in the
practice	Annual Report 2023.
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There is continuous communication between the company and stakeholders to facilitate mutual understanding of each other's objectives and expectations.

Stakeholders are able to make informed decisions with respect to the business of the company, its policies on governance, the environment and social responsibility.

Practice 12.1

The board ensures there is effective, transparent and regular communication with its stakeholders.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice		The Board recognises the importance of an effective communication channel between the Board, Shareholders and the general public and shall inform in a timely manner to its Shareholders of its latest business and corporate developments in enhancing value to its shareholders. In consequence thereto, the Board had a Shareholders' Communication Policy in placed to provide guidance as well as ensuring a consistent approach towards the Company's communication with the Shareholders. A copy of the Shareholders' Communication Policy is available for viewing at the Group's corporate website at www.oversea.com.my . At the AGM, shareholders are encouraged and given the opportunity to participate in asking relevant questions pertaining to the Company and its business. AGM is also the platform that will enable the shareholders to gain better insights of the Company's business and operations as well as its future prospect.
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There is continuous communication between the company and stakeholders to facilitate mutual understanding of each other's objectives and expectations.

Stakeholders are able to make informed decisions with respect to the business of the company, its policies on governance, the environment and social responsibility.

Practice 12.2

Large companies are encouraged to adopt integrated reporting based on a globally recognised framework.

Application	:	Not applicable – Not a Large Company
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Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

Practice 13.1

Notice for an Annual General Meeting should be given to the shareholders at least 28 days prior to the meeting.

Application :	Applied
Explanation on :	
application of the	as to give sufficient time for shareholders to consider the resolutions.
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	The notice for convening the 27th Annual General Meeting of the
	Company held on 8 September 2022 was issued on 29 July 2022.
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Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

Practice 13.2

All directors attend General Meetings. The Chair of the Audit, Nominating, Risk Management and other committees provide meaningful response to questions addressed to them.

Application :	Applied			
Explanation on :	All Directors including the Chairman of the AC, NC and RC had attended			
application of the	the previous year AGM 2022.			
practice				
	All Directors including the Chair of the above Committees are expected			
	to attend the forthcoming AGM.			
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Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

Practice 13.3

Listed companies should leverage technology to facilitate-

- · voting including voting in absentia; and
- remote shareholders' participation at general meetings.

Listed companies should also take the necessary steps to ensure good cyber hygiene practices are in place including data privacy and security to prevent cyber threats.

Application	Applied			
Explanation on	The Company's AGM has been held using technology to facilitate			
application of the	remote shareholders' participation in AGM.			
practice				
	Shareholders are entitled to appoint proxy to attend meeting remotely			
	and vote their behalf in their absence.			
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Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

Practice 13.4

The Chairman of the board should ensure that general meetings support meaningful engagement between the board, senior management and shareholders. The engagement should be interactive and include robust discussion on among others the company's financial and non-financial performance as well as the company's long-term strategies. Shareholders should also be provided with sufficient opportunity to pose questions during the general meeting and all the questions should receive a meaningful response.

Note: The explanation of adoption of this practice should include a discussion on measures						
undertaken to ensure the general meeting is interactive, shareholders are provided with sufficient						
opportunity to pose questions and the questions are responded to.						
Application	:	Applied				
Explanation on	:	The Chairman and members of the Board as well as the Key Senior				
application of the		Management attended the fully virtual AGM held on 8 September 2022.				
practice		The Chairman of the Board invited questions from the shareholders				
		during the AGM and the shareholders posed questions to the				
		Directors/Management through the Q&A panel using the Remote				
		Participation and Voting facilities via online meeting platform at				
		https://rebrand.ly/OverseaAGM provided by Mlabs Research Sdn. Bhd.				
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Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

Practice 13.5

The board must ensure that the conduct of a virtual general meeting (fully virtual or hybrid) support meaningful engagement between the board, senior management and shareholders. This includes having in place the required infrastructure and tools to support among others, a smooth broadcast of the general meeting and interactive participation by shareholders. Questions posed by shareholders should be made visible to all meeting participants during the meeting itself.

I	-	adoption of this practice should include a discussion on measures						
undertaken to ensure the general meeting is interactive, shareholders are provided with sufficient								
opportunity to pose que	opportunity to pose questions and the questions are responded to. Further, a listed issuer should also							
provide brief reasons on	th	e choice of the meeting platform.						
Application	:	Applied						
Explanation on		The AGM 2022 held on 8 September 2022 was conducted on a fully						
application of the	•	virtual basis through live streaming and online remote voting using the						
practice		online meeting platform at https://rebrand.ly/OverseaAGM provided						
practice		by Mlabs Research Sdn. Bhd. During the AGM, shareholders were						
		allowed to send questions to the Directors/Management through the						
		Q&A panel. The Chairman/Board responded to relevant questions if						
		time permits. All relevant questions are collected throughout the						
		session and replied later through their registered email.						
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		At any time outside of the AGM, shareholders may also reach out to the						
		Investor Relations team should they have any feedback and queries at						
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Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

Practice 13.6

Minutes of the general meeting should be circulated to shareholders no later than 30 business days after the general meeting.

Note: The publication general meeting.	n of Ke	ey Matters Discussed is not a substitute for the circulation of minutes of		
Application	:	Applied		
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Minutes of the 27th AGM held on 8 September 2022 was published on the Company's website.		
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SECTION B – DISCLOSURES ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES PERSUANT CORPORATE GOVERNANCE GUIDELINES ISSUED BY BANK NEGARA MALAYSIA

Disclosures in this section are pursuant to Appendix 4 (Corporate Governance Disclosures) of the Corporate Governance Guidelines issued by Bank Negara Malaysia. This section is only applicable for financial institutions or any other institutions that are listed on the Exchange that are required to comply with the above Guidelines.

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