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NOTICE: MASS CALL 2013 and CPD REQUIREMENTS 2013

1. This notice clarifies the CPD requirements applicable to advocates and solicitors admitted to the Singapore Bar at Mass Call 2013 on 27 July 2013.
2. Solicitors admitted at Mass Call 2013 are regulated under the mandatory CPD scheme administered by the Singapore Institute of Legal Education.
3. CPD Year 2013 commenced on 1 January 2013 and ends on 31 December 2013.
4. Under the [CPD Rules 2012](#), if a solicitor admitted at Mass Call 2013 holds a practising certificate ('PC') dated on or after 1 August 2013 then he will not need to obtain any CPD points for CPD Year 2013. Consequently, he will not need to attend the [Mandatory Ethics Programme 2013](#).
5. However, if a solicitor admitted at Mass Call 2013 holds a PC dated before 1 August 2013 for the remainder of CPD Year 2013, then he would have held a PC for more than 5 months in CPD Year 2013. Therefore, he would be required to obtain 8 CPD points (at least 4 of which must be public CPD points) and attend the Mandatory Ethics Programme 2013.
6. For more information on the mandatory CPD scheme and CPD requirements, please visit the SILE CPD Centre at www.sileCPDcentre.org.sg.

Yours faithfully,
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