



Open recruitment for EAA CEO post

(19 February 2009) The Estate Agents Authority (EAA) Board resolved on 22 January 2009, upon expiry of the current contract of the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) Ms Sandy Chan in July 2009, to go for open recruitment for the post of CEO.

The Board has proceeded in accordance with both EAA's constitutional and contractual obligations in coming to the decision. The decision was made after due process and careful deliberations. The Board looks forward to an open recruitment exercise for candidates of high integrity, leadership and sound management skills.

As a statutory body, the EAA owes a duty to the public to be open and accountable in its recruitment of management. It is of utmost importance this discipline is practised. Insofar as Ms Chan's departure, it is based on a normal expiry of a fixed-term contract. There is no issue of either party serving each other any notice of termination.

A recruitment panel, chaired by the EAA Chairman and consisting of five Board Members, will be tasked with the mission of selection of the new CEO. The recruitment advertisement has been posted and the deadline for applying is 20 March 2009.

EAA Chairman Ms Vivien Chan

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