PREFERENCE SHARES AND UTILIZATION OF SHARE PREMIUM UNDER COMPANIES ACT 2016

COURSE INTRODUCTION

This is a two-part course covering preference shares and the utilization of share premium during the transition period. The Companies Act 2016 has introduced a new redemption method i.e. redemption out of capital of the company but its effect must be carefully considered. With the move to the non-par value regime, the share premium would form part of the share capital but the Companies Act 2016 has given a 24-months period from the commencement of the Act to utilize any amounts in the Company's existing share premium account under the transitional provision.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Part 1 of this course will guide participants on the regulations surrounding the issuance and redemption of preference shares and its use as a financial instrument. The different rights attached to the preference shares would be explained with illustration to enable the participants to appreciate the strategic considerations for the issuance of preference shares.

Part 2 of this course will guide participants on the different method of utilization of the share premium account and considerations to be made for each of the methods available.

COURSE CONTENTS

Part 1

- Strategic consideration for issuance of preference shares advantages and disadvantages.
- Types of preference shares cumulative, redeemable, participative, convertible.
- Rights and variation of rights of preference shares.
- Step by step guide to issuance and redemption of preference shares.
- The difference between conversion of preference shares and redemption of preference shares.

Part 2

- What happens to the share premium on implementation of the new Act?
- How are share premium to be utilized?
- Steps and procedures to handle each utilization?

LEARNING OUTCOME

By attending this programme, the participants will be able to:

- Understand of the use of preference shares and the reason companies would opt for such issuance.
- Learn the statutory requirements for the issuance and redemption of the preference shares.
- Differentiate the conversion of the preference shares to redemption.
- Understand of the transitional provision and the utilization of the share premium.

ABOUT THE TRAINER

Leong Oi Wah is a Fellow Member of the Malaysian Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators (MAICSA) and has more than 30 years of experience in handling corporate secretarial matters in the profession and the corporate sector.

Oi Wah is also involved in advisory on corporate secretarial requirements including corporate restructuring and compliance with various regulatory bodies such as the Registrar of Companies, Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad, Securities Commission and other authorities. She is an approved trainer with Pembangunan Sumber Manusia Berhad and does regular training for the Companies Commission Malaysia Training Academy and other professional bodies.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Company secretaries, company secretarial assistants, company directors, lawyers, accountants and corporate consultants.

DATE	VENUE	EVENT CODE
13 March 2018	Menara SSM@Sentral, Kuala Lumpur	CEP/KL/18/022
03 September 2018	Menara SSM@Sentral, Kuala Lumpur	CEP/KL/18/057
Time	9.00 am – 5.00 pm	
Training Methodology	Lecture and Case Discussion	
Fee (inclusive of 6% GST)	 RM530.00 Standard RM424.00 Licensed Secretary. Member of MAICSA, MIA, Malaysian Bar, MACS, MICPA, Sabah Law Assoc. & Advocates Assoc. of Sarawak. 	
SSM CPE Points	8	

Fee inclusive of certificate of attendance, compact disc pre-loaded with seminar materials and refreshment.

COMPANIES COMMISSION OF MALAYSIA TRAINING REGISTRATION FORM



Use one form for each participant. Print or type clearly. This form can be downloaded from SSM's website at www.ssm.com.my. Kindly make copies if more forms are needed

Please register me for the below programme:

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DATE	PROGRAMME

PARTICIPANT DETAILS: (All details must be completed)

Name				
	_ Licensed Secretary No			
Prescribed Body Name & Membership No				
Designation				
Company				
Office Tel. No Fax No	Mobile No			
Email Address				
Tax Invoice to be issued in the name of				
Name of HR personnel	_ Tel. No			
Vegetarian Meal Other Diet				
Payment by cheque no.	_ amount RM			

PAYMENT

• Fee is payable to SURUHANJAYA SYARIKAT MALAYSIA

- · Payment can be made in cash, cheque, bank draft, credit card, postal order or money order.
- Each programme fee must be paid separately.
- Only cheque issued by company/firm can be accepted. Companies/Firms that issue a non-valid cheque will be blacklisted.
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- On the reverse of each instrument of payment, please indicate the participant(s) name (maximum 5), License Secretary no. / Professional Body name (if any), programme date and event code.
- Attach with a copy of the Registration Form (if payment made before the programme date) or Invoice (if payment made after the programme date) when submitting payment.
- Payment can be made at SSM, Level 17, Menara SSM @ Sentral, Kuala Lumpur and at all SSM branches in Malaysia.

PROGRAMME FEE

COMTRAC's training and administration fees are subjected to 6% GST under the GST Act 2014. Fee is inclusive of certificate of attendance issued by the Companies Commission of Malaysia (SSM), a pre-loaded CD containing training materials, refreshments and lunch (where applicable).

FAX YOUR REGISTRATION FORM AND SEND YOUR PAYMENT TO:

COMTRAC, Level 12, Menara SSM @ Sentral, 7 Jalan Stesen Sentral 5, Kuala Lumpur Sentral, 50623 Kuala Lumpur

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TERMS & CONDITIONS

Registration is on a first-come-first-served-basis. No walk-in accepted. All registrations MUST be submitted to SSM accompanied with the **full payment five (5) working days before the programme**. Admittance will not be permitted unless payment or letter of guarantee is received. Participant will be issued a Certificate of Attendance upon full attendance of the programme and payment or letter of guarantee is received.

Cancellation

No refund is entertained if participant decide to cancel their registration but a substitute is welcome. Written notification of substitute's name must be received by COMTRAC at least three (3) working days prior to programme. Any difference in fee will be charged accordingly. In cases of cancellation/postponement of programme by COMTRAC, the registration fee will be refunded.

Transfer

No refund is entertained if participant fails to attend a programme. Transfer of registration fee to another programme is not allowed.

Replacement Of Certificate

SSM will charge an administrative fee of RM30.00 (inclusive of 6% GST) per copy for any replacement of certificate due to errors in name or identification card number wrongly filled by participant / representative during registration or loss of certificate, etc.

DISCLAIMER

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