

Media Release

Minister for Education Instructs POFMA Office to Issue Correction Direction

Singapore – 16 December 2019: The Minister for Education has instructed POFMA Office to issue a Correction Direction to Mr Lim Tean on the false statements made in two of his Facebook posts. The posts were published on 12 December 2019 at 0830hrs and 1600hrs respectively. The Correction Direction requires Mr Lim to carry in full, the correction notice at the top of both Facebook posts.

2. For facts of the case, please refer to the Factually article, “Corrections and clarifications regarding falsehoods and misleading statements in Mr Lim Tean’s FB posts of 12 December 2019” (<https://www.gov.sg/factually/content/corrections-on-falsehoods-posted-by-mr-lim-tean>) .

About the POFMA Office

The POFMA Office, situated within the Infocomm Media Development Authority (IMDA), is responsible for the administration of the Protection from Online Falsehoods and Manipulation Act (POFMA). For more information about POFMA Office, visit www.pofmaoffice.gov.sg.

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