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SunCon announces group MD Chung Soo Kiong to leave effective April 1, Liew Kok Wing to take over

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KUALA LUMPUR (March 24): Sunway Construction Bhd (SunCon) has announced that group managing director (MD) Chung Soo Kiong will be leaving the company effective April 1.

In a statement on Thursday (March 24), the construction group said as part of its succession planning, Liew Kok Wing will succeed the outgoing group MD effective April 1.

Meanwhile, Chung will assume another role within the Sunway Group.

"I am honoured to be entrusted by the board to lead the nation's largest pure-play construction group.

"I would like to thank Chung Soo Kiong for his stellar leadership of the organisation over the years, which includes accelerating our digital transformation as well as expanding our regional presence across Asean and in India.

"I look forward to working closely with the entire team at Sunway Construction to take the group to greater heights, carrying out our nation-building mission through public infrastructure developments and advancing the sustainability agenda through renewable energy projects," Liew said.

Notably, Liew has been MD of Sunway Construction Sdn Bhd, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the group, since Jan 1, 2020.

He was appointed to the board of SunCon on Jan 7, 2020, and served as the alternate director to Chung.

According to the group, Liew began his career with L&M Geotechnic in Singapore in 1993, as a project engineer, before moving to Thailand as project manager in charge of infrastructure works for a low-rise luxury housing project in Bangkok.

Shares in SunCon finished unchanged at RM1.70 on Thursday, giving it a market capitalisation of RM2.2 billion.