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## Companies Act 2016: Revision of Practice Note No 6/2019

Section 602 of the Companies Act 2016 (**CA 2016**) provides that if an entry in the register kept by the Registrar of Companies (**Registrar**) contains any matter which is contrary to law, false or misleading in the form or context in which the matter is included, incorrect or erroneous, or has not been duly completed due to an omission or misdescription, the Registrar may, with or without an application being made by an applicant pursuant to s 602(1) of the CA 2016, rectify the register. An applicant would include director or promoter, secretary, receiver or receiver and manager, nominee, judicial manager, liquidator or any other interested person who has been allowed to lodge document(s) under the CA 2016.<sup>1</sup>

Practice Note No 6/2019 (**PN 6/2019**) issued by the Companies Commission of Malaysia (**CCM**) on 5 November 2019 sets out the procedures for the rectification of documents lodged and registered with the CCM. The CCM has revised the PN 6/2019 on 31 December 2020 (**Revised PN 6/2019**). The CCM has clarified in the Revised PN 6/2019 that the applicant shall submit the Form for Rectification of Registers under s 602 of the CA 2016.<sup>2</sup> The said form is available online from the CCM's official website.<sup>3</sup> This form was somehow inadvertently omitted from PN 6/2019 when it was issued in 2019.

Save for the clarification on the application form to be submitted by the applicant and other minor changes to PN 6/2019, the rest of the requirements and procedures in which documents that have been lodged and registered with the CCM may be rectified remain unchanged.

<sup>1</sup> Revised PN 6/2019, para 14

<sup>2</sup> *Ibid*, para 12

<sup>3</sup> [https://www.ssm.com.my/Pages/Legal\\_Framework/Companies%20-Act%20-1965-\(Repealed\)/Form\\_Rectification%20of%20registers\\_s%20602.pdf](https://www.ssm.com.my/Pages/Legal_Framework/Companies%20-Act%20-1965-(Repealed)/Form_Rectification%20of%20registers_s%20602.pdf)

The complete version of the Revised PN 6/2019 can be found [here](#).

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