

Greetings from the Dormitory Association of Singapore Limited (DASL)!

My name is Sherlene, Secretariat Manager of DASL. I am writing to update you on the upcoming Dormitory Transformation Scheme (DTS) led by the Ministry of Manpower (MOM), and to seek PEB's partnership in engaging Professional Engineers for this national initiative.

DASL is the recognised trade association representing the interests of dormitory operators across Singapore. As the industry prepares for a major transition to meet the new standards under the Dormitory Transformation Scheme, we anticipate a significant need for Qualified Persons (QPs) to support the transformation and upgrading works across the sector. For your reference, we have attached the media release on DTS.

About DTS

DTS will involve A&A upgrades across more than 1,000 dormitories over the coming years. This presents a substantial opportunity for Civil & Structural Professional Engineers and related disciplines to contribute expertise in:

- assessing infrastructural constraints,
- proposing practical and safe compliance solutions, and
- supervising A&A works to uplift dormitory living standards.

How DASL hopes to partner with PEB

1. Member Outreach & Participation

- Co-engage PEs who may be keen to take part in DTS-related works.
- Invite PEs to join DASL's Panel of Consultants, which will assess waiver requests and advise on dorm-specific constraints.

2. Targeted CPD & Training

- Encourage interested PEs to attend our FEDA: Fundamentals of En-suite Dormitory Accommodation course, specially curated for QPs and PEs involved in dormitory projects.
- The course has been accredited by PEB for 12 CPD points and covers dormitory design requirements, operational considerations, compliance guidelines, and case studies.

If you are agreeable, we would appreciate the opportunity to schedule a Zoom call to walk through the DTS timelines, scope, and proposed areas of collaboration.

Thank you for considering this partnership. We believe that the expertise of the PE community will be pivotal in ensuring safe, practical, and timely upgrades across Singapore's dormitory sector.

Regards,

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