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Individual Charged For Alleged Corruption Offence **Relating to Covid-19 Vaccination Records**

On 13 January 2022, **Tan Li Ming Kelvin (“Tan”)** (陳立明), a 34-year-old male Singaporean, will be charged in court for alleged corruption offence relating to Covid-19 vaccination records.

2 On 26 October 2021, Tan had allegedly offered a S\$50 bribe to a part-time vaccination nurse at Healthway Vaccination Centre at Chua Chu Kang Community Club, Singapore. The bribe was allegedly intended as an inducement for the nurse to record in a healthcare system that he had been administered his second Pfizer-BioNTech/COMIRNATY Covid-19 vaccination dose when this was not the case. The nurse rejected the bribe offer. For his actions, Tan faces a charge for an offence punishable under Section 6(b) of the *Prevention of Corruption Act*.

3 Singapore adopts a strict zero-tolerance approach towards corruption. Any person who is convicted of a corruption offence can be fined up to S\$100,000 or sentenced to imprisonment of up to five years or to both.

4 The Corrupt Practices Investigation Bureau looks into all corruption related complaints and reports, **including anonymous ones**, and can be reached via the following channels:

- a) Lodge an e-Complaint at www.cpiib.gov.sg/e-services/e-complaint-for-corrupt-conduct or scan the QR code below;



- b) Email us at report@cpib.gov.sg;
 - c) Call the Duty Officer at 1800-376-0000; or
 - d) Write to us at the CPIB Headquarters @ 2 Lengkok Bahru, S159047.
- 5 Where possible, the report should include the following information:
- a) Where, when and how the alleged corrupt act happened?
 - b) Who was involved and what were their roles?
 - c) What was the bribe given and the favour shown?

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