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Different companies have different committees for risk management – Management Risk Committee, Board Risk Committee, Audit and Risk Committee, specialised Board-level risk committees such as Health and Safety Committee, and so on. How should a company best structure its governance of risk? How can a company express its risk tolerance or appetite and communicate that internally and externally? What are the lines of defence that a Board can rely on to ensure that the company’s risk management and internal controls are adequate and effective?

The answers to these questions, and more, are found in the *Board Risk Committee Guide*. This definitive guide to risk management and internal controls for Boards and the Board Risk Committee (BRC) provides a comprehensive coverage of the regulatory and practical aspects of risk management. It is aimed especially at listed companies in Singapore. Its contents include: *Risk governance structures and a BRC’s role and responsibilities • The BRC calendar and agenda • The characteristics, types and categories of risk in a company’s risk universe • The elements of an Enterprise Risk Management framework for ensuring the adequacy and effectiveness of risk management and internal controls • The assurance framework needed to identify deficiencies and to prepare disclosures in risk management and internal controls • Disclosures related to risk management*

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