# CHANGE - ANNOUNCEMENT OF APPOINTMENT::APPOINTMENT OF MR DANIEL WIDDICOMBE AS INDEPENDENT AND NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

# **Issuer & Securities**

#### Issuer/Manager

WINKING STUDIOS LIMITED

#### Securities

WINKING STUDIOS LIMITED - KYG9722U1040 - WKS

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### Announcement Details

#### Announcement Title

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## Announcement Sub Title

Appointment of Mr Daniel Widdicombe as Independent and Non-executive Director

# Announcement Reference SG241114OTHRRHD0

#### Submitted By (Co./ Ind. Name)

Oliver Yen

#### Designation

Finance Director and Group Chief Finance Officer

#### Description (Please provide a detailed description of the event in the box below)

Appointment of Mr Daniel Widdicombe as an Independent and Non-executive Director of the Company.

Winking Studios Limited (the "Company") was listed on Catalist of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "SGX-ST") on 20 November 2023. The initial public offering of the Company was sponsored by PrimePartners Corporate Finance Pte. Ltd. (the "Sponsor"). This announcement has been reviewed by the Sponsor. It has not been examined or approved by the SGX-ST and the SGX-ST assumes no responsibility for the contents of this announcement, including the correctness of any of the statements or opinions made, or reports contained in this announcement. The contact person for the Sponsor is Ms. Foo Jien Jieng, 16 Collyer Quay, #10-00 Collyer Quay Centre, Singapore 049318, sponsorship@ppcf.com.sg.

**Additional Details** 

**Daniel Widdicombe** 

Age			
58			

**Country Of Principal Residence** 

# United Kingdom

The Board's comments on this appointment (including rationale, selection criteria, board diversity considerations, and the search and nomination process)

The Nominating Committee has recommended the appointment of Mr Daniel Widdicombe ("Mr Widdicombe") as an Independent and Non-executive Director of the Company and the Board has approved his appointment having reviewed and considered the qualification and experience of Mr Widdicombe and is satisfied that he is suitable for the role as Independent and Non-executive Director of the Company.

Whether appointment is executive, and if so, the area of responsibility

Non-executive

Job Title (e.g. Lead ID, AC Chairman, AC Member etc.)

Independent and Non-executive Director, Chairman of the AIM Compliance Committee, and a member of Audit, Risk and Disclosure Committee

Professional qualifications

Nil

Any relationship (including immediate family relationships) with any existing director, existing executive officer, the issuer and/ or substantial shareholder of the listed issuer or any of its principal subsidiaries

Nil

Conflict of interests (including any competing business) Nil

Working experience and occupation(s) during the past 10 years

Executive Director and Chief Financial Officer of Devolver Digital Inc, London Listed Game Publisher and Developer (2021 - present)

Head of Investment Banking, China Construction Bank London Ltd (2012 to 2020)

Undertaking submitted to the listed issuer in the form of Appendix 7.7 (Listing Rule 704(7)) Or Appendix 7H (Catalist Rule 704(6))

Yes

Shareholding interest in the listed issuer and its subsidiaries?

No

# These fields are not applicable for announcements of appointments pursuant to Listing Rule 704 (9) or Catalist Rule 704 (8).

Past (for the last 5 years) Sep 2022 to Aug 2024 Independent Non-Executive Director of Highgate School Ltd

# Jun 2014 to Jul 2022 Independent Non-Executive Director of Arnold House School Ltd

## Jan 2011 to Dec 2019

Independent Non-Executive Director of AVIC-CCBI Aviation Industry Investment Fund Management GP Ltd

## Present

## May 2021 to Present

Executive Director and Chief Financial Officer of Devolver Digital Inc.

(a) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, an application or a petition under any bankruptcy law of any jurisdiction was filed against him or against a partnership of which he was a partner at the time when he was a partner or at any time within 2 years from the date he ceased to be a partner?

No

(b) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, an application or a petition under any law of any jurisdiction was filed against an entity (not being a partnership) of which he was a director or an equivalent person or a key executive, at the time when he was a director or an equivalent person or a key executive of that entity or at any time within 2 years from the date he ceased to be a director or an equivalent person or a key executive of that entity, for the winding up or dissolution of that entity or, where that entity is the trustee of a business trust, that business trust, on the ground of insolvency?

#### No

(c) Whether there is any unsatisfied judgment against him?

No

(d) Whether he has ever been convicted of any offence, in Singapore or elsewhere, involving fraud or dishonesty which is punishable with imprisonment, or has been the subject of any criminal proceedings (including any pending criminal proceedings of which he is aware) for such purpose?

### No

(e) Whether he has ever been convicted of any offence, in Singapore or elsewhere, involving a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, or has been the subject of any criminal proceedings (including any pending criminal proceedings of which he is aware) for such breach?

#### No

(f) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, judgment has been entered against him in any civil proceedings in Singapore or elsewhere involving a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, or a finding of fraud, misrepresentation or dishonesty on his part, or he has been the subject of any civil proceedings (including any pending civil proceedings of which he is aware) involving an allegation of fraud, misrepresentation or dishonesty on his part?

# No

(g) Whether he has ever been convicted in Singapore or elsewhere of any offence in connection with the formation or management of any entity or business trust?

No

(h) Whether he has ever been disqualified from acting as a director or an equivalent person of any entity (including the trustee of a business trust), or from taking part directly or indirectly in the management of any entity or business trust?

#### No

(i) Whether he has ever been the subject of any order, judgment or ruling of any court, tribunal or governmental body, permanently or temporarily enjoining him from engaging in any type of business practice or activity?

(j) Whether he has ever, to his knowledge, been concerned with the management or conduct, in Singapore or elsewhere, of the affairs of :-

(i) any corporation which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing corporations in Singapore or elsewhere; or

No

(ii) any entity (not being a corporation) which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing such entities in Singapore or elsewhere; or

No

(iii) any business trust which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing business trusts in Singapore or elsewhere; or

No

(iv) any entity or business trust which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, in connection with any matter occurring or arising during that period when he was so concerned with the entity or business trust?

No

(k) Whether he has been the subject of any current or past investigation or disciplinary proceedings, or has been reprimanded or issued any warning, by the Monetary Authority of Singapore or any other regulatory authority, exchange, professional body or government agency, whether in Singapore or elsewhere?

No

Any prior experience as a director of an issuer listed on the Exchange?

No

If no, please state if the director has attended or will be attending training on the roles and responsibilities of a director of a listed issuer as prescribed by the Exchange

Mr Widdicombe will be attending the mandatory training on the roles and responsibilities of a director of a listed company in Singapore within one (1) year from the date of his appointment.

Please provide details of relevant experience and the nominating committee's reasons for not requiring the director to undergo training as prescribed by the Exchange (if applicable)

Not Applicable