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Section 7

NOTICE OF ELECTION OF PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SINGAPORE

The Prime Minister having issued his writ for the election of the President of the Republic of Singapore, the Returning Officer will on 13 September 2017, between 11 a.m. and 12 noon at PEOPLE'S ASSOCIATION, 9 KING GEORGE'S AVENUE, SINGAPORE 208581, proceed to the nomination and, if there is no opposition, to the election of the President of the Republic of Singapore.

By virtue of Article 19B(1) of the Constitution, read with section 5A(1) of and the Schedule to the Presidential Elections Act, the election under the writ is reserved for the Malay community.

Forms of nomination papers may be obtained at the office of the Returning Officer between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. daily except on Saturday when the office closes at 1 p.m. (Sunday and public holiday excepted).

Every nomination paper must be signed by any 6 or more persons whose names appear in any current register of electors and be handed to the Returning Officer between 11 a.m. and 12 noon on nomination day.

A nomination paper for the nomination of a person is invalid and may not be acted upon by the Returning Officer, unless the nomination paper contains or is accompanied by —

- (a) the consent in writing of the person;
- (b) a deposit of \$43,500 in cash, or a bank draft or a certified cheque for that amount;
- (c) a statutory declaration by the person for the purposes of section 9(3)(c) of the Presidential Elections Act;
- (d) a political donation certificate issued to the person by the Registrar of Political Donations under section 18(4) of the Political Donations Act (Cap. 236);
- (e) a certificate of eligibility issued to the person by the Presidential Elections Committee; and
- (f) a community certificate issued by the Community Committee stating that the person belongs to the Malay community.

The office of the Returning Officer is situated at the Elections Department, 11 Prinsep Link, Singapore 187949.

Dated 28 August 2017.

NG WAI CHOONG Returning Officer, Singapore.

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