# **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT**

STOCK CODE:6378COMPANY NAME:WMG HOLDINGS BHDFINANCIAL YEAR:December 31, 2023

#### OUTLINE:

#### SECTION A – DISCLOSURE ON MALAYSIAN CODE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Disclosures in this section are pursuant to Paragraph 15.25 of Bursa Malaysia Listing Requirements.

# SECTION B – DISCLOSURES ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES PERSUANT CORPORATE GOVERNANCE GUIDELINES ISSUED BY BANK NEGARA MALAYSIA

Disclosures in this section are pursuant to Appendix 4 (Corporate Governance Disclosures) of the Corporate Governance Guidelines issued by Bank Negara Malaysia. This section is only applicable for financial institutions or any other institutions that are listed on the Exchange that are required to comply with the above Guidelines.

# SECTION A - DISCLOSURE ON MALAYSIAN CODE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

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#### Intended Outcome

Every company is headed by a board, which assumes responsibility for the company's leadership and is collectively responsible for meeting the objectives and goals of the company.

#### Practice 1.1

The board should set the company's strategic aims, ensure that the necessary resources are in place for the company to meet its objectives and review management performance. The board should set the company's values and standards, and ensure that its obligations to its shareholders and other stakeholders are understood and met.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Board meets on a quarterly basis to deliberate and review among other matters concerning the Group's strategies, operations, performance, financial and resources.
Explanation for departure	:	
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Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

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# Practice 1.2

A Chairman of the board who is responsible for instilling good corporate governance practices, leadership and effectiveness of the board is appointed.

Application	: Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	: The Chairman provides overall leadership to the Board in decision making.
Explanation for departure	:
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Measure	:
Timeframe	:

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# Practice 1.3

The positions of Chairman and CEO are held by different individuals.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Chairman is Datuk Quek Siew Hau and the Managing Director of the Company is Mr Fong Kin Wui.
Explanation for departure	:	
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Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

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# Practice 1.4

The Chairman of the board should not be a member of the Audit Committee, Nomination Committee or Remuneration Committee

Note: If the board Chairman is not a member of any of these specified committees, but the board			
allows the Chairman to participate in any or all of these committees' meetings, by way of invitation,			
then the status of this pr	then the status of this practice should be a 'Departure'.		
Application	Applied		
Explanation on	The Board Chairman, Datuk Quek Siew Hau is not a member of the Audit		
application of the	Committee, Nominating Committee, Remuneration Committee and		
practice	Risk Management Committee.		
Explanation for			
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Timeframe			

Every company is headed by a board, which assumes responsibility for the company's leadership and is collectively responsible for meeting the objectives and goals of the company.

# Practice 1.5

The board is supported by a suitably qualified and competent Company Secretary to provide sound governance advice, ensure adherence to rules and procedures, and advocate adoption of corporate governance best practices.

Application	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	The Directors have full access to the advice and services of the Compar Secretaries. Where necessary, the Directors engage independer professional for advice at the Group's expense to enable them t discharge their duties with full knowledge of the cause and effect.
Explanation for departure	
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Measure	
Timeframe	

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# Practice 1.6

Directors receive meeting materials, which are complete and accurate within a reasonable period prior to the meeting. Upon conclusion of the meeting, the minutes are circulated in a timely manner.

Application :	Applied
Explanation on : application of the practice Explanation for :	Prior to each Board Meeting, the Board members are provided with the Notice of the Board Meeting and the relevant documents and information 7 days prior to the meeting. This is to enable them to obtain a comprehensive understanding of the issues to be deliberated upon and to enable them to arrive at an informed decision. The minutes of the meeting are circulated to the Directors in a timely manner for review and comments for confirmation at the subsequent meeting.
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Measure :	
Timeframe :	

There is demarcation of responsibilities between the board, board committees and management.

There is clarity in the authority of the board, its committees and individual directors.

#### Practice 2.1

The board has a board charter which is periodically reviewed and published on the company's website. The board charter clearly identifies–

- the respective roles and responsibilities of the board, board committees, individual directors and management; and
- issues and decisions reserved for the board.

Application	: Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	: The Board delegates certain responsibilities to the Board committees. The Board has set up 5 committees namely, Executive Committee, Remuneration Committee, Nominating Committee, Audit Committee and Risk Management Committee, each with its respective written terms of reference.
Explanation for departure	:
Large companies are req to complete the columns	uired to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged below.
Measure	:
Timeframe	:

The board is committed to promoting good business conduct and maintaining a healthy corporate culture that engenders integrity, transparency and fairness.

The board, management, employees and other stakeholders are clear on what is considered acceptable behaviour and practice in the company.

#### Practice 3.1

The board establishes a Code of Conduct and Ethics for the company, and together with management implements its policies and procedures, which include managing conflicts of interest, preventing the abuse of power, corruption, insider trading and money laundering.

The Code of Conduct and Ethics is published on the company's website.

Application	Applied	
Explanation on application of the practice	The Code of Conduct and Ethics for the Company is governed b Company's Employee Handbook.	by the
Explanation for departure		
Large companies are re to complete the column	d to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encou ow.	raged
Measure		
Timeframe		

The board is committed to promoting good business conduct and maintaining a healthy corporate culture that engenders integrity, transparency and fairness.

The board, management, employees and other stakeholders are clear on what is considered acceptable behaviour and practice in the company.

#### Practice 3.2

The board establishes, reviews and together with management implements policies and procedures on whistleblowing.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The policy on whistleblowing is as set out in the Company's website.
Explanation for departure	:	
Large companies are r to complete the colum		ed to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged elow.
Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

The company addresses sustainability risks and opportunities in an integrated and strategic manner to support its long-term strategy and success.

# Practice 4.1

The board together with management takes responsibility for the governance of sustainability in the company including setting the company's sustainability strategies, priorities and targets.

The board takes into account sustainability considerations when exercising its duties including among others the development and implementation of company strategies, business plans, major plans of action and risk management.

Strategic management of material sustainability matters should be driven by senior management.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Directors together with the management identify and manage material sustainability matters.
Explanation for departure	:	
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Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

The company addresses sustainability risks and opportunities in an integrated and strategic manner to support its long-term strategy and success.

# Practice 4.2

The board ensures that the company's sustainability strategies, priorities and targets as well as performance against these targets are communicated to its internal and external stakeholders.

Application :	Departure	
Explanation on : application of the practice		
Explanation for : departure Large companies are requi	The Group will look into setting appropriate targets to evaluate performance and communicate them to its internal and external stakeholders. The Directors would review and consider the Group's sustainability risks and opportunities in its operations, and undertake appropriate measures to ensure the Group's objectives are achieved. red to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged	
to complete the columns below.		
Measure :	Please explain the measure(s) the company has taken or intend to take to adopt the practice.	
Timeframe :	Choose an item.	

The company addresses sustainability risks and opportunities in an integrated and strategic manner to support its long-term strategy and success.

# Practice 4.3

The board takes appropriate action to ensure they stay abreast with and understand the sustainability issues relevant to the company and its business, including climate-related risks and opportunities.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice		The Directors are encouraged to read up and attend trainings/seminars on sustainability to stay abreast with and consider sustainability issues relevant to the Group.
Explanation for departure	:	
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Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

The company addresses sustainability risks and opportunities in an integrated and strategic manner to support its long-term strategy and success.

# Practice 4.4

Performance evaluations of the board and senior management include a review of the performance of the board and senior management in addressing the company's material sustainability risks and opportunities.

Application	:	Departure
Explanation on application of the practice	:	
Explanation for departure	:	The Group will set sustainability targets to monitor environmental, social and governance factors in its business practices and evaluate the performance of the Board and senior management in addressing its material sustainability risks and opportunities. Pending the establishment of sustainability targets, the Company will use Bursa's Performance Data table to evaluate the performance of the Board and senior management.
Large companies are re to complete the columi	•	ed to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged Plow.
Measure	:	Please explain the measure(s) the company has taken or intend to take to adopt the practice.
Timeframe	:	Choose an item.

The company addresses sustainability risks and opportunities in an integrated and strategic manner to support its long-term strategy and success.

# Practice 4.5- Step Up

The board identifies a designated person within management, to provide dedicated focus to manage sustainability strategically, including the integration of sustainability considerations in the operations of the company.

Note: The explanation on adoption of this practice should include a brief description of the responsibilities of the designated person and actions or measures undertaken pursuant to the role in the financial year.		
Application	:	Not Adopted
Explanation on		
adoption of the practice	·	

Board decisions are made objectively in the best interests of the company taking into account diverse perspectives and insights.

# Practice 5.1

The Nomination Committee should ensure that the composition of the board is refreshed periodically. The tenure of each director should be reviewed by the Nomination Committee and annual re-election of a director should be contingent on satisfactory evaluation of the director's performance and contribution to the board.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The composition of the Board and the Directors' performance are reviewed yearly by the Nominating Committee.
Explanation for departure	:	
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Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

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# Practice 5.2

At least half of the board comprises independent directors. For Large Companies, the board comprises a majority independent directors.

Application	Departure
Explanation on application of the practice	
Explanation for departure	The Board is of the opinion the current Board balance of 8 directors comprising 3 independent directors and 5 non-independent directors is appropriate for the Group at the present state. The Board of the Company is expected to comprise 50% independent in due course.
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Measure	Please explain the measure(s) the company has taken or intend to take to adopt the practice.
Timeframe	Choose an item.

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# Practice 5.3

The tenure of an independent director does not exceed a cumulative term limit of nine years. Upon completion of the nine years, an independent director may continue to serve on the board as a non-independent director.

If the board intends to retain an independent director beyond nine years, it should provide justification and seek annual shareholders' approval through a two-tier voting process.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The tenure of the current 3 Independent Directors of the Company is less than nine years.
Explanation for departure	:	
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Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

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# Practice 5.4 - Step Up

The board has a policy which limits the tenure of its independent directors to nine years without further extension.

Note: To qualify for adoption of this Step Up practice, a listed issuer must have a formal policy which limits the tenure of an independent director to nine years without further extension i.e. shareholders' approval to retain the director as an independent director beyond nine years.		
Application :	Adopted	
Explanation on : adoption of the practice	The tenure of the independent directors is reviewed annually by the Board.	

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# Practice 5.5

Appointment of board and senior management are based on objective criteria, merit and with due regard for diversity in skills, experience, age, cultural background and gender.

Directors appointed should be able to devote the required time to serve the board effectively. The board should consider the existing board positions held by a director, including on boards of non-listed companies. Any appointment that may cast doubt on the integrity and governance of the company should be avoided.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Board reviews to ensure diversity and appropriate mix of skills, knowledge and experience before effecting the appointment of board and senior management.
Explanation for departure	:	
Large companies are re to complete the colum	-	ed to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged elow.
Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

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# Practice 5.6

In identifying candidates for appointment of directors, the board does not solely rely on recommendations from existing board members, management or major shareholders. The board utilises independent sources to identify suitably qualified candidates.

If the selection of candidates was based on recommendations made by existing directors, management or major shareholders, the Nominating Committee should explain why these source(s) suffice and other sources were not used.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Directors engage independent professional for advice at the Group's expense to enable them to discharge their duties where necessary.
Explanation for departure	:	
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Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

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# Practice 5.7

The board should ensure shareholders have the information they require to make an informed decision on the appointment and reappointment of a director. This includes details of any interest, position or relationship that might influence, or reasonably be perceived to influence, in a material respect their capacity to bring an independent judgement to bear on issues before the board and to act in the best interests of the listed company as a whole. The board should also provide a statement as to whether it supports the appointment or reappointment of the candidate and the reasons why.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	Relevant details of individual for appointment as Director or re- appointment as Director of the Company as applicable, will be included in the annual report for shareholders to make an informed decision.
Explanation for departure	:	
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Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

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# Practice 5.8

The Nominating Committee is chaired by an Independent Director or the Senior Independent Director.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Nominating Committee is now chaired by Hajah Shakinur Ain Binti Hj Karama, the Senior Independent Director.
Explanation for departure	:	
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Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

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# Practice 5.9

The board comprises at least 30% women directors.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	Currently, the Board of 8 Directors comprises 3 women directors (representing 37.5% women directors) and 5 men directors.
Explanation for departure	:	
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Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

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# Practice 5.10

The board discloses in its annual report the company's policy on gender diversity for the board and senior management.

Application	: Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	: The Company pursues a non-discriminatory policy with regard to gender, ethnicity and age and appointments are based on merits, skills, qualifications and experience.
Explanation for departure	:
Large companies are req to complete the columns	uired to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged below.
Measure	:
Timeframe	:

Stakeholders are able to form an opinion on the overall effectiveness of the board and individual directors.

# Practice 6.1

The board should undertake a formal and objective annual evaluation to determine the effectiveness of the board, its committees and each individual director. The board should disclose how the assessment was carried out its outcome, actions taken and how it has or will influence board composition.

For Large Companies, the board engages an independent expert at least every three years, to facilitate objective and candid board evaluation.

-	• •	<i>v</i> to qualify for adoption of this practice, it must undertake annual board independent expert at least every three years to facilitate the evaluation.
Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The effectiveness of the Board, its committees and individual directors is evaluated annually, both by each individual director and by the Nominating Committee.
Explanation for departure	:	
Large companies are to complete the colur	•	ed to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged elow.
Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

The level and composition of remuneration of directors and senior management take into account the company's desire to attract and retain the right talent in the board and senior management to drive the company's long-term objectives.

Remuneration policies and decisions are made through a transparent and independent process.

#### Practice 7.1

The board has remuneration policies and procedures to determine the remuneration of directors and senior management, which takes into account the demands, complexities and performance of the company as well as skills and experience required. The remuneration policies and practices should appropriately reflect the different roles and responsibilities of non-executive directors, executive directors and senior management. The policies and procedures are periodically reviewed and made available on the company's website.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The remuneration of directors and senior management are assessed annually by the Remuneration Committee.
Explanation for departure	:	
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Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

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# Practice 7.2

The board has a Remuneration Committee to implement its policies and procedures on remuneration including reviewing and recommending matters relating to the remuneration of board and senior management.

The Committee has written Terms of Reference which deals with its authority and duties and these Terms are disclosed on the company's website.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Remuneration Committee reviews the remuneration package of the directors and senior management of the Group and recommend to the Board for its consideration and approval for implementation.
Explanation for departure	:	
Large companies are re to complete the column	•	ed to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged elow.
Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

Stakeholders are able to assess whether the remuneration of directors and senior management is commensurate with their individual performance, taking into consideration the company's performance.

## Practice 8.1

There is detailed disclosure on named basis for the remuneration of individual directors. The remuneration breakdown of individual directors includes fees, salary, bonus, benefits in-kind and other emoluments.

Application :	Applied
Explanation on : application of the practice	The remuneration of the directors are as disclosed in the audited financial statements.

			Company ('000)							Group ('000)						
No	Name	Directorate	Fee	Allowance	Salary	Bonus	Benefits-in- kind	Other emoluments	Total	Fee	Allowance	Salary	Bonus	Benefits-in- kind	Other emoluments	Total
1	Datuk Quek Siew Hau		10.0	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	10.0	10.0	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	55.4	977.0	1,042.4
2	Fong Kin Wui		10.0	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	10.0	10.0	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	78.6	776.2	854.8
3	Lim Ted Hing		10.0	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	10.0	10.0	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	55.4	1,037.5	1,092.9
4	Seah Sen Onn @ David Seah	Executive Director	10.0	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	10.0	10.0	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	131.0	776.0	907.0
5	Chan Ka Tsung		10.0	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	10.0	10.0	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	52.4	437.1	489.5
6	Hajah Shakinur Ain Binti Hj Karama			Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	10.0	10.0	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	57.9	67.9
7	Teo Gim Suan	Independent Director	7.5	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	7.5	7.5	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	28.4	35.9
8	Wong Lee Hung	Independent Director	7.5	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	7.5	7.5	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	31.0	38.5
9	Datuk Eric Usip Juin	Independent Director	2.5	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	2.5	2.5	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	21.7	24.2
10	Tan Kung Ming	Independent Director	2.5	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	2.5	2.5	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	14.5	17.0
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Stakeholders are able to assess whether the remuneration of directors and senior management is commensurate with their individual performance, taking into consideration the company's performance.

#### Practice 8.2

The board discloses on a named basis the top five senior management's remuneration component including salary, bonus, benefits in-kind and other emoluments in bands of RM50,000.

Application	:	Not applicable - all members of senior management are members of the board
Explanation on application of the practice	:	
Explanation for departure	:	
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Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

		Position	Company								
No	Name		Salary	Allowance	Bonus	Benefits	Other emoluments	Total			
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# Practice 8.3 - Step Up

Companies are encouraged to fully disclose the detailed remuneration of each member of senior management on a named basis.

Application		Adopted
Explanation on adoption of the practice	:	The remuneration of the Executive Directors (Exco members of the Company, WMG Holdings Bhd) are as disclosed in the audited financial statements.

			Company ('000)								
No	Name	Position	Salary	Allowance	Bonus	Benefits	Other emoluments	Total			
1	Datuk Quek Siew Hau	Executive Chairman	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	55.4	977.0	1,042.4			
2	Fong Kin Wui	Managing Director	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	78.6	776.2	854.8			
3	Lim Ted Hing	Exco Chairman	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	55.4	1,037.5	1,092.9			
4	Seah Sen Onn @ David Seah	Executive Director	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	131.0	776.0	907.0			
5	Chan Ka Tsung	Executive Director	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	52.4	437.1	489.5			

There is an effective and independent Audit Committee.

The board is able to objectively review the Audit Committee's findings and recommendations. The company's financial statement is a reliable source of information.

# Practice 9.1

The Chairman of the Audit Committee is not the Chairman of the board.

Application	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	The Chairman of the Audit Committee, Madam Wong Lee Hung, is not the chairman of the Board.
Explanation for departure	
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Measure	
Timeframe	

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#### Practice 9.2

The Audit Committee has a policy that requires a former partner of the external audit firm of the listed company to observe a cooling-off period of at least three years before being appointed as a member of the Audit Committee.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	Appointment of audit committee member is vetted by the Nominating Committee and approved by the Board.
Explanation for departure		
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Measure	:	
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#### Practice 9.3

The Audit Committee has policies and procedures to assess the suitability, objectivity and independence of the external auditor to safeguard the quality and reliability of audited financial statements.

Application	: Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	: Every year, the Audit Committee assesses the suitability, objectivity and independence of the external auditor and recommends to the shareholders for re-appointment if its assessment is favourable.
Explanation for departure	:
Large companies are req to complete the columns	uired to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged below.
Measure	:
Timeframe	:

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# Practice 9.4 - Step Up

The Audit Committee should comprise solely of Independent Directors.

Application	:	Adopted
Explanation on adoption of the practice	:	All 3 Audit Committee members are independent non-executive directors.

There is an effective and independent Audit Committee.

The board is able to objectively review the Audit Committee's findings and recommendations. The company's financial statement is a reliable source of information.

### Practice 9.5

Collectively, the Audit Committee should possess a wide range of necessary skills to discharge its duties. All members should be financially literate, competent and are able to understand matters under the purview of the Audit Committee including the financial reporting process.

All members of the Audit Committee should undertake continuous professional development to keep themselves abreast of relevant developments in accounting and auditing standards, practices and rules.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The members of the Audit Committee are encouraged to update themselves and to attend relevant training for each financial year which aid them in the discharged of their duties.
Explanation for departure	:	
Large companies are re to complete the columr	-	ed to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged clow.
Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

Companies make informed decisions about the level of risk they want to take and implement necessary controls to pursue their objectives.

The board is provided with reasonable assurance that adverse impact arising from a foreseeable future event or situation on the company's objectives is mitigated and managed.

#### Practice 10.1

The board should establish an effective risk management and internal control framework.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Audit Committee and the Risk Management Committee assist the Board in reviewing the effectiveness and robustness of the Group's risk management and internal control framework.
Explanation for departure	:	
Large companies are rea to complete the column	-	ed to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged Plow.
Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

Companies make informed decisions about the level of risk they want to take and implement necessary controls to pursue their objectives.

The board is provided with reasonable assurance that adverse impact arising from a foreseeable future event or situation on the company's objectives is mitigated and managed.

#### Practice 10.2

The board should disclose the features of its risk management and internal control framework, and the adequacy and effectiveness of this framework.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The state of the system of internal control and risk management of the Group is as disclosed in the statement on risk management and internal control in the Annual Report.
Explanation for departure	:	
Large companies are rec to complete the columns	-	ed to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged clow.
Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

Companies make informed decisions about the level of risk they want to take and implement necessary controls to pursue their objectives.

The board is provided with reasonable assurance that adverse impact arising from a foreseeable future event or situation on the company's objectives is mitigated and managed.

#### Practice 10.3 - Step Up

The board establishes a Risk Management Committee, which comprises a majority of independent directors, to oversee the company's risk management framework and policies.

Application	:	Adopted
Explanation on adoption of the practice	:	The Company's risk management framework and policies are overseen by the Risk Management Committee, which comprises a majority of the 3 independent directors and 2 Executive Directors of the Company.

Companies have an effective governance, risk management and internal control framework and stakeholders are able to assess the effectiveness of such a framework.

# Practice 11.1

The Audit Committee should ensure that the internal audit function is effective and able to function independently.

Application	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	The internal audit function is performed by an independent audit firm, which reports directly to the Audit Committee.
Explanation for departure	
Large companies are reated to complete the column	red to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged elow.
Measure	
Timeframe	

Companies have an effective governance, risk management and internal control framework and stakeholders are able to assess the effectiveness of such a framework.

# Practice 11.2

The board should disclose-

- whether internal audit personnel are free from any relationships or conflicts of interest, which could impair their objectivity and independence;
- the number of resources in the internal audit department;
- name and qualification of the person responsible for internal audit; and
- whether the internal audit function is carried out in accordance with a recognised framework.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The internal audit function of the Company has been outsourced to JETA PLT, an independent Chartered Accountants firm.
Explanation for departure	:	
Large companies are req to complete the columns		ed to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged elow.
Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

There is continuous communication between the company and stakeholders to facilitate mutual understanding of each other's objectives and expectations.

Stakeholders are able to make informed decisions with respect to the business of the company, its policies on governance, the environment and social responsibility.

#### Practice 12.1

The board ensures there is effective, transparent and regular communication with its stakeholders.

Application	: Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	: The interim results announcements, relevant announcements, annual reports and circulars to shareholders are the primary modes of communication to report the Group's business, results and major developments to its shareholders, stakeholders and investors. These are posted on the Company's website.
Explanation for departure	:
Large companies are req to complete the columns	<i>iired to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged below.</i>
Measure	:
Timeframe	:

There is continuous communication between the company and stakeholders to facilitate mutual understanding of each other's objectives and expectations.

Stakeholders are able to make informed decisions with respect to the business of the company, its policies on governance, the environment and social responsibility.

#### Practice 12.2

Large companies are encouraged to adopt integrated reporting based on a globally recognised framework.

Application	:	Departure
Explanation on application of the practice	:	
Explanation for departure	:	The Company is not a large company and has not adopted integrated reporting. Its present reporting model complies with the relevant statutory requirements. The Company is expected to comply with this practice in due course.
Large companies are rec to complete the column	•	ed to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged clow.
Measure	:	Please explain the measure(s) the company has taken or intend to take to adopt the practice.
Timeframe	:	Choose an item.

Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

### Practice 13.1

Notice for an Annual General Meeting should be given to the shareholders at least 28 days prior to the meeting.

Application	: Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	: Adequate notice of at least 28 days prior to the annual general meeting has been served and accompanied by an explanatory statement for the proposed resolution to facilitate understanding and evaluation of issues involved for each item of special business.
Explanation for departure	
Large companies are required to complete the columns	uired to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged below.
Measure	:
Timeframe	:

Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

### Practice 13.2

All directors attend General Meetings. The Chair of the Audit, Nominating, Risk Management and other committees provide meaningful response to questions addressed to them.

Application	: Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	<ul> <li>All directors (including the Chairman of the 5 Committee namely Audit, Remuneration, Nominating, Risk Management and Executive) and senior management officers are to attend general meetings to provide answers and appropriate clarifications to issues raised at general meetings.</li> </ul>
Explanation for departure	
Large companies are required to complete the columns	ired to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged below.
Measure	
Timeframe	

Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

# Practice 13.3

Listed companies should leverage technology to facilitate-

- voting including voting in absentia; and
- remote shareholders' participation at general meetings.

Listed companies should also take the necessary steps to ensure good cyber hygiene practices are in place including data privacy and security to prevent cyber threats.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	Shareholders are encouraged to attend and engage the Directors at General Meetings.
Explanation for departure	:	
Large companies are re	quir	red to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged
to complete the colum	ns be	elow.
Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

# Practice 13.4

The Chairman of the board should ensure that general meetings support meaningful engagement between the board, senior management and shareholders. The engagement should be interactive and include robust discussion on among others the company's financial and non-financial performance as well as the company's long-term strategies. Shareholders should also be provided with sufficient opportunity to pose questions during the general meeting and all the questions should receive a meaningful response.

Note: The explanation of adoption of this practice should include a discussion on measures undertaken to ensure the general meeting is interactive, shareholders are provided with sufficient opportunity to pose questions and the questions are responded to.			
Application	:	Applied	
Explanation on application of the practice	:	There is a question and answer session at general meetings for shareholders to pose questions and ensure all questions receive a meaningful response from the Board.	
Explanation for departure			

Large companies are required to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged to complete the columns below.

Measure	
Timeframe	

Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

# Practice 13.5

The board must ensure that the conduct of a virtual general meeting (fully virtual or hybrid) support meaningful engagement between the board, senior management and shareholders. This includes having in place the required infrastructure and tools to support among others, a smooth broadcast of the general meeting and interactive participation by shareholders. Questions posed by shareholders should be made visible to all meeting participants during the meeting itself.

Note: The explanation of adoption of this practice should include a discussion on measures undertaken to ensure the general meeting is interactive, shareholders are provided with sufficient opportunity to pose questions and the questions are responded to. Further, a listed issuer should also provide brief reasons on the choice of the meeting platform.

Application	:	Not applicable – only physical general meetings were conducted in the financial year
Explanation on application of the practice	:	
Explanation for departure	:	
Large companies are re to complete the colum	•	ed to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged low.
Measure	:	
Timeframe	:	

Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

# Practice 13.6

Minutes of the general meeting should be circulated to shareholders no later than 30 business days after the general meeting.

Note: The publication of Key Matters Discussed is not a substitute for the circulation of minutes of general meeting.

Application	: Applied		
Explanation on application of the practice	The Minutes of the meeting and a summary of the key matters discussed at the Annual General Meeting (AGM) are published on the Company's website as soon as practicable, no later than 30 business days, after the conclusion of the AGM.		
Explanation for departure	: 		
Large companies are required to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged to complete the columns below.			
Measure	:		
Timeframe	:		

# SECTION B – DISCLOSURES ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES PERSUANT CORPORATE GOVERNANCE GUIDELINES ISSUED BY BANK NEGARA MALAYSIA

Disclosures in this section are pursuant to Appendix 4 (Corporate Governance Disclosures) of the Corporate Governance Guidelines issued by Bank Negara Malaysia. This section is only applicable for financial institutions or any other institutions that are listed on the Exchange that are required to comply with the above Guidelines.

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