

Definition of “Independent Director”

“Independent Director” means the director, who is independent in expressing his opinion to the operation of the Company, must be a person who has no involvement or interest to the result of operation either directly or indirectly. The qualifications of the Independent Director are as follows:

1. Hold share not more than 1% of paid up capital of the Company, affiliate company, joint company, associated company, including the shares held by the related person.
2. Being independent either directly or indirectly of both financial and management of the Company or joint company or major shareholders of the Company, and having no benefit or interest in such manner within 2 years before being appointed as the Independent Director, unless the Board of Directors has carefully considered and see that such participation in having benefit or interest will not affect the duty performing and the independence in giving an opinion.
3. Must not be the Director who has been appointed as the representative to maintain the interest of the Director of the Company, major shareholders, or shareholders who are related to the major shareholders of the Company.
4. Must not participate in management and must not be employee, staff or consultant who receives regular salary in the Company, affiliate company, joint company, company or major shareholder of the Company.
5. Must not be related person or relatives of the executive or major shareholders of the Company.
6. Capable to perform his duty and express opinion or report result of duty performing independently as assigned by the Board of Directors, and not under the control of the Executive or major shareholders of the Company, including related person or close relatives of such person.
7. No other character that causes the inability to give opinion to operation of the Company independently.

All the definition above has complied with the rules and regulations stipulated by Securities and Exchange Commission and the Stock Exchange of Thailand.