

SERIAL SYSTEM LTD

(the "Company") (Incorporated in the Republic of Singapore) (Company Registration Number: 199202071D)

PROPOSED IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SERIAL SYSTEM EMPLOYEE SHARE OPTION SCHEME 2014

RECEIPT OF APPROVAL IN-PRINCIPLE FROM THE SINGAPORE EXCHANGE SECURITIES TRADING LIMITED FOR THE LISTING AND QUOTATION OF NEW SHARES TO BE ISSUED UNDER THE SERIAL SYSTEM EMPLOYEE SHARE OPTION SCHEME 2014

(A) INTRODUCTION

The board of directors (the "Board") of the Company (together with its subsidiaries, the "Group") wishes to announce that the Company is proposing to implement an employees' share option scheme to be known as the Serial System Employee Share Option Scheme 2014 (the "Proposed 2014 Scheme"), to replace the Serial System Executives Share Option Scheme 2004 that has expired on 29 January 2014.

(B) THE PROPOSED 2014 SCHEME

The implementation of the Proposed 2014 Scheme is subject to the following approvals being obtained:

- (a) the approval of the shareholders of the Company ("**Shareholders**") at an extraordinary general meeting to be convened ("**EGM**"); and
- (b) the approval in-principle of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "SGX-ST") for the dealing in, listing of and quotation for new shares in the share capital of the Company ("Scheme Shares") to be issued pursuant to the exercise of share options granted under the Proposed 2014 Scheme on the Official List of the SGX-ST.

(C) RECEIPT OF APPROVAL IN-PRINCIPLE FROM THE SGX-ST

The Board is pleased to announce that the SGX-ST had on 13 February 2014, granted its approval in-principle for the listing and quotation for the Scheme Shares subject to the following conditions:

- (a) compliance with the listing requirements and guidelines of the SGX-ST; and
- (b) shareholders' approval for the Proposed 2014 Scheme.

The approval in-principle granted by the SGX-ST is not an indication of the merits of the Proposed 2014 Scheme, the Scheme Shares, the Company and/or its subsidiaries.

(D) CIRCULAR TO SHAREHOLDERS

A circular containing, *inter alia*, the rationale and information relating to the Proposed 2014 Scheme, together with the notice of the EGM, will be despatched to Shareholders by the Company in due course.

By Order of the Board

Dr. Derek Goh Bak Heng Executive Chairman and Group CEO

19 February 2014