Justifying Investment in Mixed Use Developments to Gain Commercial Value and Create Cities that Support Economic Growth: Singapore Case Study

Economic Performance – No. 1 city with the best investment potential

Top 3 in the world for foreign trade and investment

Competitiveness And Business
Environment - The World's easiest
place to do business
Top 2 most competitive city in the
world

Best business environment in Asia Pacific and the world Asia's most network-ready country Business Legislation And Efficiency – World's No. 2 and Asia's No. 1 for best intellectual property protection

Asia's least bureaucratic place to do business

Government - World's No. 7 and Asia's No. 1 for least corruption in the economy

Most transparent country in Asia

Labour -

Top of BERI's Labour Force Evaluation Measure

Top 10 in Asia for most motivated workforce

Top 10 in Asia for best skilled labour

4<sup>th</sup> Cronyism Index (Economist)

154<sup>th</sup> Press Freedom (Reporters Without borders 2016)

126<sup>th</sup> Most Unhappy

146<sup>th</sup> Most Emotionless (World Happiness Report, 2013)

Fastest Walkers In The World (BBC Study 2007)

Lowest Fertility in the World?

2<sup>nd</sup> Least Likely to Help a Stranger Out of 135 Countries (2013)

40<sup>th</sup> out of 41 Country – Libido

1<sup>st</sup> Most Expensive City in the World (Economist)

Transport

Electronic Road Pricing (ERP)

Certificate of Entitlement (COE)

Privatised Public Transport Profits (including Taxis) -Over S\$1b

#### Utilities

Privatised Electricity Companies Profits - Over S\$1b

One of the Highest Tariffs in the World

1 In 10 Workers Earn

Less Than S\$1,200 (US\$900)

1 In 6 Earn Less Than S\$1,500 (US\$1,100)

I In 4 Earn Less Than S\$2,000 (US\$1,500)

Government Does Not Spend a Single Cent on Healthcare, Pensions and Public Housing?

(From a Cashflow Perspective)

#### Budget Surpluses

Budget Surplus (IMF Guidelines) S\$20b (US\$15b)

Reserves is Secret - Estimated S\$900b (US\$650b)

#### Media Licensing

1 TV

2 Radio

Newspapers (5 English, 2Chinese, 1 Malay, 1 Tamil)NTUC/CASE Detergents

Integrated Resorts (IRs)

S\$9.2b (US\$7.4b) Syndicated

Loans

S\$5b (US\$4b) Gaming Revenue a Year

# Transparency Accountability Statistics

Labour - Quota
 Housing - Affordability
 Whistleblower

# FTAS - TPP Complex Competitive Environment

## Political Stability

1 - Party System

81 Out of 87 MPs

# No Strikes Open Labour Low Productivity Open Capital

# Pension Cut Overtime Pay Exchange With Leave

## GLCs

## Advantage

Complacent

### Profits for Everything

Public Transport

Utilities

Public Housing?

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