

SECURITIES AND FUTURES ACT (CAP. 289)
SECURITIES AND FUTURES (DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS)
REGULATIONS 2012

**NOTIFICATION FORM FOR SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDER(S)/
UNITHOLDER(S) IN RESPECT OF INTERESTS IN SECURITIES**

**FORM
3**

(Electronic Format)

Explanatory Notes

1. Please read the explanatory notes carefully before completing the notification form.
2. This form is for a Substantial Shareholder(s)/Unitholder(s) to give notice under section 135, 136, 137, 137J (as applicable to sections 135, 136 and 137) or 137U (as applicable to sections 135, 136 and 137) of the Securities and Futures Act (the "SFA").
3. This electronic Form 3 and a separate Form C, containing the particulars and contact details of the Substantial Shareholder(s)/Unitholder(s), must be completed by the Substantial Shareholder(s)/Unitholder(s) or a person duly authorised by the Substantial Shareholder(s)/Unitholder(s) to do so. The person so authorised should maintain records of information furnished to him by the Substantial Shareholder(s)/Unitholder(s).
4. This form and Form C, are to be completed electronically and sent to the Listed Issuer via an electronic medium such as an e-mail attachment. The Listed Issuer will attach both forms to the prescribed SGXNet announcement template for dissemination as required under section 137G(1), 137R(1) or 137ZC(1) of the SFA, as the case may be. While Form C will be attached to the announcement template, it will not be disseminated to the public and is made available only to the Monetary Authority of Singapore (the "Authority").
5. Where a transaction results in similar notifiable obligations on the part of more than one Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder, all of these Substantial Shareholders/Unitholders may give notice using the same notification form.
6. A single form may be used by a Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder for more than one transaction resulting in notifiable obligations which occur within the same notifiable period (i.e. within two business days of becoming aware of the earliest transaction). There must be no netting-off of two or more notifiable transactions even if they occur within the same day.
7. All applicable parts of the notification form must be completed. If there is insufficient space for your answers, please include attachment(s) by clicking the paper clip icon on the bottom left-hand corner or in item 11 of Part II or item 10 of Part III. The total file size for all attachment(s) should not exceed 1MB.
8. Except for item 5 of Part II and item 1 of Part IV, please select only one option from the relevant check boxes.
9. Please note that submission of any false or misleading information is an offence under Part VII of the SFA.
10. In this form, the term "Listed Issuer" refers to -
 - (a) a company incorporated in Singapore any or all of the shares in which are listed for quotation on the official list of a securities exchange;
 - (b) a corporation (not being a company incorporated in Singapore, or a collective investment scheme constituted as a corporation) any or all of the shares in which are listed for quotation on the official list of a securities exchange, such listing being a primary listing;

- (c) a registered business trust (as defined in the Business Trusts Act (Cap. 31A)) any or all of the units in which are listed for quotation on the official list of a securities exchange;
- (d) a recognised business trust any or all of the units in which are listed for quotation on the official list of a securities exchange, such listing being a primary listing; or
- (e) a collective investment scheme that is a trust, that invests primarily in real estate and real estate-related assets specified by the Authority in the Code on Collective Investment Schemes, and any or all the units in which are listed for quotation on the official list of a securities exchange, such listing being a primary listing ("Real Estate Investment Trust").

11. For further instructions and guidance on how to complete this notification form, please refer to section 7 of the User Guide on Electronic Notification Forms which can be accessed at the Authority's Internet website at <http://www.mas.gov.sg> (under "Regulations and Financial Stability", "Regulations, Guidance and Licensing", "Securities, Futures and Fund Management", "Forms", "Disclosure of Interests").

Part I - General

1. Name of Listed Issuer:

Popular Holdings Limited

2. Type of Listed Issuer:

☒ Company/Corporation

☐ Registered/Recognised Business Trust

☐ Real Estate Investment Trust

3. Is more than one Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder giving notice in this form?

☐ No *(Please proceed to complete Part II)*

☒ Yes *(Please proceed to complete Parts III & IV)*

4. Date of notification to Listed Issuer:

25-Mar-2015

Part III - Substantial Shareholder(s)/Unitholder(s) Details

[To be used for multiple Substantial Shareholders/Unitholders to give notice]

Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder **A** 

1. Name of Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder:

World Holdings (Pte) Limited

2. Is Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder a fund manager or a person whose interest in the securities of the Listed Issuer are held solely through fund manager(s)?

☐ Yes

☒ No

3. Notification in respect of:

☐ Becoming a Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder

☐ Change in the percentage level of interest while still remaining a Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder

☒ Ceasing to be a Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder

4. Date of acquisition of or change in interest:

26-Feb-2015

5. Date on which Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder became aware of the acquisition of, or the change in, interest  (if different from item 4 above, please specify the date):

26-Feb-2015

6. Explanation (if the date of becoming aware is different from the date of acquisition of, or the change in, interest):

NA

7. Quantum of total voting shares/units (including voting shares/units underlying rights/options/warrants/convertible debentures {conversion price known}) held by Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder before and after the transaction:

Immediately before the transaction	Direct Interest	Deemed Interest	Total
No. of voting shares/units held and/or underlying the rights/options/warrants/convertible debentures:	483,676,075	0	483,676,075
As a percentage of total no. of voting shares/units: 	60.68	0	60.68
Immediately after the transaction	Direct Interest	Deemed Interest	Total
No. of voting shares/units held and/or underlying the rights/options/warrants/convertible debentures :	0	0	0
As a percentage of total no. of voting shares/units: 	0	0	0

8. Circumstances giving rise to deemed interests (*if the interest is such*):
[You may attach a chart in item 10 to illustrate how the Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder's deemed interest arises]

NA

9. Relationship between the Substantial Shareholders/Unitholders giving notice in this form:
[You may attach a chart in item 10 to show the relationship between the Substantial Shareholders/Unitholders]

Approximately 99.44% of the issued shares of World Holdings (Pte) Limited is held by Chou Cheng Ngok. Accordingly, Chou Cheng Ngok is deemed to be interested in the shares held by World Holdings (Pte) Limited.

10. Attachments (*if any*): 



(The total file size for all attachment(s) should not exceed 1MB.)

11. If this is a **replacement** of an earlier notification, please provide:

- (a) SGXNet announcement reference of the **first** notification which was announced on SGXNet (*the "Initial Announcement"*):

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- (b) Date of the Initial Announcement:

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- (c) 15-digit transaction reference number of the relevant transaction in the Form 3 which was attached in the Initial Announcement:

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12. Remarks (*if any*):

In this form, unless otherwise stated, all references to the total number of shares of Popular Holdings Limited shall be to 797,090,755 shares.

Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder **B** 

1. Name of Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder:

Chou Cheng Ngok

2. Is Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder a fund manager or a person whose interest in the securities of the Listed Issuer are held solely through fund manager(s)?

☐ Yes

☒ No

3. Notification in respect of:

- ☐ Becoming a Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder
- ☒ Change in the percentage level of interest while still remaining a Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder
- ☐ Ceasing to be a Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder

4. Date of acquisition of or change in interest:

26-Feb-2015

5. Date on which Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder became aware of the acquisition of, or the change in, interest (if different from item 4 above, please specify the date):

26-Feb-2015

6. Explanation (if the date of becoming aware is different from the date of acquisition of, or the change in, interest):

NA

7. Quantum of total voting shares/units (including voting shares/units underlying rights/options/warrants/convertible debentures {conversion price known}) held by Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder before and after the transaction:

Immediately before the transaction	Direct Interest	Deemed Interest	Total
No. of voting shares/units held and/or underlying the rights/options/warrants/convertible debentures:	0	488,239,075	488,239,075
As a percentage of total no. of voting shares/units: 	0	61.25	61.25
Immediately after the transaction	Direct Interest	Deemed Interest	Total
No. of voting shares/units held and/or underlying the rights/options/warrants/convertible debentures :	0	746,659,112	746,659,112
As a percentage of total no. of voting shares/units: 	0	93.67	93.67

8. Circumstances giving rise to deemed interests (if the interest is such):

[You may attach a chart in item 10 to illustrate how the Substantial Shareholder/Unitholder's deemed interest arises]

On 14 January 2015, Grand Apex Holdings Pte. Ltd. (the "Offeror") announced a voluntary conditional cash offer for Popular Holdings Limited (the "Offer"), which turned unconditional on 26 February 2015 (the "Unconditional Date") and closed on 18 March 2015 (the "Close of Offer").

On the Unconditional Date, the Offeror announced that it had received valid acceptances of 483,676,075 shares from World Holdings (Pte) Limited, being all the shares in Popular Holdings Limited held by World Holdings (Pte) Limited. Chou Cheng Ngok owns approximately 99.44% of the issued shares of World Holdings (Pte) Limited. Accordingly, Chou Cheng Ngok is deemed to be interested in the shares held by World Holdings (Pte) Limited, which was tendered in acceptance of the Offer.

Chou Cheng Ngok owns 50% of the issued share capital of Grand Apex Holdings Pte. Ltd.. Accordingly, Chou Cheng Ngok is deemed to be interested in the shares held by Grand Apex Holdings Pte. Ltd.. Pursuant to the Close of Offer announcement dated 18 March 2015 by the Offeror, it was announced that Chou Cheng Ngok is deemed interested in all of the 746,659,112 shares held by the Offeror (which includes the shares tendered by World Holdings (Pte) Limited in acceptance of the Offer).

9. Relationship between the Substantial Shareholders/Unitholders giving notice in this form:
[You may attach a chart in item 10 to show the relationship between the Substantial Shareholders/Unitholders]

As stated in paragraph 9 of Substantial Shareholder A's notification above, Chou Cheng Ngok owns approximately 99.44% of the issued shares of World Holdings (Pte) Limited.

10. Attachments (if any): 



(The total file size for all attachment(s) should not exceed 1MB.)

11. If this is a **replacement** of an earlier notification, please provide:

- (a) SGXNet announcement reference of the **first** notification which was announced on SGXNet (the "Initial Announcement"):

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- (b) Date of the Initial Announcement:

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- (c) 15-digit transaction reference number of the relevant transaction in the Form 3 which was attached in the Initial Announcement:

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12. Remarks (if any):

In this form, unless otherwise stated, all references to the total number of shares of Popular Holdings Limited shall be to 797,090,755 shares.

Part IV - Transaction details

1. Type of securities which are the subject of the transaction (*more than one option may be chosen*):

- ☒ Voting shares/units
☐ Rights/Options/Warrants over voting shares/units
☐ Convertible debentures over voting shares/units (*conversion price known*)
☐ Others (*please specify*):

2. Number of shares, units, rights, options, warrants and/or principal amount of convertible debentures acquired or disposed of by Substantial Shareholders/Unitholders:

483,676,075

3. Amount of consideration paid or received by Substantial Shareholders/Unitholders (*excluding brokerage and stamp duties*):

S\$154,776,344

4. Circumstance giving rise to the interest or change in interest:

Acquisition of:

- ☐ Securities via market transaction
☐ Securities via off-market transaction (*e.g. married deals*)
☐ Securities via physical settlement of derivatives or other securities
☐ Securities pursuant to rights issue
☐ Securities via a placement
☐ Securities following conversion/exercise of rights, options, warrants or other convertibles

Disposal of:

- ☐ Securities via market transaction
☐ Securities via off-market transaction (*e.g. married deals*)

Other circumstances:

- ☒ Acceptance of take-over offer for the Listed Issuer
☐ Corporate action by the Listed Issuer which Substantial Shareholders/Unitholders did not participate in (*please specify*):

- ☐ Others (*please specify*):

Item 5 is to be completed by an individual submitting this notification form on behalf of the Substantial Shareholders/Unitholders.

5. Particulars of Individual submitting this notification form to the Listed Issuer:

(a) Name of Individual:

Chou Cheng Ngok

(b) Designation (if applicable):

Director

(c) Name of entity (if applicable):

World Holdings (Pte) Limited

Transaction Reference Number (auto-generated):

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