

SINGAPORE CIVIL DEFENCE FORCE

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Registrar, Board of Architects

Registrar, Professional Engineers Board

President, Singapore Institute of Architects

President, Institution of Engineers, Singapore

President, Association of Consulting Engineers, Singapore

Dear Sir/Mdm

INVITATION FOR REGISTRATION AS FIRE SAFETY ENGINEER (FSE)

The SCDF has commenced its 16th FSE registration exercise and invites application for registration as FSE. The closing date for this application is on 31 Jan 2020.

- 2. The registration criteria for application are as follows:
 - (a) Possess at least a degree qualification in the field of fire safety engineering;
 - (b) Have at least 5 continuous years of relevant practical experience in the design of fire safety works in buildings acquired after obtaining the degree in para 2(a), of which 3 years or more in aggregate shall involve projects based on fire safety engineering solutions; and
 - (c) Must have maintained a clean record and must not have been found guilty of an offence under the Fire Safety Act, Professional Engineers Act or Architects Act.
- 3. Applicants who wish to register as a Fire Safety Engineer shall submit the following to the Fire Safety Engineers Selection Panel:
 - (a) Application form "APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION AS FIRE SAFETY ENGINEER" which can be downloaded on our website (www.scdf.gov.sg):











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- (b) certified true copies of documentary evidence of the applicant's qualifications and practical experience;
- (c) recent testimonials from 2 referees as to the applicant's good character;
 - (i) referees are to submit Letter of Reference directly to SCDF at the following address:

The Secretariat
Fire Safety Engineers Selection Panel
Fire Safety & Shelter Department
HQ SCDF
91 Ubi Avenue 4
Singapore 408827

- (d) letter of undertaking by the applicant, stating the following:
 - (i) whether disciplinary or criminal proceedings are pending or contemplated against the applicant; and
 - (ii) whether the applicant's professional conduct is or has been under investigation; and
 - (iii) whether the applicant has any previous disciplinary or criminal records;
- (e) photocopy of personal identification documents for identity verification: E.g. NRIC, Passport, Employment Pass, etc.
- (f) a fire safety engineering report for an actual fire safety engineering project;
 - (i) The applicant must be involved in drafting the report;
 - (ii) The report should best illustrate the range and depth of the applicant's fire engineering knowledge;
 - (iii) The report shall be reviewed and substantiated by the project FSE as being a true representation of the applicant's work;











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- (iv) In the case of an applicant who is a foreign registered FSE, his/her work shall be reviewed and substantiated by the project director associated with the project.
- 4. One set of the above supporting documents are to be submitted in <u>both</u> <u>hardcopy and softcopy (CD-ROM)</u>, together with a non-refundable application fee of S\$475 made payable to Commissioner SCDF, directly to:

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- 5. Applicants who meet the above requirements will be selected by SCDF to attend an interview with the Fire Safety Engineers Selection Panel. Interviews for registration will tentatively commence around Mar/Apr 2020 onwards. Shortlisted applicants will be notified of the interview date and time around one month before the interview.
- 6. For more information on the performance-based regulatory system, you may visit the SCDF website (www.scdf.gov.sg).

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- 7. Please convey the contents of this circular to members of your Board/Institution/ Association. This circular shall take immediate effect and is also available in CORENET-e-Info: https://www.corenet.gov.sg/general/e-info.aspx.
- 8. For any inquiry or clarification on the above, please contact LTC Tong Hong Haey at DID: 68481448 (E-mail: Tong_Hong_Haey@scdf.gov.sg).

Yours faithfully,

(transmitted via e-mail)

LTC Tan Chung Yee
Fire Safety & Shelter Department
for Commissioner











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