

NOMINATION COMMITTEE

- Chairman** : Y. M. Datuk Seri Utama Raja Nong Chik bin Dato' Raja Zainal Abidin
(Independent Non-Executive Director)
- Members** : Y. Bhg. Dato' Sun Teoh Tia
(Appointed on 28 November 2024)
(Independent Non-Executive Director)
- Cik Zainab binti Dato' Hj. Mohamed
(Appointed on 30 May 2024)
(Independent Non-Executive Director)
- Ms Cheng Hui Ya, Serena
(Non-Independent Non-Executive Director)
- Terms of Reference** :
1. To consider and recommend to the Board, candidates for directorships in the Company.
 2. To consider, in making its recommendations, candidates for directorships proposed by the Chief Executive Officer and, within the bounds of practicability, by any other senior executive or any Director or major shareholder and from independent sources.

In making a recommendation to the Board on the candidate for directorship, the Committee shall consider the broad Fit and Proper, and Independence Criteria as set out in the Board Charter.

The candidate for an independent non-executive Director should be a person of calibre, credibility and have the necessary skill and experience to bring an independent judgement to bear on issues considered by the Board.
 3. To recommend to the Board, Directors to fill the seats on Board Committees.
 4. To assist the Board in reviewing on an annual basis, the composition, the required mix of skills, knowledge, experience, diversity and other qualities, including core competencies which each individual Director including the independent non-executive Director should bring to the Board, to enable the Board to function effectively, and strengthen board leadership and oversight of sustainability issues.
 5. To establish and implement processes to assess, on an annual basis, the effectiveness of the Board as a whole and the committees of the Board; the independence of the independent Directors; the contribution of each individual Director; and the term of office and performance of the Audit Committee and each of its members to determine whether the Audit Committee and its members have carried out their duties in accordance with their Terms of Reference, based on the process and procedure laid out by the Board.
 6. To recommend to the Board:
 - (a) the re-election of those Directors who are retiring at an annual general meeting ("AGM") of the Company and to put forward their re-election for approval at the AGM; and
 - (b) the continued retention of any independent non-executive Director who has served for a cumulative period of more than 9 years as an independent non-executive Director or otherwise. Any retention of an independent Director who has served a cumulative period of 9 years shall be subject to Shareholders' approval in line with the recommendation of the Malaysian Code on Corporate Governance. Notwithstanding, the tenure of an independent Director shall not exceed a cumulative period of more than 12 years.
 7. To review the induction and training needs of Directors.
 8. To consider other matters as referred to the Committee by the Board from time to time.

NOMINATION COMMITTEE REPORT

The Nomination Committee comprises 4 members, all of whom are non-executive Directors with a majority of them being independent Directors. The Nomination Committee is chaired by Y. M. Datuk Seri Utama Raja Nong Chik bin Dato' Raja Zainal Abidin who is an independent Director.

Appointment to the Board and the Effectiveness of the Board

The Nomination Committee is responsible for identifying, evaluating and nominating suitable candidates with the necessary mix of skills, knowledge, experience and competencies for appointment to the Board and Board Committees to ensure the effectiveness of the Board and the Board Committees. The Nomination Committee shall conduct skills and gap analyses from time to time or when required in identifying candidatures for appointment. As an enhancement to its process, the Nomination Committee may also consider procuring suitable candidates from independent sources, when appropriate and practicable. The Nomination Committee assesses and evaluates on an annual basis the performance and the effectiveness of the Board as a whole, the Board Committees, the independence of the independent Directors as well as the contribution of each individual Directors and Audit Committee members based on the criteria set out by the Board and in accordance with the respective Board Committee's Terms of Reference.

The assessment criteria of the Board's evaluation/performance review process as well as the process and criteria to (i) identify and nominate candidates for appointment as a Director; (ii) re-elect existing Directors; and (iii) retain independent Directors, are set out in the Directors' Fit and Proper Policy included in the Board Charter.

In assessing and recommending to the Board suitable candidature of Directors, the Nomination Committee shall consider the competencies, expected contributions and diversity representation covering the qualifications, knowledge including financial literacy, industrial experience and expertise, seniority and past achievements, appointment scope, role, commitment level, professionalism and integrity, and the appropriateness and the fulfilment of the Board's desired mix of competencies, age, gender and cultural background which would contribute to the overall desired composition of the Board.

The Directors' mix of skills are set out in the respective profile under Directors' Profile on pages 6 to 9 of this Annual Report.

Activities of the Nomination Committee for the Financial Year

The Nomination Committee met thrice since the date of the last Annual Report and all the members attended the Meetings.

The Nomination Committee had carried out the following duties for the financial year in accordance with its Terms of Reference:

- (i) Assessed and recommended for Board's consideration, the following appointments:
 - (a) Y. Bhg. Dato' Sun Teoh Tia as an independent non-executive Director, and a member of the Audit Committee and the Nomination Committee of the Company; and
 - (b) Cik Zainab binti Dato' Hj. Mohamed as an independent non-executive Director, and a member of the Audit Committee, the Nomination Committee and the Remuneration Committee of the Company.
- (ii) Reviewed the compositions of the Board and Board Committees of the Company and assessed the implications of the impending re-designation of Y. M. Datuk Seri Utama Raja Nong Chik bin Dato' Raja Zainal Abidin who would be re-designated a non-independent non-executive Director upon the conclusion of the forthcoming 94th Annual General Meeting of the Company ("94th AGM").
- (iii) Discussed the proposed appointment of the Chairman of the Nomination Committee to succeed Y. M. Datuk Seri Utama Raja Nong Chik bin Dato' Raja Zainal Abidin after the conclusion of the 94th AGM.

- (iv) Reviewed and assessed the performance and the effectiveness of the Board as a whole, the Board Committees, the independence of the independent Directors as well as the contribution of each individual Directors and Audit Committee members based on the broad fit and proper, and independence criteria as set out in the Directors' Fit and Proper Policy using a set of quantitative and qualitative performance evaluation forms adopted by the Nomination Committee, and was satisfied that (a) the Board composition in term of size, mix of competencies and diversity representation and the balance between executive, non-executive and independent Directors was adequate and in line with the Group's business operations and needs; and (b) the Board as a whole and the Board Committees had discharged their duties and responsibilities effectively at all times. The Nomination Committee was also satisfied with the level of independence of the independent non-executive Directors and their ability to act in the best interests of the Company and the minority shareholders of the Company.
- (v) Reviewed the term of office and performance of the Audit Committee as a whole and each of its members including an assessment of their financial literacy, and assessed and evaluated the effectiveness of the Audit Committee in conducting its activities in accordance with its Terms of Reference, and was satisfied that the Audit Committee and its members had carried out their duties effectively and were financially literate and able to understand matters under the purview of the Audit Committee including financial reporting process.
- (vi) Reviewed the retirement of Y. Bhg. Dato' Sun Teoh Tia and Cik Zainab binti Dato' Hj. Mohamed who were appointed during the financial year, and having satisfied that they had discharged their duties and responsibilities effectively at all times, recommended their re-election for Board's consideration, which shall be tabled for approval of the Shareholders at the 94th AGM.
- (vii) Discussed on the vacancies arising from the impending retirement of Y. Bhg. Dato' Nik Rahmat bin Nik Taib at the conclusion of the 94th AGM.
- (viii) Reviewed the training needs of the Directors and was satisfied that the Directors having attended the relevant training programmes and having been updated with market developments and relevant requirements through Board discussion meetings with Management and by email communication, and apprised on a continuing basis by the Company Secretaries on new and/or revised regulatory and statutory requirements, had adequately met the training needs of each of the Directors towards enhancing their skills and knowledge in discharging their duties and roles as a Director.
- (ix) Approved and recommended for Board's consideration the Nomination Committee Report incorporating the Nomination Committee's activities for inclusion in the 2024 Annual Report.

REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

Chairman	:	Y. Bhg. Dato' Nik Rahmat bin Nik Taib (Independent Non-Executive Director)
Members	:	Cik Zainab binti Dato' Hj. Mohamed (Appointed on 30 May 2024) (Independent Non-Executive Director)
		Ms Cheng Hui Ya, Serena (Non-Independent Non-Executive Director)
Terms of Reference	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To recommend to the Board, the remuneration of the executive Directors in all its forms, drawing from outside advice as necessary. • To carry out other responsibilities, functions or assignments as may be defined by the Board from time to time.