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APPOINTMENT OF SECOND SOLICITOR-GENERAL MR KWEK MEAN LUCK

- 1 The Legal Service Commission President and Members have re-appointed Mr Kwek Mean Luck (郭民力) to the Legal Service and as the Second Solicitor-General ("2SG") of the Attorney-General's Chambers. Mr Kwek, currently the Deputy Secretary (Development) in the Public Service Division of the Prime Minister's Office and Dean and Chief Executive of the Civil Service College Singapore, will assume office on 1 July 2015.
- 2 Mr Kwek, 42, read law at the University of Cambridge on an Overseas Merit Scholarship from the Public Service Commission. He later obtained a Master of Laws from Harvard University under the Lee Kuan Yew Scholarship in 2000. Mr Kwek was awarded the prestigious USA Eisenhower Fellowship in 2012.
- 3 Mr Kwek began his career as a Legal Service Officer. He was a Justices' Law Clerk at the Supreme Court in 1998 and was appointed District Judge in the then-Subordinate Courts (now State Courts) in October 2001. In July 2004, he was appointed Senior Assistant Registrar in the Supreme Court.
- Mr Kwek has also held several appointments in the Administrative Service. He was Deputy Secretary (Industry) in the Ministry of Trade and Industry from October 2009 to May 2012. Since June 2012, he has held concurrent appointments as the Deputy Secretary (Development) in the Public Service Division of the Prime Minister's Office, as well as Dean and Chief Executive of the Civil Service College.

In recognition of his outstanding contributions to Public Service, he was awarded the Public Administration Medal (Silver) in 2010. Mr Kwek has served on the board of several government agencies, such as the National Heritage Board, Sentosa Development Corporation, Economic Development Board and the Civil

Said Attorney-General VK Rajah S.C.: "I am very pleased by Mr Kwek Mean Luck's appointment as the AGC's Second Solicitor-General. Mr Kwek brings with him considerable experience and knowledge from his stints in both the Legal Service and the Administrative Service. As the AGC undergoes a period of reorganisation and process re-engineering, Mr Kwek's prior experiences will be valuable."

Thank you.

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