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Annual Renewal for 2023

For CPAs (practising), CPA Firms and Corporate Practices

The current registration of CPAs (practising), CPA firms and corporate practices will expire on 31 December 2022. A practising certificate holder (i.e. CPA (practising)), a CPA firm or a corporate practice may apply to the Accounting and Financial Reporting Council ("AFRC") for renewal of its registration during 1 November – 15 December 2022. Please note that:

- Renewal fees for 2023 are waived
- Renewal applications must be submitted online through the AFRC's Online Application System
- Late submission of renewal application after 15 December 2022 will not be accepted.

The AFRC's Online Application System can be accessed by signing in to "MyAccount". Click HERE to activate your account and click HERE to view a video on "How to activate and login the AFRC's Online Application System" if needed.

Practising Certificate Holders

You are required to:

- (i) complete and submit the online renewal application form (sample form is available <u>HERE</u> for reference only); and
- (ii) ensure you have renewed your registration as a certified public accountant with the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("**HKICPA**").

CPA Firms

You are required to:

- (i) complete and submit the online renewal application form (sample form is available <u>HERE</u> for reference only); and
- (ii) ensure all partners of your CPA firm have renewed their practising certificate with the AFRC and / or registration as a certified public accountant with the HKICPA.

Corporate Practice

You are required to:

- (i) complete and submit the online renewal application form (sample form is available <u>HERE</u> for reference only;
- (ii) complete the amendment of the articles of association ("AA") of your corporate practice according to the Model AA (1 October 2022) issued by the HKICPA; and
- (iii) ensure all member directors of your corporate practice have renewed their practising certificate with the AFRC and / or registration as a certified public accountant with the HKICPA.

Enquiries: By email to registration@afrc.org.hk or call +852 3586 7800