Definition of Independent Director

The Board of Director of GFPT Public Company Limited ("GFPT" or "the Company") considered and set qualification of the independent director in accordance with the good practice of its Corporate Governance. The definition of Independent Director of GFPT is **higher** than the regulation of the SEC about shareholding restriction (SEC's minimum requirement is 1%).

1) Hold share in total not more than 0.5% of total voting share of GFPT or its subsidiaries or associated companies or related companies which may have conflict of interest which shall be inclusive of shares held by his/her related person.
2) Not participate in the management of GFPT, its subsidiaries, associated companies, or related companies which may have conflict of interest. He or she shall not be an employee or a staff member or an advisor receiving regular salary or an authority in charge at GFPT, its subsidiaries, associated companies, or related companies. The qualified independent director must not have any interest or stake as mentioned at present and prior to be nominated for at least 2 years.
3) Not being a related person by blood or legal registration, such as father, mother, spouse, sibling and child, including spouse of the children, to executives, major shareholders, top management or any nominator to be executive or top management of GFPT or its subsidiaries.
4) Not having any business relationship with GFPT, its subsidiaries, associated companies, related companies or major shareholders who may have conflicts of interest, in the manner that may interfere with his/her independent judgment. In addition, he or she must not be a major shareholder or an executive officer of the company that having business relationship with GFPT, its subsidiaries, associated companies, related companies at present and prior to be nominated for at least 2 years.

   The "business relationship" aforementioned includes any normal business transaction, rental or lease of immovable property, transaction relating to assets or services, or grant or receipt of financial assistance in amount of 3% or more of the net tangible assets of the Company or more than 20 million Baht which is lower. The transaction amount shall be calculated according to calculation method for transaction value of connected transactions under the Notification of the Board of Governors of the Stock Exchange of Thailand Re: Disclosure of Information and Act of Listed Companies concerning the Connected Transaction. Transaction amount includes any amount incurred during 1 year prior to date on which the business relationship with person commences.
5) Not being an auditor of GFPT, its subsidiaries, associated companies, related companies or any juristic person who may have conflicts of interest and must not be a major shareholder, executive director, top management or partner of an audit firm which employs auditors of GFPT, its subsidiaries, its associated companies or a juristic person who may have conflicts of interest unless the foregoing relationship has ended at least 2 years.

Definition of Independent Director (Cont.)

6) Not being any professional advisor including legal advisor, financial advisor, or asset appraiser who receives an annual service fee exceeding 2 million Baht from GFPT, its subsidiaries, associated companies, related companies or any juristic person who may have conflicts of interest and must not be a major shareholder, executive director, top management or partner of the professional advisor unless the foregoing relationship has ended for at least 2 years.
7) Must not be a director nominated to be a representative of major shareholder or a shareholder who is related to GFPT's major shareholder.
8) Must not participate in a company operating in the same business and being a competitor of GFPT or its subsidiaries. He or she must not be partner, executive director, employee, staff member, advisor who receives regular salary or hold share more than 1% of total voting share of the company operating in the same business and being a competitor of GFPT or its subsidiaries.
9) Must not have any characteristics which make him or her incapable of expressing independent opinions with regard to GFPT's business.

However, after being nominated to be an independent director of GFPT, he or she may be assigned by the Board of Director to take part in the business decision of GFPT, its subsidiaries, its associated companies, same-level subsidiaries, major shareholder, top management or related companies which may have conflicts of interest on the condition of collective decision.