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To: CEA Approved Course Providers (ACPs)

Dear Sir/Madam,

## [NOTICE 22-22] UPDATED ADVISORY ON THE CONDUCT OF REAL ESTATE SALESPERSON (RES) AND REAL ESTATE AGENCY (REA) COURSES AS WE MOVE TOWARDS COVID-19 RESILIENCE FROM 29 AUGUST 2022

- 1. This notice is to update course providers on the measures to observe for the conduct of inperson RES and REA courses, from 29 August 2022 onwards.
- 2. On 24 August 2022, the Multi-Ministry Taskforce (MTF) announced that the mask-wearing requirement for indoor settings will be removed except in public transport, healthcare, and residential care settings<sup>1</sup>, from 29 August 2022.
- 3. With the updated measures, mask-wearing will be <u>optional</u> for in-person courses conducted at indoor settings. However, course providers may choose to impose maskwearing or other additional requirements, if you assess there is a need to do so. If so, you should be prepared to publicly explain the rationale for such additional requirements.
- 4. All course trainers, participants, and employees of course providers are strongly encouraged to continue exercising personal and social responsibility. If unwell, individuals should mask-up and minimise in-person interactions. They should also self-isolate if they test positive for COVID-19, in accordance with Ministry of Health's (MOH) prevailing guidelines and protocols.
- Course providers may continue to conduct RES and REA courses online and are to align the measures to observe for the conduct of in-person courses with <u>SkillsFuture Singapore's</u> (SGG) advisory. If you require any clarification, please email Mr Lee Chee Keong at <u>lee\_chee\_keong@cea.gov.sg</u> or Ms Angie Han at <u>angie\_han@cea.gov.sg</u>. Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Please click <u>here</u> to refer to the Ministry of Health's (MOH) press release dated 24 August 2022 for details on the settings where the indoor mask-wearing requirement will continue to apply.