Annex A

Mr Gong Wee Lik
Deputy Managing Director
Cluster Development & Corporate Services, EDB



Prior to Mr Gong's current appointment, he was posted as Centre Director to EDB offices in Stockholm and London, headed the chemicals group, industry development, services promotion/ development, international operations and covered for human resources at EDB. Mr Gong concurrently sits on the Board of Governors of the Singapore-MIT Alliance and is a Director on the Board of TECH Semiconductor Singapore Pte Ltd. He is also a member of the Tourism Development Committee (TDC) and the Downtown Review Committee. Mr Gong holds a Bachelor of Science (Chemical Engineering), 1st Class Honours from the University of Birmingham, England, U.K.

Mr Lawrence Leow Chin Hin Executive Chairman Crescendas Group



Mr Leow leads the Crescendas Group, a dynamic and diversified group of businesses with operations and facilities in Singapore, Malaysia, China, Myanmar and Laos. With a track record in business of more than 20 years and a staff strength of more than 1,000 employees, the Crescendas Group's business range from property, building, leisure, electronics to distribution. Crescendas Pte Ltd achieved top 10 in the "Enterprise 50" Awards in Nov 02. Mr Leow won the Entrepreneur of the Year award in Sep 00. He is the current President of the Association of Small and Medium Enterprises (ASME). Under his leadership, ASME has assumed a higher profile in the business community. Mr Leow's other

appointments include Nominated Member of Parliament and Council Member of the National Arts Council.

## BG Wong Ann Chai Chief Armour Officer, MINDEF

BG Wong Ann Chai was awarded the SAF President's Scholarship in 1986, and graduated from the University of Oxford, UK, with BA (Hons) in Engineering (1989). He went on to pursue his MA (Business Administration) at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, under the SAF Postgraduate Scholarship in 1999. BG Wong has held numerous leadership positions since his entry to the military service in 1986, winning several awards including the Public Administration Medal – Silver (Military) in 2005. He currently holds the appointment of Chief Armour Officer at MINDEF. BG Wong is also the alternate Director at Chartered Electro-Optics Pte Ltd and Director of ST Electronics (Info-Software Systems) Pte Ltd.

## Mr Lim Boon Wee Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Transport

Mr Lim Boon Wee started his career with the Singapore Armed Forces (SAF), and rose to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel before crossing over to the Civil Service in 1996. Besides holding different directorship positions in the Ministry of Finance (Oct 96 – Dec 99) and the Ministry of National Development (MND) (Sep 03 – May 05), he also served the President as his Principal Private Secretary from Dec 99 to Aug 03. He is currently the Deputy Secretary in the Ministry of Transport (MOT), where he oversees the development of strategies and policy direction in the Land, Sea and Air Transport Sectors, as well as Corporate Development issues for the Ministry.