



New e-Appointment Service at ACRA

From 1 Jun 2018, customers visiting ACRA's service counters will need to first book an appointment through the ACRA website (at least three working days in advance). With pre-booked appointment slots, ACRA aims to serve customers more promptly. Alternatively, customers with ACRA-related queries can use our interactive virtual assistant, Ask Jamie@ACRA or refer to the How-to Guides available on the ACRA website.

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Reducing Administrative Burden - Removal of Common Seal

Since 31 Mar 2017, the use of the common seal is no longer mandatory but optional. Companies and Limited Liability Partnerships (LLPs) have the option to not use common seals for execution of documents such as deeds and for certain documents such as share certificates. This can now be done via signature by authorised persons. This is part of ACRA's efforts to further reduce the administrative burden for companies.



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New Appointments to the ACRA Board

On 27 Mar 2018, the Minister for Finance has appointed Mrs Tan Ching Yee, Permanent Secretary (Finance), as the Chairman of ACRA Board with effect from 1 Apr 2018. She succeeds Ms Lim Soo Hoon, who has been the Chairman of the ACRA Board since 1 Apr 2012.

The Minister for Finance has also appointed four new members to the ACRA Board and re-appointed five current board members. The appointments will take effect from 1 Apr 2018.

New ACRA Board members:

- **Mr Bruce Liang**
(CEO, Integrated Health Information Systems and CIO, Ministry of Health)
- **Mr Kevin Wong**
(Advocate and Solicitor)
- **Mr Muhammad Hidir Bin Abdul Majid**
(Principal District Judge, Family Justice Courts)
- **Mr Paul Lee**
(Managing Partner, RSM Singapore)

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