

**CHANGE - ANNOUNCEMENT OF APPOINTMENT::APPOINTMENT OF LEAD INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR****Issuer & Securities**

## Issuer/ Manager

DARCO WATER TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED

## Securities

DARCO WATER TECHNOLOGIES LTD - SG1CC9000009 - BLR

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**Announcement Details**

## Announcement Title

Change - Announcement of Appointment

## Date &amp; Time of Broadcast

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## Status

New

## Announcement Sub Title

Appointment of Lead Independent Director

## Announcement Reference

SG200703OTHRWOKN

## Submitted By (Co./ Ind. Name)

Poh Kok Hong

## Designation

Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer

## Description (Please provide a detailed description of the event in the box below)

Appointment of Lead Independent Director

**Additional Details**

## Date Of Appointment

06/07/2020

## Name Of Person

Sim Guan Seng

## Age

61

## Country Of Principal Residence

Singapore

[The Board's comments on this appointment \(including rationale, selection criteria, and the search and nomination process\)](#)

The Board of Directors, having considered the qualifications and working experience of Mr Sim Guan Seng, is of the view that he has the requisite experience and capabilities to assume the responsibilities as the Lead Independent Director of the Company, the Chairman of the Audit Committee and a member of the Nominating Committee.

Accordingly, the Board of Directors has approved the appointment of Mr Sim Guan Seng as the Lead Independent Director of the Company, the Chairman of the Audit Committee and a member of the Nominating Committee.

[Whether appointment is executive, and if so, the area of responsibility](#)

Non-Executive

[Job Title \(e.g. Lead ID, AC Chairman, AC Member etc.\)](#)

Lead Independent Director  
AC Chairman  
NC Member

[Professional qualifications](#)

Bachelor of Accountancy and Certified Internal Auditor

[Any relationship \(including immediate family relationships\) with any existing director, existing executive officer, the issuer and/ or substantial shareholder of the listed issuer or any of its principal subsidiaries](#)

Nil

[Conflict of interests \(including any competing business\)](#)

Nil

[Working experience and occupation\(s\) during the past 10 years](#)

Assurance Partner of Baker Tilly TFW LLP

[Undertaking submitted to the listed issuer in the form of Appendix 7.7 \(Listing Rule 704\(7\)\) Or Appendix 7H \(Catalist Rule 704\(6\)\)](#)

Yes

[Shareholding interest in the listed issuer and its subsidiaries?](#)

No

# These fields are not applicable for announcements of appointments pursuant to Listing Rule 704 (9) or Catalist Rule 704 (8).

[Past \(for the last 5 years\)](#)

Directorships  
Cennerv Pharmaceuticals Pte. Ltd.  
VSC International Pte Ltd  
Varun Asia Pte Ltd

[Principal Commitments](#)

None

[Present](#)

Directorships  
Baker Tilly Consultancy (Singapore) Pte. Ltd.  
Lightway Corporate Services Pte. Ltd.  
Park Crescent Services Pte Ltd

St. James' Preschool Services (Anglican) Ltd.  
TFW Management Services Pte Ltd

#### Principal Commitments

Assurance Partner of Baker Tilly TFW LLP  
AC Chairman of Singapore Accountancy Commission  
AC Chairman of NCC Research Fund  
AC Chairman of NCCS Cancer Fund

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(a) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, an application or a petition under any bankruptcy law of any jurisdiction was filed against him or against a partnership of which he was a partner at the time when he was a partner or at any time within 2 years from the date he ceased to be a partner?

No

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(b) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, an application or a petition under any law of any jurisdiction was filed against an entity (not being a partnership) of which he was a director or an equivalent person or a key executive, at the time when he was a director or an equivalent person or a key executive of that entity or at any time within 2 years from the date he ceased to be a director or an equivalent person or a key executive of that entity, for the winding up or dissolution of that entity or, where that entity is the trustee of a business trust, that business trust, on the ground of insolvency?

No

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(c) Whether there is any unsatisfied judgment against him?

No

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(d) Whether he has ever been convicted of any offence, in Singapore or elsewhere, involving fraud or dishonesty which is punishable with imprisonment, or has been the subject of any criminal proceedings (including any pending criminal proceedings of which he is aware) for such purpose?

No

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(e) Whether he has ever been convicted of any offence, in Singapore or elsewhere, involving a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, or has been the subject of any criminal proceedings (including any pending criminal proceedings of which he is aware) for such breach?

No

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(f) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, judgment has been entered against him in any civil proceedings in Singapore or elsewhere involving a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, or a finding of fraud, misrepresentation or dishonesty on his part, or he has been the subject of any civil proceedings (including any pending civil proceedings of which he is aware) involving an allegation of fraud, misrepresentation or dishonesty on his part?

No

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(g) Whether he has ever been convicted in Singapore or elsewhere of any offence in connection with the formation or management of any entity or business trust?

No

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(h) Whether he has ever been disqualified from acting as a director or an equivalent person of any entity (including the trustee of a business trust), or from taking part directly or indirectly in the management of any entity or business trust?

No

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(i) Whether he has ever been the subject of any order, judgment or ruling of any court, tribunal or governmental body, permanently or temporarily enjoining him from engaging in any type of business practice or activity?

No

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(j) Whether he has ever, to his knowledge, been concerned with the management or conduct, in Singapore or elsewhere, of the affairs of :-

(i) any corporation which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing corporations in Singapore or elsewhere; or

No

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(ii) any entity (not being a corporation) which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing such entities in Singapore or elsewhere; or

No

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(iii) any business trust which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing business trusts in Singapore or elsewhere; or

No

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(iv) any entity or business trust which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, in connection with any matter occurring or arising during that period when he was so concerned with the entity or business trust?

No

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(k) Whether he has been the subject of any current or past investigation or disciplinary proceedings, or has been reprimanded or issued any warning, by the Monetary Authority of Singapore or any other regulatory authority, exchange, professional body or government agency, whether in Singapore or elsewhere?

No

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Any prior experience as a director of an issuer listed on the Exchange?

No

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If no, please state if the director has attended or will be attending training on the roles and responsibilities of a director of a listed issuer as prescribed by the Exchange

Mr Sim Guan Seng will be attending training on the roles and responsibilities of a director of a listed issuer as prescribed by the Exchange in due course.

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