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ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

AARG ASEAN Audit Regulator Group

AC **Audit Committees**

ACRA SingaporeAccounting and Corporate Regulatory Authority of Singapore

AIR Annual Inspection Report

Audit Oversight Board **AOB**

BNM Bank Negara Malaysia

ESG environmental, social, and governance

EQR Engagement Quality Review

IFIAR International Forum of Independent Audit Regulators

IFRS International Financial Reporting Standards

IOSWG Investor and Other Stakeholders Working Group

ISA International Standards on Auditing

ISQM International Standards on Quality Management

MIA Malaysian Institute of Accountants

MIA By-Laws (on Professional Ethics, Conduct and Practice) MIA By-Laws

MICPA Malaysian Institute of Certified Public Accountants

NAV net asset value

PIE public-interest entity

PLC public-listed company

SC Securities Commission Malaysia

SCMA Securities Commission Malaysia Act 1993

Companies Commission of Malaysia SSM

DEFINITIONS

Auditor

An individual auditor or audit firm who is registered or recognised under section 310 of the SCMA as a registered auditor or recognised auditor of a PIE or schedule fund.

Major Audit Firms

Major Audit Firms are audit firms that have more than 50 PIE audit clients with a total market capitalisation of above RM15 billion.

Other Audit Firms

Audit firms other than Major Audit Firms.

Public-interest entity

Entity specified in Part 1 of Schedule 1 of the SCMA-

- (a) a PLC or a corporation listed on the stock exchange;
- (b) a bank licensed under the Financial Services Act 2013;
- (c) an insurer licensed under the Financial Services Act 2013;
- (d) a takaful operator licensed under the Islamic Financial Services Act 2013:
- (e) an Islamic bank licensed under the Islamic Financial Services Act 2013;
- (f) a person prescribed as a prescribed financial institution under section 212 of the Financial Services Act 2013 or a person prescribed as a prescribed Islamic financial institution under section 223 of the Islamic Financial Services Act 2013;
- (g) a developmental financial institution prescribed under the Development Financial Institutions Act 2002;
- (h) a holder of the Capital Markets Services Licence for the carrying on of the regulated activities of dealing in securities, dealing in derivatives or fund management;
- (i) an exchange holding company approved under the securities laws;
- (j) an exchange approved under the securities laws;
- (k) a central depository approved under the securities laws;
- (I) a clearing house approved under the securities laws;
- (m) a self-regulatory organisation recognised under the securities laws;
- (n) a private retirement scheme administrator approved under the securities laws;
- (o) a trade repository approved under the securities laws;
- (p) the Capital Market Compensation Fund Corporation;
- (g) any other person as the Minister may prescribe by order published in the *Gazette*.

Schedule fund

Fund specified in Part 2 of Schedule 1 of the SCMA-

- (a) a private retirement scheme approved by the SC under the Capital Market and Services Act 2007 (CMSA);
- (b) a unit trust scheme approved, authorised or recognised by the SC under the CMSA; and
- (c) any other capital market funds as may be specified by the SC.