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| **The below represents a consolidation of the provisions of a specific corporate action in:**   * Section 11: Circulars, Pre-Listing Statements/Prospectuses and Announcements; and * Section 16 Documents to be Submitted to the JSE,   that will be included a new General Corporate Actions Section.  Each corporate action will be structured as follows, in alphabetical order:   * Specific requirements ; * Announcement; * Contents of circular; * Submission to the JSE.   **Definitions will be updated as required.**  **Original paragraph numbers are maintained for consultation purposes and will be renumbered on the clean simplified version.** |

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| **Number 4: Change of name** |

Change of name

Specific requirements

11.36 An issuer proposing to change its name must obtain approval from the JSE first and then seek shareholders’ approval in general meeting in terms of the Act.

[*Special resolutions are no longer registered with CIPC]*

*[JSE approval required above and details of application moved below]*

16.29 An application for approval must include :[[1]](#footnote-2)

(a) the new name;

*[no regulatory value]* (b) the proposed new abbreviated name to be used on the JSE trading system, being no more than nine letters in length; and

(c) a copy of the name reservation from the Commission.

1630 The former name of the issuer must be shown on announcements and the new share certificate (in brackets under the new name], for a period of at least on year from the date of the name change.*.[announcements added]*

16.31 The issuer must submit evidence to the JSE that the special resolution was filed with the Commission, by no later than the finalisation date.[[2]](#footnote-3)

**Submission to the JSE**

16.31 The following must be submitted to the JSE:[[3]](#footnote-4)

(a) the application for name change; and

(b) the circular or notice of general meeting.

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2. [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
3. [↑](#footnote-ref-4)