

## NEW CHIEF EXECUTIVE FOR SENTOSA DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Mr Quek Swee Kuan, currently the Deputy Managing Director of the Economic Development Board (EDB), will be appointed as the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Sentosa Development Corporation (SDC) with effect from 1 October 2015. He takes over from Mr Mike Barclay, who will be stepping down on 30 September 2015 after completing a 7-year tenure at SDC.

**Mr Quek Swee Kuan** 郭瑞光

2 Mr Quek started his career in EDB in 1994. He has held various key appointments since then, including Regional Director (Western US) from 1998-2000 and Director (North America) from 2001-2005. During his overseas stint, he played a key role in attracting foreign direct investments from the Infocomms, Media, Electronics and Biotech industries from western United



States. He also oversaw investment promotion efforts carried out by EDB's offices in North America.

3 Mr Quek was appointed EDB's Deputy Managing Director in January 2013. He currently oversees a diverse portfolio which includes Global Operations, Marketing and Communications, Industry Development and Investment Promotion, as well as Planning and Policy. Mr Quek played a key role in formulating strategies aimed at attracting foreign investments into Singapore. In particular, he helped elevate Singapore's stature as an important player in the global interactive digital media arena by securing key greenfield digital animation and games projects, such as Lucasfilm and Koei, into Singapore.

4 From February 2007 to March 2009, Mr Quek served as the Deputy Chief Executive at Singapore Tourism Board (STB), where he led STB's network of

international offices in working with foreign tourism players to brand and market Singapore as an attractive and compelling destination for leisure, business, education and healthcare services to international travellers. He has also served as a board member of Mount Faber Leisure Group since April 2012.

5 Mr Quek graduated from the National University of Singapore with a Bachelor of Computer Science in 1988. He holds a Masters in Business Administration (MBA) from Oklahoma City University. He also attended the Wharton Advanced Management Program.

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