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## Invitation to seminar for PLC Directors: Enhancing corporate governance

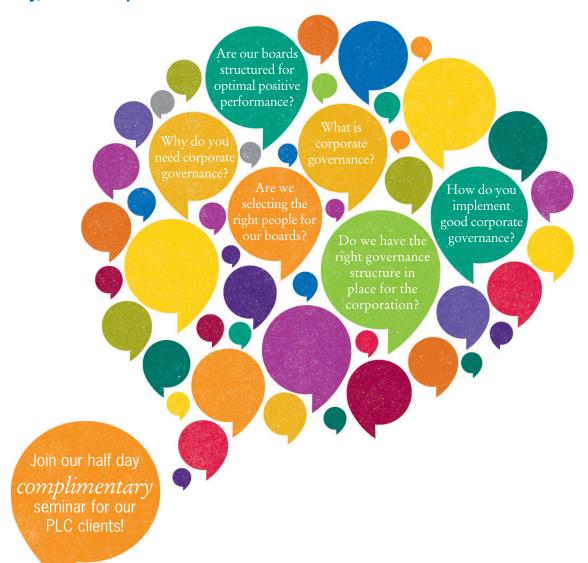
Date: Tuesday, 1 October 2013

Time : 9.00am - 2.00pm

**Venue : The Gardens Ballroom** 

**The Gardens Hotel & Residences** 

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# Corporate Governance is about leadership

Prof. Mervyn King, Former Supreme Court Judge and Chairman of King's Report on Corporate Governance in South Africa

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Programme	
09.00am 09.30am	Registration Welcome address Mr Hooi Kok Mun
09.40am	Head of Audit & assurance  Session 1  Tag Break
10.45am 11.15am 12.30pm	Tea Break Session 2 O&A Session
12.45pm 02.00pm	Buffet Lunch End

#### Speaker's profile

Venue



#### Paul W Chan CA (M), FCCA (UK), FCPA (Aust), FCIS (UK), CFP®, ChFC (USA)

Paul's professional and business experience spans the fields of Auditing, Accounting, Financial, Business and Corporate Advisory Services. He is a Chartered Accountant and an Independent Non Executive Director serving on Boards of the following Public Listed Company sectors:

- Port Facilities Operator: Senior Independent Director, Chairman of Audit Committee, Member of Governance, Risk and Tender Committees
- IT Training & Certification: Chairman of Audit Committee, Member of Nomination & Remuneration Committees
- Industrial Chemical: Senior Independent Director, Chairman of Nomination Committee, Member of Audit Committee
- Insurance, Listed in UK: Member of Audit, Risk, Nomination & Remuneration Committees

An active contributor to the corporate and professional sectors, Paul is currently the:

- Deputy President & Founding Board Member of Malaysian Alliance of Corporate Directors
- Executive Committee Member of:
  - o Federation of Public Listed Companies (FPLC)
  - o Malaysian Institute of Accountants (MIA)
  - o Global Network of Director Institutes (GNDI)
- FMM Governance & Ethics Committee Member (Federation of Malaysian Manufacturers)

Paul is the President of Business Transitions Asia Sdn Bhd, offering strategic business consulting to business in transition, and wealth management advisory services. He is also a regular speaker and facilitator in conferences and seminars on issues relating to business and corporate governance.

Today, more than ever, with markets and regulatory framework changing so rapidly, corporations need to have a competitive edge to remain relevant. We need the leadership of strong boards with enhanced corporate governance to helm our corporations.

The implementation of good corporate governance and its practices are often viewed by some as necessary compliance to a set of rules and regulations for its existence—so a notion of adhering to the minimum regulatory requirements is good enough....or is it?

Economic turbulence, ever changing market dynamics, competing for scarce human talents, cycles of unrelenting crisis to manage, mounting pressure to perform -- all stretching board leadership at the helm to navigate the corporation out of troubled waters with clarity of vision and perspective. Thus, the board is indeed a corporation's vital strategic asset.

#### **Course outline**

**Session 1** sets the foundation for the complementary roles and working dynamics of the regulatory framework and the corporate mission – often visualized as a different side of the same coin – they are complementary, not adversarial, for the long-term sustainable common good.

Session 2 sets the tone to effective board leadership -- with optimal board composition of right people and talents -- which is arguably the most important and vital element to sustainable corporate success. This session also pave the way to a series of market-relevant issues for future sessions as part of Grant Thornton's life-long education programs. After all, sustainable corporate success and growth is a life-long journey, not a destination that ends. It is also an interactive session of Q&As.

#### **Objectives**

As its continuing education initiatives, Grant Thornton offers this complimentary seminar session to expound and share real-life experiences of corporate leadership -- or the consequence in the lack of it -- with its valued clients and business associates.

#### Methodology

Briefing, practical case studies, illustrations and interactive discussions.



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## Enhancing corporate governance

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This seminar is <b>complimentary</b> for our PLC clients.
<ul> <li>Seminar includes seminar materials, refreshments &amp; lunch.</li> <li>Certificate of attendance will be given to all participants for registration of CPE/CPD points with relevant professional bodies.</li> </ul>
TERMS & CONDITIONS
<ul> <li>Registration is based on a fist-come-first-served basis.</li> <li>Walk-ins will not be entertained.</li> <li>The Organiser reserves the right to make amendments or cancel the event if unavoidable circumstances arise.</li> </ul>
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