## EA Alert Dated: 22 August 2020

EA Alert: Removal of FDW Employer's Name and Address from Work Permit Card

Dear Key Appointment Holders and EA Personnel,

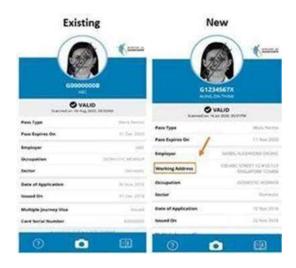
From 24 August 2020, the Ministry of Manpower (MOM) will be issuing new version Work Permit cards for foreign domestic workers (FDWs) who are new to Singapore or have changed employers. The cards will no longer carry the employer's name or address. This information will only be displayed when the QR code on the card is scanned using the SGWorkPass app. This app is available for download from the Google Play or Apple App store. Employers will no longer need to replace their FDW's Work Permit card if they change their residential address.

2 Existing FDWs who are in employment before 24 August 2020 will not receive the new version Work Permit card. However, employers may opt to replace their FDW's Work Permit card at a fee. Click <u>here</u> for more information on card replacements. Here are the following scenarios where FDWs will receive the new version Work Permit cards:

- First-time FDWs starting work in Singapore
- FDWs who have reported their Work Permit card as missing. Employers will need to replace the card at a fee.
- FDWs who transfer to a new employer

3 Here is a preview of the new version Work Permit Card and SGWorkPass mobile app screen:





4 If you have any further questions, please contact us at <u>mom\_wpd@mom.gov.sg</u>

Yours sincerely

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