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**Mr Hazri Hassan Appointed as Executive Director
of the Singapore Environment Council**

Singapore, 15 September 2023 – The Singapore Environment Council (SEC) is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Hazri Hassan as Executive Director with effect from November 1st, 2023.

Hazri brings over 30 years of experience and expertise to this role. His dedication to environmental causes, coupled with his strategic vision, make him the ideal candidate to lead SEC into a new era of growth in promoting environmental sustainability and enabling green development. Hazri has previously held key leadership roles as Divisional Director (International Policy) in the Ministry of Sustainability and the Environment, as well as Permanent Representative of Singapore to the United Nations Environment Programme. His manifold contributions to sustainable development and cross-border collaboration have garnered him respect from stakeholders across the globe.

"We are delighted to welcome Mr. Hazri Hassan as the new Executive Director of the Singapore Environment Council," said Ms. Isabella Huang-Loh, Chairman of the Singapore Environment Council. *"He will help drive meaningful transformation and cultivate global partnerships, which aligns with SEC's mission as a council to establish collaborations with social enterprises and the people sector, and lead the way in expanding international green markets for environmentally conscious businesses".*

Hazri added, *"I am honoured and excited to take on this new role at Singapore Environment Council. I am committed to building on the organisation's legacy and working closely with the dedicated team to drive positive change for environment and community."*

Hazri's appointment marks a pivotal moment for SEC, positioning the organisation to further its mission of environmental sustainability and stewardship. His expertise and global perspective will significantly advance SEC's initiatives and strengthen Singapore's role in tackling environmental challenges as well as tapping critical opportunities for positive change.

About Singapore Environment Council

Established in 1995, the Singapore Environment Council (SEC) enables businesses in their sustainability journeys through its globally recognised environmental certification programme under the Global Ecolabelling Network (GEN). In line with the national targets outlined in the SG Green Plan 2030, SEC focuses on raising public awareness on sustainability issues and fosters capability and capacity building through Public Private People (3Ps) partnership. As a not-for-profit, non-governmental organisation (NGO), SEC is approved under the Institution of Public Character (IPC) which extends tax exemption to donors.

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