CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

STOCK CODE : 5028

COMPANY NAME : HeiTech Padu Berhad FINANCIAL YEAR : December 31, 2021

OUTLINE:

SECTION A – DISCLOSURE ON MALAYSIAN CODE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCEDisclosures in this section are pursuant to Paragraph 15.25 of Bursa Malaysia Listing Requirements.

SECTION B – DISCLOSURES ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES PERSUANT CORPORATE GOVERNANCE GUIDELINES ISSUED BY BANK NEGARA MALAYSIA

Disclosures in this section are pursuant to Appendix 4 (Corporate Governance Disclosures) of the Corporate Governance Guidelines issued by Bank Negara Malaysia. This section is only applicable for financial institutions or any other institutions that are listed on the Exchange that are required to comply with the above Guidelines.

SECTION A - DISCLOSURE ON MALAYSIAN CODE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

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Intended Outcome

Every company is headed by a board, which assumes responsibility for the company's leadership and is collectively responsible for meeting the objectives and goals of the company.

Practice 1.1

The board should set the company's strategic aims, ensure that the necessary resources are in place for the company to meet its objectives and review management performance. The board should set the company's values and standards, and ensure that its obligations to its shareholders and other stakeholders are understood and met.

Application	: Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	: The Board has established clear functions reserved for the Board and those delegated to the Management. There is a formal schedule of matters reserved to the Board for its deliberation and decision to ensure the direction and control of the Company are in its hands. The delineation of the Board's roles and responsibilities are also clearly set out in the Board Charter which serves as a reference point for Board activities and reinforces the supervisory role of the Board. The Board is bestowed with duties and responsibilities to ensure the interest of shareholders are protected. The Board's roles and responsibilities are set out in the Board Charter which spells out as follows: • Reviewing and adopting a strategic plan for the Group; • Overseeing the performance of the Management; • Monitoring and managing principal risks of the business; • Ensuring implementation of appropriate internal controls and mitigation measures; • Succession planning for senior management; • Overseeing the development and implementation of a stakeholder communication policy for the Group; and • Reviewing the adequacy and the integrity of the management information and internal control system of the Group.
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Practice 1.2

A Chairman of the board who is responsible for instilling good corporate governance practices, leadership and effectiveness of the board is appointed.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Chairman's roles and responsibilities are established and he is primarily responsible for the effective functioning of the Board and related corporate affairs, and for formulating general Company policies and managing strategic business decisions sanctioned by the Board of Directors. The Chairman promotes a boardroom environment that is conducive to
		allow for expressions of views, discussions and effective debate. In a situation of differing opinions amongst the members of the Board, the Chairman provides his unbiased views and decisions to resolve the issued concerned.
		The Chairman leads the Board and Company to adhere to all relevant laws and regulations in pursuance of good corporate governance best practices.
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Practice 1.3The positions of Chairman and CEO are held by different individuals.

Application :	Applied
Explanation on : application of the practice	The roles and responsibilities of CEO in the Company is assumed by the Executive Deputy Chairman/President, Dato' Sri Mohd Hilmey Bin Mohd Taib. The positions of the Chairman and Executive Deputy Chairman/President are held by different individuals in order to promote accountability of board's discussion and avoid unfettered powers in decision making. The Chairman is led by Tan Sri Dato' Sri Abi Musa Asa'ari Bin Mohamed Nor and he is responsible to lead the Board in its collective oversight of management whilst the Executive Deputy Chairman/President is primarily responsible in implementing the Board's decision and
	oversees the Group's business and day-to-day management.
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Practice 1.4

The Chairman of the board should not be a member of the Audit Committee, Nomination Committee or Remuneration Committee

Note: If the board Chairman is not a member of any of these specified committees, but the board allows the Chairman to participate in any or all of these committees' meetings, by way of invitation,		
then the status of this practice should be a 'Departure'.		
Application :	Applied	
Explanation on : application of the practice	As the Chairman of the Board, Tan Sri Dato' Sri Abi Musa Asa'ari Bin Mohamed Nor is neither a member of the Audit Committee nor he is member of any other Board Committees. He does not attend nor participate in any meetings of the Board Committees by way of invitation or any any other capacity.	
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Practice 1.5

The board is supported by a suitably qualified and competent Company Secretary to provide sound governance advice, ensure adherence to rules and procedures, and advocate adoption of corporate governance best practices.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on	:	The Board is supported by qualified and competent Company
application of the		Secretaries to provide sound governance advice, ensure adherence to
practice		rules and procedures, and advocate the adoption of corporate
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		governance best practices. The Directors are also regularly updated and
		advised by the Company Secretaries on new statutory and regulatory
		requirements issued by regulatory authorities, and the resultant
		implications to the Company and the Directors in relation to their duties
		and responsibilities.
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Practice 1.6

Directors receive meeting materials, which are complete and accurate within a reasonable period prior to the meeting. Upon conclusion of the meeting, the minutes are circulated in a timely manner.

Application	:	Applied
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Explanation on	:	Board papers containing information for each item on the agenda, are
application of the		distributed to the Board members within a reasonable period prior to
practice		Board meetings to ensure that Directors have sufficient time to
.		evaluate and review the proposals to facilitate better discussion and
		deliberation at the meetings.
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		Access to Board papers is provided online through collaborative
		software which eases the process of distribution of meeting papers and
		minimises leakage of sensitive information, as well as enabling the
		Directors to have access to the papers electronically.
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There is demarcation of responsibilities between the board, board committees and management.

There is clarity in the authority of the board, its committees and individual directors.

Practice 2.1

The board has a board charter which is periodically reviewed and published on the company's website. The board charter clearly identifies—

- the respective roles and responsibilities of the board, board committees, individual directors and management; and
- issues and decisions reserved for the board.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on	:	The Board's stewardship has been formalised into a Board Charter,
application of the		which provides terms of reference for Directors in relation to their
practice		duties and responsibilities, and functions of the Board. The charter sets
		out the responsibilities of the members as a board which among others separates the role of the Chairman of the board from the Executive
		Director.
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The board is committed to promoting good business conduct and maintaining a healthy corporate culture that engenders integrity, transparency and fairness.

The board, management, employees and other stakeholders are clear on what is considered acceptable behaviour and practice in the company.

Practice 3.1

The board establishes a Code of Conduct and Ethics for the company, and together with management implements its policies and procedures, which include managing conflicts of interest, preventing the abuse of power, corruption, insider trading and money laundering.

The Code of Conduct and Ethics is published on the company's website.

Application :	Applied	
Explanation on :	A Code of Conduct and Ethics is formalised to articulate acceptable	
application of the	practices and to guide the behaviour of Directors, management and	
practice	employees of the Group when deal in situations that involve	
	compliance with laws, rules and regulation, conflict of interest, anti- corruption, confidentiality, insider trading, and improper use of company's assets.	
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Practice 3.2

The board establishes, reviews and together with management implements policies and procedures on whistleblowing.

Application :	Applied	
Explanation on :	A Whistleblowing Policy is adopted to provide a safe avenue for	
application of the	employees and stakeholder of HeiTech to disclose any improper	
practice	conduct concerning the Group. The Chairman of the Audit Committee	
	has been tasked to facilitate the investigation and proposed the	
	appropriate action to be taken.	
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The company addresses sustainability risks and opportunities in an integrated and strategic manner to support its long-term strategy and success.

Practice 4.1

The board together with management takes responsibility for the governance of sustainability in the company including setting the company's sustainability strategies, priorities and targets.

The board takes into account sustainability considerations when exercising its duties including among others the development and implementation of company strategies, business plans, major plans of action and risk management.

Strategic management of material sustainability matters should be driven by senior management.

Application	: Applied	
Explanation on	The Board together with Management takes responsibility for the	
application of the	governance of sustainability in the Company, including setting the	
practice	Company's sustainability strategies, priorities and targets. Performance	
	against these clearly set out targets are communicated to the	
	Company's internal and external stakeholders.	
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The company addresses sustainability risks and opportunities in an integrated and strategic manner to support its long-term strategy and success.

Practice 4.2

The board ensures that the company's sustainability strategies, priorities and targets as well as performance against these targets are communicated to its internal and external stakeholders.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	HeiTech Padu Berhad's Annual Report includes a Sustainability Statement which discloses the Company's sustainability strategies, priorities, and targets as well as performance and it serves as the main communication toll of the Company's sustainability to the internal and external stakeholders.
		The Annual Report is available on the website at https://www.heitech.com.my/
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Practice 4.3

The board takes appropriate action to ensure they stay abreast with and understand the sustainability issues relevant to the company and its business, including climate-related risks and opportunities.

Application :	Applied	
Explanation on : application of the practice	The Company Secretary and the Management will update the Board on the changes of the Listing Requirement upon receiving the circulars from Bursa Securities, which are relevant to the Company and provide advice on corporate disclosures and compliances which includes understanding of sustainability issues.	
	Where necessary, the Company will upskill the Board and Senior Management on sustainability issues including climate-related topics, such as internal workships and training.	
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Practice 4.4

Performance evaluations of the board and senior management include a review of the performance of the board and senior management in addressing the company's material sustainability risks and opportunities.

Application	:	Departure
Explanation on application of the practice	:	
Explanation for departure	:	A detailed study is required for developing the criteria for the performance evaluations of the Board and the Management to address the material sustainability risks and opportunities. The Company Secretary and the Management will work together to update the assessment form to include this criterion.
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Practice 4.5- Step Up

The board identifies a designated person within management, to provide dedicated focus to manage sustainability strategically, including the integration of sustainability considerations in the operations of the company.

Note: The explanation on adoption of this practice should include a brief description of the responsibilities of the designated person and actions or measures undertaken pursuant to the role in the financial year.		
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Board decisions are made objectively in the best interests of the company taking into account diverse perspectives and insights.

Practice 5.1

The Nomination Committee should ensure that the composition of the board is refreshed periodically. The tenure of each director should be reviewed by the Nomination Committee and annual re-election of a director should be contingent on satisfactory evaluation of the director's performance and contribution to the board.

Applied		
The Nomination and Remuneration Committee ("NRC") reviews the		
tenure of Directors from time to time especially, prior to the re-		
appointment upon expiry of their respective tenures as well as prior to		
their re-election at the Annual General Meeting ("AGM"). In reviewing		
the tenure of Directors, the NRC evaluates the effectiveness of the Board and Individual Directors.		
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Practice 5.2

At least half of the board comprises independent directors. For Large Companies, the board comprises a majority independent directors.

Application :	Applied	
Explanation on :	At present, the Board consists of ten (10) members, all of whom are	
application of the	non-executive, except for the Executive Deputy Chairman. Of the Nine	
practice	(9) Non-Executive Directors, Eight (8) are Independent Directors. The	
	composition fulfils the requirements set out under the MMLR of Bursa	
	Malaysia which stipulates that at least two (2) Directors or one-third of	
	the Board, whichever is higher, must be independent.	
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Practice 5.3

The tenure of an independent director does not exceed a cumulative term limit of nine years. Upon completion of the nine years, an independent director may continue to serve on the board as a non-independent director.

If the board intends to retain an independent director beyond nine years, it should provide justification and seek annual shareholders' approval through a two-tier voting process.

Application	Applied
Explanation on	Upon completion of nine years, an Independent Director would
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application of the	continue to serve on the board as non-independent director, if he/she
practice	is being re-appointed or re-elected to continue to serve the Board.
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Practice 5.4 - Step Up

The board has a policy which limits the tenure of its independent directors to nine years without further extension.

Note: To qualify for adoption of this Step Up practice, a listed issuer must have a formal policy which limits the tenure of an independent director to nine years without further extension i.e. shareholders' approval to retain the director as an independent director beyond nine years.		
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Practice 5.5

Appointment of board and senior management are based on objective criteria, merit and with due regard for diversity in skills, experience, age, cultural background and gender.

Directors appointed should be able to devote the required time to serve the board effectively. The board should consider the existing board positions held by a director, including on boards of non-listed companies. Any appointment that may cast doubt on the integrity and governance of the company should be avoided.

Application :	Applied
Explanation on :	The NRC is responsible for making recommendations to the Board for
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application of the	the appointment of Directors and the election/re-election of retiring
practice	Directors at the AGM.
	Further, the appointment of the Directors and Management Team are
	based on objective criteria, merit and besides gender diversity, due
	regard are placed for diversity in skills, experience, age and cultural
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Practice 5.6

In identifying candidates for appointment of directors, the board does not solely rely on recommendations from existing board members, management or major shareholders. The board utilises independent sources to identify suitably qualified candidates.

If the selection of candidates was based on recommendations made by existing directors, management or major shareholders, the Nominating Committee should explain why these source(s) suffice and other sources were not used.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on	:	The Board would consider various sources, including independent
application of the		sources if relevant, if it wishes to search for appropriate candidates to
• •		fulfil Board positions. The NRC would assess their suitability based on
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		the relevant criteria as may be identified by the Committee from time
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Practice 5.7

The board should ensure shareholders have the information they require to make an informed decision on the appointment and reappointment of a director. This includes details of any interest, position or relationship that might influence, or reasonably be perceived to influence, in a material respect their capacity to bring an independent judgement to bear on issues before the board and to act in the best interests of the listed company as a whole. The board should also provide a statement as to whether it supports the appointment or reappointment of the candidate and the reasons why.

Application	Applied	
•	The profiles of the Directors, including their professional qualifications,	
application of the	work experiences and interest in the Company (if any), and the	
practice	statement supporting the re-election of Directors is set out in the Notice	
	of 27 th Annual General Meeting.	
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Practice 5.8

The Nominating Committee is chaired by an Independent Director or the Senior Independent Director.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The NRC is chaired by an Independent Director, Encik Sulaiman Hew Bin Abdullah.
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Practice 5.9

The board comprises at least 30% women directors.

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Explanation on : application of the practice		
Explanation for : departure	As of 31 December 2021, HeiTech has one (1) woman director. The Board take note the recommendation of Practice 5.9 of the Malaysian Code of Corporate Governance 2021 ("MCCG2021") pertaining the 30% women representation on the Board has yet to be adopted. The Board, through NRC will continue to consider gender diversity as part of its future selection on female board representation. Nonetheless, the main criteria of HeiTech's Board's candidates is meritocracy based on relevant qualifications, experience, knowledge and expertise that will enhance the Board's value.	
	No alternative practice.	
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Practice 5.10

The board discloses in its annual report the company's policy on gender diversity for the board and senior management.

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Explanation for :	The Board believes the Company's existing processes have served the								
departure	purpose of a formal policy on diversity and at the same time ensuring that all Directors are appointed based on merit.								
	The members of the Board with their combined business, management and professional experience, knowledge and expertise, provide the core competencies to allow for diverse and objective perspectives on the Group's business and direction. In consideration of the scope and nature of the operations of the Group, the Board is satisfied that the current composition mix and size of the Board provide for sufficient diversity and allow for informed and constructive discussion and effective decision making at meetings of the Board and Board Committees.								
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Stakeholders are able to form an opinion on the overall effectiveness of the board and individual directors.

Practice 6.1

The board should undertake a formal and objective annual evaluation to determine the effectiveness of the board, its committees and each individual director. The board should disclose how the assessment was carried out its outcome, actions taken and how it has or will influence board composition.

For Large Companies, the board engages an independent expert at least every three years, to facilitate objective and candid board evaluation.

	ny to qualify for adoption of this practice, it must undertake annual board independent expert at least every three years to facilitate the evaluation.									
Application	Applied									
Explanation on application of the practice	The Board undertakes an annual assessment of the Board effectiveness including the performance of Board Committees and a Board Director. The results of the assessment are reviewed by th Board to, among others, determine measures to deal with an identified issues or recommendations.									
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The level and composition of remuneration of directors and senior management take into account the company's desire to attract and retain the right talent in the board and senior management to drive the company's long-term objectives.

Remuneration policies and decisions are made through a transparent and independent process.

Practice 7.1

The board has remuneration policies and procedures to determine the remuneration of directors and senior management, which takes into account the demands, complexities and performance of the company as well as skills and experience required. The remuneration policies and practices should appropriately reflect the different roles and responsibilities of non-executive directors, executive directors and senior management. The policies and procedures are periodically reviewed and made available on the company's website.

Application :	Departure							
Explanation on : application of the practice								
Explanation for : departure	Although the Board has yet to formalise a written policy and procedures to determine the remuneration of directors and senior management, the Board believes that the objectives of the Company's remuneration framework is to offer a competitive remuneration package to attract, reward, motivate and retain directors and senior management personnel in steering the Group to achieve its long-term goals and enhance shareholders' value. The NRC would take into consideration to formalise a written policy and procedures embedding the aforesaid guiding principles to determine the remuneration of directors and senior management.							
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Practice 7.2

The board has a Remuneration Committee to implement its policies and procedures on remuneration including reviewing and recommending matters relating to the remuneration of board and senior management.

The Committee has written Terms of Reference which deals with its authority and duties and these Terms are disclosed on the company's website.

Application	App	lied
Explanation on	The	Board has established Nomination and Remuneration Committee
application of the		RC") to review and recommend matters relating to the nomination
practice		remuneration of the Board and Senior Management of the
	Con	npany.
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Stakeholders are able to assess whether the remuneration of directors and senior management is commensurate with their individual performance, taking into consideration the company's performance.

Practice 8.1

There is detailed disclosure on named basis for the remuneration of individual directors. The remuneration breakdown of individual directors includes fees, salary, bonus, benefits in-kind and other emoluments.

Application :	Applied
Explanation on : application of the practice	The detailed disclosure on named basis of individual Directors as of 31 December 2021 are set out in the Corporate Governance Overview Statement in the Company's Annual Report 2021.

			Company ('000)							Group ('000)						
No	Name	Directorate	Fee	Allowance	Salary	Bonus	Benefits-in- kind	Other emoluments	Total	Fee	Allowance	Salary	Bonus	Benefits-in- kind	Other emoluments	Total
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3	Dato' Ghazali Bin Awang	Independent Director	Input info here	39	Input info here	-	Input info here	Input info here	39	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here
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5	Datuk Mohd Radzif Bin Mohd Yunus	Independent Director	Input info here	30	Input info here	-	Input info here	Input info here	30	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here
6	Datuk Jayakumar A/L Panneer Selvam	Non-Executive Non- Independent Director	Input info here	20	Input info here	-	Input info here	Input info here	20	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here
7	Encik Sulaiman Hew Bin Abdullah	Independent Director	Input info here	30	Input info here	-	Input info here	Input info here	30	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here
8	Puan Wan Ainol Zilan Binti Abdul Rahim	Independent Director	Input info here	28	Input info here	-	Input info here	Input info here	28	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here
9	Hamzah Bin Mahmood	Independent Director	Input info here	16	Input info here	-	Input info here	Input info here	16	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here	Input info here
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Stakeholders are able to assess whether the remuneration of directors and senior management is commensurate with their individual performance, taking into consideration the company's performance.

Practice 8.2

The board discloses on a named basis the top five senior management's remuneration component including salary, bonus, benefits in-kind and other emoluments in bands of RM50,000.

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Explanation for :	The Company opts not to disclose the components of the remuneration								
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Stakeholders are able to assess whether the remuneration of directors and senior management is commensurate with their individual performance, taking into consideration the company's performance.

Practice 8.3 - Step Up

Companies are encouraged to fully disclose the detailed remuneration of each member of senior management on a named basis.

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There is an effective and independent Audit Committee.

The board is able to objectively review the Audit Committee's findings and recommendations. The company's financial statement is a reliable source of information.

Practice 9.1

The Chairman of the Audit Committee is not the Chairman of the board.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	At present, the Chairman of the Audit Committee, Puan Wan Ainol Zilan Binti Abdul Rahim, is not the Chairman of the Board.
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Practice 9.2

The Audit Committee has a policy that requires a former partner of the external audit firm of the listed company to observe a cooling-off period of at least three years before being appointed as a member of the Audit Committee.

Application :	Applied
Explanation on : application of the	None of the members in the Audit Committee were former key audit partners.
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	The Group will observe a cooling-off period of at least three (3) years in
	the event any potential candidate to be appointed as a member of the
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Practice 9.3

The Audit Committee has policies and procedures to assess the suitability, objectivity and independence of the external auditor to safeguard the quality and reliability of audited financial statements.

Application	:	Applied	
Explanation on application of the practice	:	Under its Terms of Reference, the Audit Committee is responsible for assessing the suitability, objectivity, capabilities, and independence of the External Auditor.	
		During the year under review, the Audit Committee had several meetings with the External Auditor. At these meetings, the Audit Committee was presented with the Audit Plan and also obtained the requisite assurance on independence from the External Auditors.	
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There is an effective and independent Audit Committee.

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Practice 9.4 - Step Up

The Audit Committee should comprise solely of Independent Directors.

Application	:	Adopted
Explanation on adoption of the practice	:	At present, the Audit Committee comprises solely of Independent Directors.

There is an effective and independent Audit Committee.

The board is able to objectively review the Audit Committee's findings and recommendations. The company's financial statement is a reliable source of information.

Practice 9.5

Collectively, the Audit Committee should possess a wide range of necessary skills to discharge its duties. All members should be financially literate, competent and are able to understand matters under the purview of the Audit Committee including the financial reporting process.

All members of the Audit Committee should undertake continuous professional development to keep themselves abreast of relevant developments in accounting and auditing standards, practices and rules.

Application	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	The Members of the Audit Committee have relevant accounting or related experience and financial literacy to effectively discharge their duties. The Audit Committee Chairman is also a member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants ("MIA"). The profiles of the Audit Committee Members are available in the Annual Report 2021 and the Company's website.
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Companies make informed decisions about the level of risk they want to take and implement necessary controls to pursue their objectives.

The board is provided with reasonable assurance that adverse impact arising from a foreseeable future event or situation on the company's objectives is mitigated and managed.

Practice 10.1

The board should establish an effective risk management and internal control framework.

Application :	Applied	
Explanation on : application of the practice	The Board is responsible to ensure the implementation of appropriate systems to manage risks. The risk management framework, which is embedded in the management systems of the Group, clearly defines the authority and accountability in implementing the risk management process and internal control system. The Management assists the Board in implementing the process of identifying, evaluating and managing significant risks applicable to their respective areas of business and in formulating suitable internal controls to mitigate and control these risks. The Management of each business units are responsible for managing risks within their respective areas of responsibilities and are required to conduct risk reviews on a quarterly basis to identify and document all possible risks that can affect their achievement, taking into consideration the effectiveness of controls that are capable of mitigating such risks.	
	During the year, the significant risks of business units were presented to the Risk Management Committee ("RMC") on a quarterly basis for their deliberation.	
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Practice 10.2

The board should disclose the features of its risk management and internal control framework, and the adequacy and effectiveness of this framework.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice		HeiTech's risk management framework comprised of the following three main components:- a) Enterprise Risk Management (ERM) Process The Group's key risk profile was developed by the Management. Risks identified were assessed in terms of the possibility of occurrence and the impact to the Group if the risk materialise. Progress updates on the mitigation measures will be furnished on quarterly basis by risk owners for deliberation at the Central Risk Review Committee ("CRRC"). CRRC will assess the adequacy and effectiveness of the mitigation measures and further enhanced where necessary. b) Risk Management Committee ("RMC") RMC was established by the Board to signify the Group's commitment in further enhancing our risk management system. RMC is responsible for the overall oversight, implementation and monitoring of the Groupwide Enterprise Risk Management (ERM) Framework. c) Business Continuity Management ("BCM") The Management has embedded BCM into organisational culture which reflects our commitment in: • Ensuring the survivability of the organisation and continuity of core business functions during disaster. • Protecting corporate assets and controlling financial loss. • Minimising the loss of customers. • Facilitating the resumption of operations.
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Practice 10.3 - Step Up

The board establishes a Risk Management Committee, which comprises a majority of independent directors, to oversee the company's risk management framework and policies.

Application :	Adopted
Explanation on : adoption of the practice	The Risk Management Committee ("RMC") comprises independent non-executive directors and is chaired by an independent director, to oversee the Company's risk management framework and policies.

Companies have an effective governance, risk management and internal control framework and stakeholders are able to assess the effectiveness of such a framework.

Practice 11.1

The Audit Committee should ensure that the internal audit function is effective and able to function independently.

Application	: Applied	
Explanation on application of the practice	HeiTech has an in-house Internal Audit function carried out by the Audit & Assurance Department ("AA"). AA is led by the Director of Audit & Assurance who reports directly to the Audit Committee, and is independent of the activities it audits. AA checks for compliance with the statutory / regulatory requirements, internal policies and procedures and review the work processes / procedures for efficiency and effectiveness.	
	The Terms of Reference of the Internal Audit function are clearly spelt out in the Audit Charter that defines the roles, responsibilities, accountability and scope of work of the Department. AA had operated and performed in accordance to the principles of the Audit Charter that provides for its independence function.	
	Internal audits are carried out throughout the Group to ensure consistency in the application of policies and procedures within the Company and the Group. AA independently reviews the internal control processes (financial, operational and IT controls) implemented by the Management.	
	AA, through a systematic and structured approach is responsible for the following:-	
	 Providing independent assurance to the Board and Management that an adequate and effective internal control system is in place to safeguard Group's assets; Recommending improvements and enhancements to the existing system of internal control and work procedures/processes; and being a reference point to ensure effective implementation of policies and procedures and as an agent of change to promote best corporate governance practices. 	
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Companies have an effective governance, risk management and internal control framework and stakeholders are able to assess the effectiveness of such a framework.

Practice 11.2

The board should disclose-

- whether internal audit personnel are free from any relationships or conflicts of interest,
 which could impair their objectivity and independence;
- the number of resources in the internal audit department;
- name and qualification of the person responsible for internal audit; and
- whether the internal audit function is carried out in accordance with a recognised framework.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	The Audit Committee reviewed the adequacy of resources and the competencies of staff within the Audit & Assurance Department ('AA") to ensure it has the required expertise and professionalism to discharge its duties. AA's activities remain free from interference by any element in the Group, including matters of audit selection, scope, procedures, frequency, timing or report content, in order to maintain the necessary independent and objective attitude. AA has no direct operational responsibility or authority over any of the activities reviewed.
		In order to ensure standardisation and consistency in providing assurance on the adequacy and effectiveness of the overall system of internal controls, all auditing activities are conducted in line with the Group's objectives and policies and in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and relevant policies and guidelines as guided by the Code of Ethics and International Standards for the Professional Practice of Internal Auditing (Standards) promulgated by the Institute of Internal Auditors. The activities of AA are guided by the Internal Audit Charter that defines the roles, responsibilities, accountability and scope of work of AA. All internal audit activities in 2020 were performed in-house by a group of 7 internal auditors from various background and competencies.
		AA is headed by the Director of Audit & Assurance, Encik Ahmad Kamal bin Mohd Kassim who reports to the Audit Committee. He is a Chartered Member of The Institute of Internal Auditors Malaysia. He is also a Chartered Accountant of The Malaysian Institute of Accountants and holds a Bachelor Degree in Accountancy (Honours). He has more than 20 years' experiences in the areas of internal auditing, business process improvement, enterprise risk management and corporate governance assurance.
		A detailed Annual Audit Plan was presented to the Committee for approval annually. The Internal Audit function adopts risks-based approach following COSO (Committee of Sponsoring Organisation of The Treadway Commission) as the Control Framework for financial and

	Related Technology) for IT related	control Objectives for Information and audit, and prepares its audit strategy iles of the major business units and
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There is continuous communication between the company and stakeholders to facilitate mutual understanding of each other's objectives and expectations.

Stakeholders are able to make informed decisions with respect to the business of the company, its policies on governance, the environment and social responsibility.

Practice 12.1

The board ensures there is effective, transparent and regular communication with its stakeholders.

Application	Applied	
Explanation on application of the practice	The board ensures that stakeholders are kept informed and notified of the company's disclosures through announcements release to Bursa Malaysia. It practices timely disclosures of material information to the stakeholders of the company.	
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Practice 12.2

Large companies are encouraged to adopt integrated reporting based on a globally recognised framework.

Application	:	Applied	
Explanation on	:	The Company is adopting integrated reporting for the 2021 Annual	
application of the practice		Report based on a globally recognised framework.	
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Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

Practice 13.1

Notice for an Annual General Meeting should be given to the shareholders at least 28 days prior to the meeting.

Application	:	Applied	
Explanation on application of the practice	:	Notice of AGM of the Company is at least given to shareholders at least 28 days prior to the meeting.	
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Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

Practice 13.2

All directors attend General Meetings. The Chair of the Audit, Nominating, Risk Management and other committees provide meaningful response to questions addressed to them.

Application	:	Applied
Explanation on application of the practice	:	All Directors attended the Annual General Meeting held on 24 June 2021. The shareholders' questions were responded to accordingly by relevant members of the Board.
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Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

Practice 13.3

Listed companies should leverage technology to facilitate-

- voting including voting in absentia; and
- remote shareholders' participation at general meetings.

Listed companies should also take the necessary steps to ensure good cyber hygiene practices are in place including data privacy and security to prevent cyber threats.

Application :	Applied	
Explanation on : application of the practice	The Company has leverage on technology to facilitate meetings in remote locations including voting in absentia and shareholders' participation at General Meeting remotely.	
	Our Share Registrar, Tricor Investor & Issuing House Services Sdn Bhd has the capabilities to implement the remote shareholders' participation at General Meetings.	
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Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

Practice 13.4

The Chairman of the board should ensure that general meetings support meaningful engagement between the board, senior management and shareholders. The engagement should be interactive and include robust discussion on among others the company's financial and non-financial performance as well as the company's long-term strategies. Shareholders should also be provided with sufficient opportunity to pose questions during the general meeting and all the questions should receive a meaningful response.

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opportunity to pose ques	stior	ns and the questions are responde	d to.	
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practice		Shareholders are encouraged	to register themselves via the	
,		Registration Link provided at the Company's Notice of AGM.		
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		Before the AGM Shareholders are able to submit questions online		
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Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

Practice 13.5

The board must ensure that the conduct of a virtual general meeting (fully virtual or hybrid) support meaningful engagement between the board, senior management and shareholders. This includes having in place the required infrastructure and tools to support among others, a smooth broadcast of the general meeting and interactive participation by shareholders. Questions posed by shareholders should be made visible to all meeting participants during the meeting itself.

Note: The explanation of adoption of this practice should include a discussion on measures

undertaken to ensure the general meeting is interactive, shareholders are provided with sufficient opportunity to pose questions and the questions are responded to. Further, a listed issuer should also provide brief reasons on the choice of the meeting platform. **Applied Application** The Company had in place a fully virtual AGM platform which allows it **Explanation on** application of the to conduct its AGM through live streaming, utilising a Remote Participation and Electronic Voting (RPV) facility. This facility was practice chosen after careful consideration, a thorough assessment and has been tested to be effective. The RPV facility provided a smooth broadcast, whereby shareholders had the ability to remotely participate in the AGM, cast electronic votes on all resolutions in real time and engage with the Board and Executive Leadership Team through questions submitted through the RPV. All questions posed by shareholders were answered at the AGM. Detailed instructions and procedures on remote participation and the e-voting process were provided to the Shareholders under the administrative guidelines of the AGM. Results of the e-voting are made in real time, ensuring transparency, accountability and accuracy. Results are also announced by the Company to Bursa on the same day after the conclusion of the AGM. **Explanation for** departure Large companies are required to complete the columns below. Non-large companies are encouraged to complete the columns below. Measure **Timeframe**

Shareholders are able to participate, engage the board and senior management effectively and make informed voting decisions at General Meetings.

Practice 13.6

Minutes of the general meeting should be circulated to shareholders no later than 30 business days after the general meeting.

Note: The publication of Key Matters Discussed is not a substitute for the circulation of minutes of general meeting.			
Application	:	Departure	
Explanation on application of the practice	:		
Explanation for departure	•••	The Company makes an immediate announcement to Bursa on the outcome of the general meetings.	
		The minutes of the general meeting will be circulated in the Company's website after the Annual General Meeting 2022 and no later than 30 business days after the general meeting.	
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SECTION B – DISCLOSURES ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES PERSUANT CORPORATE GOVERNANCE GUIDELINES ISSUED BY BANK NEGARA MALAYSIA

Disclosures in this section are pursuant to Appendix 4 (Corporate Governance Disclosures) of the Corporate Governance Guidelines issued by Bank Negara Malaysia. This section is only applicable for financial institutions or any other institutions that are listed on the Exchange that are required to comply with the above Guidelines.

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