

THIAM JOO PTE LTD , SINGAPORE RECEIVED TOTAL DEFENCE AWARD

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Congratulations to Thiam Joo Pte Ltd, Singapore!

On behalf of the Board of Directors, we would like to congratulate Thiam Joo Pte Ltd, Singapore for being awarded the Total Defence Commendation 2004 by the Ministry of Defence, Singapore.

Introduced in the year of 1990, the Total Defence Award is given in recognition of the support of civil resource owners and firms for Total Defence. Total Defence is about the different things that we can do everyday in every sector of our society to strengthen our resilience of our nation. When we take national service seriously, participate in civil emergency exercise, upgrade ourselves and learn new skills, build strong bonds with different races and religions, we contribute to Total Defence.

As for a corporate citizen, this award is given to by making available their services, vehicles, equipment and resources for civil resource requisition, civil resource owners and firms demonstrate their strong commitment to the defence and security of the Republic of Singapore.

Thiam Joo Pte Ltd is proud to be awarded with this commendation. In the past years, the Company has been actively involved in craft exercises conducted by the relevant Government bodies.

We are delighted that the Company has performed her roles in the community and national responsibilities and carries the philosophy of "*Caring for All*"

We hope that all Dovechem companies will also play their respective roles to the society and make "*all the best*" for Dovechem.

Thank you

Dato' Andrew IP Ng
Group CEO