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PRESS RELEASE

THE FORMATION OF THE SINGAPORE BROADCASTING AUTHORITY

The Singapore Broadcasting Authority will come into operation on the 1st October 1994. The Minister for Information and the Arts has appointed Mr Goh Kim Leong its Chairman for a period of two years with effect from 1st October 1994. The composition of the Board is at Annex A. Col (NS) Ho Meng Kit is the Chief Executive Officer of the Authority.

The Singapore Broadcasting Authority will have two major roles: to promote the broadcasting industry and to regulate broadcasting-related services. It will work with broadcasters to maintain a high standard in broadcasting, particularly in programming content, balance and mix.

The Authority will also work closely with EDB, NCB and TAS to develop Singapore as a regional broadcasting hub.

MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND THE ARTS (MITA)

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE SINGAPORE BROADCASTING AUTHORITY

Chairman - Mr Goh Kim Leong
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Ministry of Information and the Arts

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