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To: CIJC Members, CORENET Users, Industry Firms

APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR (BUILDSG)

With effect from 3 September 2018, Mr Tai Lee Siang will be appointed the Building and Construction Authority's (BCA) Executive Director (BuildSG). BuildSG seeks to foster closer collaboration with industry stakeholders, including the Trade Associations and Chambers (TACs), firms, institutes of higher learning (IHLs) and unions, in realising the outcomes of the

Industry Transformation Map (ITM).

2. Mr Tai will head BuildSG which comprises three centres that will work closely with

stakeholders to transform the construction industry in workforce capability (iBuildSG),

partnership and collaboration (weBuildSG), and internationalisation (SGBuilds).

3. Mr Tai is an accomplished architect who began practising in 1990 with many of his

projects having won local and international awards. From 2010 to 2016, Mr Tai was the Group

Managing Director of Ong&Ong Group - a 900-strong multi-disciplinary design firm. In

addition, having taken on advisory and consultative roles helping businesses and

organisations to transform towards greener and more sustainable futures, his contributions

culminated in his election as the Singapore Green Building Council president in 2011 before

going on to become the World Green Building Council chairman in 2016 for a two-year term,

which has recently concluded. Mr Tai brings with him a wealth of experience and leadership

from the built environment - at home and internationally, which will help to accelerate our

collective efforts to transform the built environment sector.

Enclosed:

Annex – BCA Organisation Chart (with effect from 3 September 2018)

## **BCA** organisation structure

(wef 3 September 2018)

