



SLP EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE - ANNUAL REPORT 2009/2010

On behalf of the Executive Committee I am pleased to present the annual report for 2009/2010 covering the period from 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010.

1. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

In accordance with our Constitution, the Executive Committee is elected for two years, with the exception of the Treasurer who is elected annually. The term of this Executive Committee will expire on 30 June 2010. I would like to extend my heartfelt appreciation to the members of the Executive Committee who have worked hard and made sacrifices of their precious time for the benefit of the Society.

2. MEMBERS' ACTIVITIES

The main activities of the year were as follows:

Plant Visit cum Technical Talk

- A half-day Plant Visit cum Technical Talk on "SHE Management System" at Schering-Plough Ltd on 22 April 2009.
- A half-day Plant Visit cum Technical Talk on "Technology Enablers for Improving Plant Safety" at Yokogawa Engineering Asia Pte Ltd on 14 October 2009

Corporate Best Practice Sharing

- SLP and SCIC jointly organised a Talk on "How to develop PSM Metrics and the new ANSI Standard on Metrics" by Mr. Kenneth H. Harrington, Manager, PSM Technology of Chevron Phillips Chemical Company LP in Houston Texas on 13 October 2009 at International Business Park.

Training Courses

- A two-day course on LOPA by Mr. John R. Lockwood, Vice President-Risk and Process Safety (Oil & Gas), GL Industrial Services Singapore Pte Ltd., and supported by a team of Process Control Instrumentation and Safety System Managers from Yokogawa who are experienced in the design and maintenance of SIS on 18 & 19 August 2009
- A Second-run of a two-day course for HAZOPS Leaders by Mr. John R. Lockwood on 27 & 28 January 2010 at Singapore Polytechnics Graduates' Guild.

Corporate Member Appreciation Night

- In commemoration of SLP's 20th Anniversary, the Executive Committee organised a Corporate Appreciation Night on 11 March 2010 at the Marina Barrage. The program included touring the Barrage, a presentation of SLP's history by our President, Mr. Ong See Hee and dinner at the 7th Storey Restaurant. Each corporate member received a token of appreciation, a Digital Photo frame, from our President.

Other Activities

- SLP members would continue to serve on SPRING Singapore's committees such as the Management Systems Standards Committee, General Engineering and Safety Standards Committee, the Chemical Committee and various other Technical Committees.
- Our President, Mr. Ong See Hee was appointed as a member of the Workplace Safety and Health Council (Chemical Industries) Committee in June 2009. Our Honorary Secretary, Mr. Ngiam Tong Yuen, was appointed as the alternate for Mr. Ong.
- The President represented SLP in the SPRING Singapore Work Group for the development of the International Standard on Risk Management ISO31000.
- In March 2010, our Executive Committee member Mr. Jacob Soh was nominated to be a member of the Work Group for the review of CP 84 (Entry into and safe working in confined spaces).
- As part of our effort to promote loss prevention excellence we made the inaugural awards for Temasek and Ngee Ann Polytechnic chemical engineering final year diploma students in 2010. The winners were Ms Debbie Teo Jia Ling from Temasek and Ms Teh Cai Lin from Ngee Ann.

3. FINANCIAL REPORT

The financial report for 2009/2010 is attached. We have recorded a surplus of \$9975.58. As for our investments, Exco decided that SLP continue to hold them -- 140 units of DBS 6.0% NCPS and 100 units of OCBC 4.5% NCPS and 200 shares of Capitacommercial Trust. Our net dividends for 2009/2010 gave us a return of 5.11% based on our original investment of \$25,428.00

4. MEMBERSHIP

As of 31 March 2010, our membership status is as follows:

- 4 Honorary Fellows
- 24 Corporate Members
- 37 Ordinary Members
- 2 Absent members
- 1 Associate Member

As it is a challenge for the Membership Sub-committee to increase membership, any suggestions and ideas from the members are most welcome. Members can submit their suggestions or ideas to the Secretariat via email.

5. NEWSLETTERS

In October 2009, SLP launched our first electronic Newsletter. In December 09 the e-newsletter was re-named to *SLP Update*. This conversion to an electronic format has the potential to let us respond much faster to news in our industries. It has also saved us money. Because of this change, we published one hardcopy issue only (in May 2009) of the Newsletter this year.

We would like to appeal to all members to contribute articles for our *SLP Update*. Articles related to loss prevention or personal experience and achievement in implementing safety, health, and environment and loss prevention programs for your companies are especially welcome.

We hope members have found the *SLP Update* to be informative and easy to read.

6. MOVING FORWARD

2009/2010 was a challenging period for the Executive Committee in sustaining the interest of members in SLP's activities. The Executive Committee will continue to work hard to organize events and activities such as technical talks, technical training courses, technical visits, technical information sharing and exchanges. The Executive Committee will also continue to pursue our objective to make SLP a better known professional society to the public and to collaborate with relevant EHS regulatory agencies. This cannot be achieved by the Executive Committee alone. Strong support, from Ordinary Members and Corporate Members, is of critical importance to ensure we continue to provide a forum for members to meet, discuss and exchange loss prevention ideas, knowledge and experience, thereby meeting SLP's objectives.

I strongly urge members to step forward and serve the various sub-committees voluntarily or when you are invited to do so.

Ong See Hee
SLP President – 2009/2010