

To: Boardroom Corporate & Advisory Services Pte. Ltd.  
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Singapore 098632

**FORM R1 (QUALIFYING NON-RESIDENT NON-INDIVIDUALS, QUALIFYING NON-RESIDENT FUNDS AND EXEMPT NON-CORPORATES)**  
**CLAIMING OF TAX REFUND FOR INCOME DISTRIBUTION FOR PERIOD FROM \_\_\_\_\_ TO \_\_\_\_\_**  
**DECLARATION FOR SINGAPORE TAX PURPOSES**

Name of registered holder : \_\_\_\_\_ Securities Account No. : \_\_\_\_\_  
Address : \_\_\_\_\_ Holding : \_\_\_\_\_ Units  
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**Name of Counter : Keppel DC REIT**

**Please read the following important notes carefully before completion of this Form:**

This Form is for tax refund claims only. It is applicable to qualifying non-resident non-individuals, qualifying non-resident funds and exempt non-corporate investors as follows:

- (a) in relation to qualifying non-resident non-individuals, distribution made by Keppel DC REIT during the period from 28 August 2015 to 31 December 2025<sup>1</sup> (both dates inclusive) in respect of Keppel DC REIT units registered in their own names and where tax at the prevailing corporate tax rate (currently 17%), instead of the reduced rate of 10%, had been deducted from such distribution; and
- (b) in relation to qualifying non-resident funds, distribution made by Keppel DC REIT during the period from 1 July 2019 to 31 December 2025<sup>1</sup> (both dates inclusive) in respect of Keppel DC REIT units registered in their own names and where tax at the prevailing corporate tax rate (currently 17%), instead of the reduced rate of 10%, had been deducted from such distribution; and
- (c) in relation to exempt non-corporates, distribution made by Keppel DC REIT on or after 28 August 2015 in respect of Keppel DC REIT units registered in their own names and where tax at the prevailing corporate tax rate (currently 17%) had been deducted from such distribution.

A qualifying non-resident non-individual investor is one who is not a resident of Singapore<sup>2</sup> for income tax purposes and:

- (a) who does not have any permanent establishment<sup>3</sup> in Singapore; or
- (b) who carries on any operation in Singapore through a permanent establishment<sup>3</sup> in Singapore, but the funds used to acquire the units in Keppel DC REIT are not obtained from that operation.

A qualifying non-resident fund is one who is not a resident in Singapore<sup>2</sup> for income tax purposes, qualifies for tax exemption under section 13D, 13U or 13V of the Income Tax Act 1947 and:

- (a) who does not have any permanent establishment<sup>3</sup> in Singapore (other than the fund manager in Singapore); or
- (b) who carries on any operation in Singapore through a permanent establishment<sup>3</sup> in Singapore (other than the fund manager in Singapore), but the funds used to acquire the units in Keppel DC REIT are not obtained from that operation.

An exempt non-corporate investor is one who is:

- (a) a charity registered under the Charities Act 1994 or established by any written law; or
- (b) a town council; or
- (c) a statutory board; or
- (d) a co-operative society registered under the Co-operative Societies Act 1979; or
- (e) a trade union registered under the Trade Unions Act 1940; or
- (f) a platform work association registered under Part 3 of the Platform Workers Act 2024; or
- (g) an international organisation that is exempt from tax on such distributions by reason of an order made under the International Organisations (Immunities and Privileges) Act 1948.

If you are a qualifying non-resident non-individual, a qualifying non-resident fund or an exempt non-corporate investor and tax at the prevailing corporate tax rate (currently 17%) had been deducted from the distributions made to you in respect of units held by you, you can claim a refund of the tax over-deducted from the Inland Revenue Authority of Singapore (IRAS) through the Trustee and the Manager of Keppel DC REIT provided that the statute of limitation for the claim has not expired and you have not made a claim for tax credit in respect of the same refund amount in your Singapore income tax return submission under section 46(1)(d) of the Income Tax Act 1947. Please note that if you are making a refund claim through the Trustee and the Manager of Keppel DC REIT, you are not to make a further claim for section 46(1)(d) tax credit corresponding to this same refund in your Singapore income tax return submission (if applicable).

To claim the tax refund from the IRAS and to enable the Trustee and the Manager of Keppel DC REIT to ascertain whether you are entitled to the reduced tax rate of 10% or exemption, you will need to make a declaration in this Form.

The Trustee and the Manager of Keppel DC REIT will rely on the declaration made in this Form to determine if you are entitled to a refund. Please therefore ensure that this Form is completed in full and legibly and is returned to Boardroom Corporate & Advisory Services Pte. Ltd. Failure to comply with any of these requirements will render this Form invalid and the Trustee and the Manager will not be able to determine if you are entitled to a tax refund.

If you are eligible for the reduced rate of 10% or tax exemption, the amount of tax over-deducted will be refunded to you only after the IRAS has refunded the amount to the Trustee.

Please make sure that the information given and the declaration made in this Form is true and correct. The making of a false or incorrect declaration constitutes an offence under the Income Tax Act 1947 and the Declarant shall be liable to the appropriate penalties imposed under the said Act.

**Please use a separate tax declaration form (Form R1) for each income distribution period.**

**Qualifying non-resident non-individuals, qualifying non-resident funds and exempt non-corporates who hold their units through Depository Agents should contact their Depository Agent as any claim for refund of the tax over-deducted from distributions made in respect of units that were held by a Depository Agent will be processed through the Depository Agent.**

This Form is to be returned to Boardroom Corporate & Advisory Services Pte. Ltd., 1 HarbourFront Avenue, #14-07 Keppel Bay Tower, Singapore 098632. The Trustee and the Manager of Keppel DC REIT will collate all declarations received on a half-yearly basis (by 30 June and 31 December) and submit a claim for tax refund to the IRAS on a half-yearly basis.

**Declaration**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, NRIC/Passport No. \_\_\_\_\_, the Director/Principal Officer of \_\_\_\_\_ ("the Entity") with the Singapore Tax Reference No. (i.e., UEN/ ITR/ ASGD) \_\_\_\_\_, hereby declare that the Entity is the beneficial owner of the holdings relating to the distribution for the period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ and that:

**Tick ( / ) either the "Yes" or "No" box**

Yes No

**For qualifying non-resident non-individual investor:**

(a) the Entity is not a resident of Singapore<sup>2</sup> for income tax purposes; and

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(b) the Entity does not have any permanent establishment<sup>3</sup> in Singapore.

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**If your reply to (b) is "No", please proceed with (c) -**

(c) the funds used to acquire the holdings in Keppel DC REIT are not obtained from any operation carried on in Singapore through a permanent establishment<sup>3</sup> in Singapore.

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**For qualifying non-resident fund:**

(a) the Entity qualifies for tax exemption under section 13D, 13U or 13V of the Income Tax Act 1947 and is not a resident of Singapore<sup>2</sup> for income tax purposes; and

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(b) the Entity does not have any permanent establishment<sup>3</sup> in Singapore (other than a fund manager in Singapore). **If your reply to (b) is "No", please proceed with (c) -**

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(c) the funds used to acquire the holdings in Keppel DC REIT are not obtained from any operation carried on in Singapore through a permanent establishment<sup>3</sup> in Singapore (other than a fund manager in Singapore).

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**For exempt non-corporate investor:**

(d) the Entity is:

- a charity registered under the Charities Act 1994 or established by any written law;

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- a town council;

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- a statutory board;

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- a co-operative society registered under the Co-operative Societies Act 1979;

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- a trade union registered under the Trade Unions Act 1940;

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- a platform work association registered under Part 3 of the Platform Workers Act 2024;

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- an international organisation that is exempt from tax on such distributions by reason of an order made under the International Organisations (Immunities and Privileges) Act 1948.

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Please find attached the Subsidiary Income Tax Certificate that was issued for the distribution, or the CDP Account Statement, in respect of which this claim for refund is made.

I confirm that the Entity has not made, and will not be making, a claim for tax credit under section 46(1)(d) of the Income Tax Act 1947 in respect of this same refund amount in its Singapore income tax return submission (if applicable).

Signature of Declarant : \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact No: \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>1</sup> Or which other date as may be applicable should the duration of the tax concession mentioned herein (i.e. the reduced rate of tax deduction) be subsequently extended. In this regard, it has been proposed in the 2025 Singapore Budget for the sunset date to be extended from 31 December 2025 to 31 December 2030.

<sup>2</sup> For the purpose of the distribution, a company is not a tax resident in Singapore if the management and control of its business is exercised outside Singapore during the respective calendar year in which the distribution was made and there is no intention to change the management and control of its business to Singapore.

A non-resident fund refers to a fund that is a non-resident company, a partnership where all partners are non-residents, a trust administered by a non-resident trustee, or a non-resident entity.

<sup>3</sup> Under the Income Tax Act 1947, permanent establishment means a fixed place where a business is wholly or partly carried on including a place of management, a branch, an office, a factory, a warehouse, a workshop, a farm or plantation, a mine, oil well, quarry or other place of extraction of natural resources, a building or work site or a construction, installation or assembly project. A unit holder shall be deemed to have a permanent establishment in Singapore if it:

- (i) carries on supervisory activities in connection with a building or work site or a construction, installation or assembly project; or
- (ii) has another person acting on the unit holder's behalf in Singapore who:
- (a) has and habitually exercises an authority to conclude contracts;
- (b) maintains stock of goods or merchandise for the purpose of delivery on the unit holder's behalf; or
- (c) habitually secures orders wholly or almost wholly for the unit holder or for such other enterprises as are controlled by the unit holder.