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SCHEMES OF ARRANGEMENT

This is the 5th in our series of seminars conducted by IPAS for the insolvency professionals.

Date

30 January 2008
(3.5 CPD hours)

Time

1.30 pm to 5.30 pm

Venue

Singapore Accountancy Academy
(City Campus)
6 Raffles Quay #23-00
Singapore 048580

Seminar Fee (incl. 7% GST)

S\$ 96.30 (IPAS Members)
S\$ 128.40 (Non-Members)

Closing Date

24 January 2008

Conducted by highly qualified leaders in their respective fields, this series offers participants an insightful hands-on & practical approach by examining the various aspects of insolvency from various angles in the topics offered.

Seminar Outline

- 1) A back to basics study of the law and procedure for Schemes of Arrangement
- 2) An overview of key case law developments in Singapore, UK and Australia in the last decade.
- 3) Practical pointers on managing issues in implementing a Scheme of Arrangement with creditors and shareholders
- 4) Highlights of dangers and pitfalls in Schemes of Arrangement
- 5) Personal insights into the creditors' and shareholders' Scheme of Arrangement in the restructuring of China Aviation Oil
- 6) Looking forward – personal views on law reform relating to Schemes of Arrangement

Trainer: Mr Patrick Ang

(see overleaf for Trainer's Profile)

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- SAA reserves the right to close registration before the closing date if the maximum capacity is attained.
- A top-up of seminar fees will be required when a non-member substitutes a member registrant. There will be no refund should a non-member be substituted by a member registrant.
- All participants will receive an email notification latest 1 week prior to the seminar date. Please contact us should you not receive any by then.

Trainer: Mr Patrick Ang

Patrick Ang is an Executive Committee Partner in the law firm, Rajah & Tann. He is a senior practitioner in the firm's Restructuring and Insolvency Department, which is the largest such specialised department in Singapore and the region.

Patrick has more than 18 years of experience handling both contentious and non-contentious matters. His area of specialisation is in corporate restructuring and insolvency, acting for financial institutions and companies in many major and publicised cases. These include Asia Pulp and Paper, the collapse of Lewis and Peat (one of the world's largest rubber trading houses), the Sogo Department Store group of companies, Vikay Industrial, Alliance Technology & Development, Showpla Asia, BBR Holdings, Measorex Group, PT Ometraco, Admiralty Leisure (owners of Tang Dynasty Theme Park), Lernout & Hauspie Group, Beng & Ooi Medical Group and Chew Eu Hock Holdings.

He was also the lead counsel by China Aviation Oil Corporation to represent the company in its highly publicised and successful debt and equity restructuring involving debts of more than US\$600 million. This case was significant for being the first successful restructuring of a public company owned by a Chinese State Owned Enterprise and was also the largest restructuring in Singapore. The deal won Asian Legal Business Singapore Deal of the Year Award for Insolvency and Restructuring in the years 2005 and 2006.

Patrick has also argued successfully in several large and publicised landmark cases before the High Court and Court of Appeal. In particular, he successfully represented Commerzbank in a landmark decision in the High Court and Court of Appeal relating to the Malaysian Foreign Exchange Control Regulations. He also represented judicial managers of a Singapore listed company in a successful challenge before the High Court against a claim for priority by the Central Provident Fund.

Patrick has been consistently recognised as a leading lawyer internationally in his field in consecutive years by *Asian Legal Business Legal Who's Who Singapore*, *AsiaLaw Leading Lawyers*, *Asia Law & Practice*, *Asialaw Profiles*, *International Who's Who of Insolvency and Restructuring Lawyers*, *Euromoney Guide To The World's Leading Insolvency and Restructuring Lawyers*, *International Financial Law Review 1000*, *Asia Pacific Legal 500* and *Chambers Global - The World's Leading Lawyers*.

Patrick is a member of the Singapore Government Ministry of Law Working Committee dealing with legislative reform in Singapore in relation to corporate insolvency and personal bankruptcy law. He is also currently the Deputy Chairman of the Insolvency Practitioners Association of Singapore, and was the Chairman of the Singapore Law Society's Insolvency Practice Committee from 2005 to 2007.