

## **WONG HONG KUAN**

Mr Wong Hong Kuan will be appointed Director, Corrupt Practices Investigation Bureau (CPIB) on 1 Oct 2013. He will join CPIB as Director (Designate) on 1 Sep 2013.

Mr Wong is currently the Chief Executive of the Singapore Workforce Development Agency (WDA). He joined the Civil Service in 1995 as an Assistant Superintendent of Police in the Singapore Police Force (SPF), after graduating with a Bachelor of Accountancy (Class I Honours) degree from the Nanyang Technological University.

He rose through the police ranks and became the Deputy Commissioner of Police (Policy) in November 2010, after holding several other appointments in the SPF including Commander, Training Command; Commander, Bedok Division; and Chief of Staff, SPF. Hong Kuan also spent two years in the Budget Division of the Ministry of Finance from July 1996 as the Assistant Director (Infrastructure & Economy).

He was absorbed into the Administrative Service in Jun 1998.

In the SPF, Mr Wong oversaw the security coverage of major events including APEC 2009 and ASEAN Summit 2007. He also reviewed the configuration of police institutions and revamped the system of talent management.

As CE, WDA, he worked with tripartite partners to strengthen the Continuing Education and Training (CET) and Employment Facilitation (EF) ecosystem to improve access to WDA's services for professionals, managers and executives (PMEs), the special needs community, and ex-offenders. On his watch, WDA helped enterprises restructure and improve their productivity through productivity and capability development programmes, paying special attention to Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs).