AEOI Update

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Singapore CRS: Updated e-Tax Guide

On 12 January 2024, the Inland Revenue Authority of Singapore (IRAS) published an updated Common Reporting Standard (CRS) e-Tax Guide, making the following updates and amendments:

- Clarified the definition of "Participating Jurisdiction" and "Reportable
 Jurisdiction" under the Glossary (Section 3.1) and paragraph 4.4.1 to align with
 the CRS.
- Removed the original paragraph 4.4.2 on the transitional approach as the
 transitional approach for Participating Jurisdictions has expired. (The original
 paragraph 4.4.2 read: "In line with the approach outlined in the CRS
 Implementation Handbook, Singapore will consider all jurisdictions that have
 publicly and at government level committed to adopt CRS as Participating
 Jurisdictions.")
- Clarified the requirements for the collection of valid self-certifications, in line with OECD's CRS-related FAQs in paragraph 10.5.8.
- Updated the names of the respective Singapore's Acts of Parliament

You may refer to the updated CRS e-Tax Guide here.