



# Singapore Dental Council

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Dear Dr <Name>

## DENTAL COUNCIL BY-ELECTION 2012: 23 August 2012 ( 0800hrs ) to 30 August 2012 ( 1900hrs )

In this personalised follow-up circular, we enclose your Dental Council Registration (DCR) Number (without the "check alphabet") and Voter's Identification (VID) Number:

**DCR No. : DCR No.**  
**VID No. : 4 digit VID**

In the voting system, candidates are identified by a 2-digit code number. If you wish to cast a blank vote, the system will require you to register this intention by keying in "00" as the code. Here's the complete list of candidates:

Name of candidate	Code No
The "nameless" candidate, ie, to cast blank vote	00
Choo Keang Hai	11
Goh Kong Hui Philip	12

After you have successfully voted, please **note the 4-digit Voting Confirmation Number** before you hang up. A detailed voting instruction is enclosed for your information. If you encounter any problem, please inform the staff at the Council's office.

Every dentist is required to vote<sup>^</sup>. Failure to do so could result in you being denied the privilege to renew your practising licence unless you pay a fine of \$500 to the Council. We look forward to your participation in this Council Elections.

**Dr Chng Chai Kiat**  
Returning Officer  
Dental Council By-Election 2012

<sup>^</sup> **Dental Registration Act (Chapter 76)**  
**Compulsory voting**

5. —(1) Every fully registered dentist whose name appears in the first division of the Register of Dentists and who —
- (a) is resident in Singapore; and
  - (b) has in force a practising certificate on the day of election of candidates as members of the Council referred to in section 3(2)(f),
- shall vote for the election of such members at such time and in such manner as may be prescribed.
- (2) Where a fully registered dentist whose name appears in the first division of the Register of Dentists is required to vote for the election of the members of the Council under subsection (1) and fails to do so, he shall not be entitled to apply for a practising certificate unless he —
- (a) satisfies the Registrar that he had a good and sufficient reason for not voting at the election; or
  - (b) pays to the Council a penalty as prescribed by the Council.