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Medium : Bernama (Portal)

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Journalist : N/A

Cyber security a shield for Nation's economic development

Last update: 19/03/2018



KUALA LUMPUR, March 19 (Bernama) – Cybersecurity acts a shield for the nation's economic development and societal well-being, said Science, Technology and Innovation (MOSTI) Minister, Datuk Seri Wilfred Madius Tangau.

He said the challenge lay in ensuring that the country remained as a safe place for online activities.

Citing a finding by Accenture, a leading global Information Technology professional services provider, he said, 65 per cent of Malaysian companies were still vulnerable to cyber attacks due to insufficient level of cybersecurity.

Tangau told this to reporters at the Cyber Risk Management for Industry 4.0 (4IR) seminar here today.

The seminar, hosted by the EU-Malaysia Chamber of Commerce and Industry (EUMCCI), was held in collaboration with TUV Rheinland, a global leader in testing, inspection, consulting and certification services provider.....

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Keselamatan Siber Perisai Kepada Pembangunan Ekonomi Negara - Tangau

Tarikh kemaskini: 19/03/2018



KUALA LUMPUR, 19 Mac (Bernama) – Keselamatan siber adalah perisai kepada pembangunan ekonomi negara dan kesejahteraan masyarakat, kata Menteri Sains, Teknologi dan Inovasi (MOSTI) Datuk Seri Wilfred Madius Tangau.

Katanya, cabaran sebenar adalah untuk mengekalkan jaminan bahawa negara ini selamat bagi aktiviti-aktiviti dalam talian.

Beliau ketika memetik satu kenyataan daripada Accenture, sebuah pembekal perkhidmatan profesional dalam teknologi maklumat dunia, memberitahu 65 peratus daripada syarikat-syarikat Malaysia masih terdedah kepada serangan maya disebabkan kekurangan tahap keselamatan siber.

Tangau berkata demikian kepada pemberita semasa seminar Pengurusan Risiko Siber untuk Industri 4.0 (4IR) di sini hari ini.

Seminar tersebut dianjurkan oleh Dewan Perniagaan dan Industri Kesatuan Eropah-Malaysia (EUMCCI), dengan kerjasama TÜV Rheinland, peneraju terkemuka dalam pembekalan perkhidmatan pengujian, pemeriksaan, perundingan dan pensijilan dunia.....

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Client : EUMCCI

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Date : March 19, 2018

Headline : Cyber Risk Management
for Industry 4.0

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Journalist : N/A

Cyber Risk Management for Industry 4.0

 March 19, 2018 (09:00am to 02:00pm)

 DoubleTree by Hilton KL

 The EU-Malaysia Chamber of Commerce and Industry (EUMCCI) in collaboration with TUV Rheinland, a global leader in testing, inspection, consulting and certification, will be hosting a seminar on Cyber Risk Management for Industry 4.0. Seminar and luncheon talk at DoubleTree by Hilton KL, Cyber risk Seminar - 9.00am to 12.00pm; VIP luncheon talk - 12.00pm to 2.00pm

EUMCCI Coverage Clippings

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Medium : The Malaysian Reserve (Portal) Date : March 20, 2018

Headline : Cyber risks shifts to operational infrastructure Link : [Click Here](#)

Journalist : Lydia Nathan

Cyber risk shifts to operational infrastructure



Tuesday, March 20th, 2018 at , News | Technology



The govt agency is taking preventive rather than responsive measures on the matter

By LYDIA NATHAN / Pic By ISMAIL CHE RUS

Cyber attacks are fast moving from information technology (IT) to operational technology (OT) attacks, said CyberSecurity Malaysia.

The OT networks play a critical role in managing and monitoring the processes involved in critical infrastructure, such as in defence, emergency systems and transportation lines.

CyberSecurity Malaysia CEO Datuk Dr Amirudin Abdul Wahab said even though such attacks have not happened in Malaysia yet, the government agency is taking preventive rather than responsive measures on the matter.

"We don't want to wait for it to happen here, that's why we are taking steps and measures to prevent and protect," he said on the sidelines of a cyber risk management event in Kuala Lumpur yesterday.

According to Amirudin, this risk becomes the new trend and is even more dangerous because OT networks include control systems, which means it can be deployed anywhere.

OT systems often perform simple, but essential tasks, such as sensing movement and keeping doors open in a train.

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**科艺部长:防不胜防
两个月58宗恶意代码投报**

10点报 2018年3月20日



威尔弗在活动中与丽贝卡（左）及罗伯特本特罗闲聊。

《吉隆坡19日讯》科学、工艺及革新部长拿督斯里威尔弗指出，工业革命4.0时代来临，但网络攻击和数据泄露事件依然防不胜防；从年初至2月，在短短的两个半月内，大马网络安全机构共接获58宗恶意代码事件投报。

他说，互联网的便利也让网络安全事故频发，骇客攻击、数据泄露等一系列网络安全风险，皆对当今企业的发展发出了新挑战。

“在2017年，大马网络安全机构则共接获814宗恶意代码事件投报。”

“在2016年3月，佩蒂娅勒索软件开始浮出水面，全球多个国家遭受勒索病毒攻击。去年则是爆发‘想哭’（WannaCry）勒索病毒席卷150多个国家和地区，并向逾23万部电脑系统发动攻击。

“根据科技公司埃森哲调查显示，有65%的大马企业存在遭受网络攻击的高风险，归咎于缺乏网络安全防范措施。”

他是在今日出席“迈向工业革命4.0，网络安全保障所扮演的角色”时，发表上述言论。

言网络未必较安全

联合国于去年公布一项调查结果显示，大马的网络安全策略在全球网络安全指数的排名中列为第三（得分0.89），仅次于新加坡（得分0.92分，排名第一）和美国（得分0.91分，排名第二）。

EUMCCI Coverage Clippings

Client : EUMCCI

Medium : The Malaysian Insight (Portal) Date : March 19, 2018

Headline : Cyber security is important for nation's shield Link : <https://www.themalaysianinsight.com/bahasa/s/43893/>

Journalist : N/A

Keselamatan siber sangat penting untuk lindungi negara, kata MOSTI

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Pembangunan sistem fizikal siber akan meningkatkan kedudukan Malaysia dalam ekonomi global, ia juga akan membolehkan negara bergerak daripada pengguna teknologi kepada pengeluar teknologi, kata Menteri Sains, Teknologi dan Inovasi Wilfred Madius Tangau. — Gambar EPA, 19 Mac 2018.

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Keeping Data Safe for Industry 4.0



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The role of Cyber Security in Securing Innovation in paving the way for Industry 4.0

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EUMCCI HOSTS CYBER RISK MANAGEMENT FOR INDUSTRY 4.0

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He was speaking at a seminar on cyber risk management for Industry 4.0, organised by EUMCCI in collaboration with **TUV Rheinland**, a global leader in testing, inspection, consulting and certification in Kuala Lumpur today.

Roberto said cyber risks are constantly evolving and companies have to make the crucial decision on which risks to avoid, accept, control or transfer.

As the global economy evolves towards Industry 4.0, it is not only crucial that companies prepare their cyber systems for any potential risks but they should also educate themselves continuously on developments pertaining to risk management.

A highlight of the seminar is the **VIP Luncheon** with **YB Datuk Seri Wilfred Madius Tangau, the Minister of Science, Technology & Innovation (MOSTI)**. Datuk Seri Wilfred shared his thoughts on the role of cyber security in securing innovation in paving the way for Industry 4.0

TUV Rheinland also provided insights on the some of the key issues and how companies could address cyber risk concerns as they move towards Industry 4.0. Among the topics discussed are the protection of critical infrastructure, automotive cyber security and the evolving threat landscape, and security in the IOT world.

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Medium : Tech Barrista (Portal)

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Journalist : N/A



Malaysian-Finnish Business Council - MFBC



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In conjunction with Cyber Risk Management for Industry 4.0, on behalf of the EUMCCI we would like to extend an invitation to you to join them for their first VIP Luncheon of 2018 with YB Datuk Seri Wilfred Madius Tangau, Minister from Kementerian Sains, Teknologi dan Inovasi (MOSTI).

Datuk Seri will be discussing "THE ROLE OF CYBER SECURITY IN SECURING INNOVATION IN PAVING THE WAY FOR INDUSTRY 4.0" at the DoubleTree by Hilton this 19th March.

Click on the link below to register or more info.

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5.	Malaysian Finnish Business Council	“In Conversation With” Business Sustainability Leaders 5 April 2018	29 March 2018	Website
6.	British Malaysian Chamber of Commerce	Business Sustainability “In Conversation With” Sustainability Leaders	N/A	Website
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Journalist : RAHIMI YUNUS

EU palm oil ban needs huge dialogue



Friday, April 6th, 2018 at Business | News



By **RAHIMI YUNUS** / Pic By AFIF ABD HALIM

The European business community believes the proposed palm oil import ban requires an enormous amount of dialogues among stakeholders to understand each other's position better.

The European Union (EU) Malaysia Chamber of Commerce and Industry (EUMCCI) CEO Roberto Benetello (*picture*) told *The Malaysian Reserve (TMR)* that both parties – exporter countries like Malaysia and the EU countries as importers – need to understand each other's position in order to have a better debate in the future.

"It's important for Malaysia to understand the expectations from Europe in terms of sustainability, as much as the Europeans to understand what progress has been made here (in Malaysia) to improve the sustainability aspect and get the real picture of the current situation," Benetello told *TMR* on the sidelines of the Europa Awards for Sustainability 2018 soft launch in Kuala Lumpur yesterday.

For EUMCCI, Benetello said the business community is keen to facilitate the discussion moving forward.

At present, the EU palm oil ban rhetorics have resulted in aggressiveness, with threat of product bans by both parties.

The EU Parliament has voted in January 2018 for the Renewal Energy Directive II to ban the usage of palm biodiesel from January 2021.

Malaysia has continuously opposed such a move that is deemed protectionist, with the latest being the establishment of a palm oil war room (POWR) to better coordinate efforts among government agencies to dismantle global barriers to palm oil trade. The POWR was set up by the Ministry of Plantation Industries and Commodities, headed by its secretary general Datuk K Yogeessvaran in cooperation with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of International Trade and Industry, and Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment. Meanwhile, on sustainable palm oil merit, Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO) global outreach and engagement director Stefano Savi said the agenda should be seen as objective and needs to be promoted, especially among the smallholders for economic, social and environmental benefits.

"Put aside the political discussion. We need to show people that there is something for them in the efforts towards sustainability," Savi, who was also present at the event, told *TMR*.

Savi said one of the biggest challenges to get these smallholders certified is to gather them, say the suppliers of the same palm oil mill, at one place and facilitate the certification process as a group.

Meanwhile, EUMCCI is introducing a new category – Palm Oil Sustainability Leader – into the Europa Awards for Sustainability 2018 this time around, in addition to the other five categories of Best Sustainability Reporting, Best Innovation in Sustainability, Best Social Impact, Best Environment Impact and Best Sustainability Leader.

The second edition of the award targets 150 entries this year, compared to 100 submissions recorded last year.

Applications are open to any companies in Malaysia that have sustainability agendas from June 1-Oct 31, 2018.

The nomination process will be culminated in the Europa Awards Ceremony and Gala Dinner on Nov 22, 2018.

EUMCCI Coverage Clippings

Client : EUMCCI

Medium : The Malaysian Reserve Date : April 6, 2018

Headline : Selangor urged to name price for Splash takeover Link : [Click Here](#)

Journalist : P Prem Kumar, Dashveenjit Kaur & Rahimi Yunus

Selangor urged to name price for Splash takeover



Friday, April 6th, 2018 at : Business | News



State govt has until July before the federal govt moves to invoke Section 114 of WSIA

By P PREM KUMAR, DASHVEENJIT KAUR & RAHIMI YUNUS / Pic By ISMAIL CHERUS

The federal government remains in the view that the Selangor state government must state an offer price to buy Syarikat Pengeluar Air Selangor Holdings Bhd (Splash), as stipulated in the master agreement to end the state's water saga.

Energy, Green Technology and Water Minister Datuk Seri Dr Maximus Johnnity Ongkili (*picture*) said the reluctance of the Selangor government to name its price for Splash has resulted in the water crisis in the state recently.

Ongkili said the state government should not delay the process, as to date, eight states have completed restructuring their water industry using similar methods to Selangor.

He pointed that none of these cases were more complicated.

Ongkili was responding to Bandar Tun Razak MP Tan Sri Abdul Khalid Ibrahim who asked the federal government to invoke clauses in the Water Services Industry Act 2006 (WSIA) to forcefully take over the Selangor water concessionaires.

Abdul Khalid was also Selangor's former menteri besar (MB) who brokered the long-delayed water industry restructuring by cooperating with the federal government.

"There are six states confirmed and two more to sign in the next two or three months. Thus, the principle used has been tried and proven under the WSIA.

"Prior to this, the Selangor MB had also used the same way for the purchase of the first three companies in open negotiations with prices certified by the state government at that time," Ongkili said.

The minister maintained that the government intends for negotiation to continue on a "willing buyer-willing seller" basis, however, the process cannot be delayed further.

"We have given the state ample time. If they want to buy something, they have to name the price and can't expect the federal government to name the price.

"We are only left with two more options after the current extension expires on July 4, 2018. Either invoke Section 114 of the WSIA for a forced takeover or just cancel the entire master agreement," he said.

While admitting that cancelling the entire agreement would be a waste of energy, time and resources since 2015, Ongki li said the federal government will be left with "very few options" for the benefit of the people.

"We will have to do something, keeping in mind of the people's and country's interest. Section 114 of the WSIA allows us to force take over under national interest," he added.

Meanwhile, the ministry's secretary general Datuk Seri Dr Zaini Ujang said the state government has until July before the federal government moves to invoke Section 114 of WSIA.

"It's stuck at Selangor. They have to offer the price as the next step. We just give them loans and you cannot ask the 'bank' to state the price," Zaini told The Malaysian Reserve on the sidelines of the Europa Awards for Sustainability 2018 soft launch in Kuala Lumpur yesterday.

The federal government through Pengurusan Aset Air Bhd had agreed to channel RM2 billion for the Selangor water restructuring exercise, to allow the state take over all concession companies – Syarikat Bekalan Air Selangor Sdn Bhd (Syabas), Puncak Niaga Holdings Bhd Konsortium Abbas Sdn Bhd and Splash – and put under one centralised administration with a combined deal of RM6.59 billion.

Splash is the last piece of the puzzle that needs to be sorted out after it turned down the state offer of RM250.6 million, citing that the offer price was too low.

On Sept 8, 2015, a longdrawn saga over the RM9.65 billion water restructuring deal between Selangor and the federal government was concluded after both parties inked the final four agreements to conclude the exercise.

The state's Pengurusan Air Selangor Sdn Bhd (Air Selangor) and the federal government's Pengurusan Aset Air Sdn Bhd (PAAB) signed a set of agreements in accordance with provisions stipulated in the master agreement.

The final agreements allowed the completion of the master agreement and the release of up to RM2 billion from PAAB to Air Selangor to pay for the takeover of water concessionaire companies.

In exchange, Air Selangor would transfer up to RM2 billion worth of water assets to PAAB, which will subsequently be leased back to Air Selangor.

Air Selangor took over Syabas and Puncak Niaga from Oct 1, 2015. Out of the four concessionaires, all have agreed to the takeover, except Splash.

Splash was then given a oneyear grace period from the time the master agreement came into force to re-negotiate terms with the Selangor government.

The negotiations between Air Selangor and Splash had been delayed by a series of extensions since then.

EUMCCI Coverage Clippings

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6. *EUMCCI spearheads business sustainability with Europa Awards for Sustainability 2018*

EUMCC spearheads business sustainability with Europa Awards for Sustainability 2018

Following the overwhelming response from last's year Europa Awards for Sustainability 2017, the EU-Malaysia Chamber of Commerce & Industry (EUMCCI) continues to organise the awards for the second year with a new award category, partners and sponsors consistent with the European Union's sustainable development values. The Awards seek to recognize companies that have shown exemplary business excellence in the field of sustainability and contributed to the long term benefit of Malaysian society and economy. Featuring a total of six award categories including Best Sustainability Reporting, Best Innovation in Sustainability, Best Social Impact, Best Environment Impact, Best Sustainability Leader (awarded to an individual), and a new category which has been introduced this year: Palm Oil Sustainability Leader. Tan Sri Datuk Dr. Rebecca Fatima Sta. Maria, Chairperson of EUMCCI said, "Last year, EUMCCI received over 100 nominations from over 80 Malaysian companies. This is a proud achievement indeed which shows that Europa Awards has made a substantial initial mark in promoting sustainability." "This year, we foresee an increased number of companies who want to show their commitment and achievements in sustainability because they are convinced that this is the right strategic direction to create competitive advantage in the years to come," she said during the soft launch event in Kuala Lumpur.

EUMCCI Coverage Clippings

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Medium : Malaysian Dutch Business Date : April 5, 2018
Council (Website)

Headline : EUMCCI / MDBC: Business Sustainability – ICW Sustainability Leaders Link : [Click Here](#)

Journalist : N/A

EUMCCI / MDBC: Business Sustainability – ICW Sustainability Leaders

April 5 @ 8:30 am - 4:30 pm



Dear MDBC members,

Sustainability has been one of the fundamental objectives of the European Union (EU) for nearly 20 years. It has been mainstreamed into EU policies and legislation, and the EU's 2030 Agenda has become the world's blueprint for global sustainable development. The EU has a set vision for the sustainable development of Europe based on balanced economic growth and price stability, a highly competitive social market economy, aiming at full employment and social progress, and a high level of protection and improvement of the quality of the environment.

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Date: Thursday, 5 April 2018

Time: 08:30 – 16:30 hrs

Venue: DoubleTree by Hilton Kuala Lumpur

Price: Members RM 300; Non - Members RM 400

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PANELISTS: Raj Ridvan Singh (CEO, SOLS 24/7)

Gregers Reimann (Managing Director, IEN Consultants)

Brian Lariche (Founder, Lariche Community)

Matthias Gelber (Founder, Eco Warrior) **Afternoon session only*

MODERATOR: Ms Sunita Devi (Sustainability Communication Consultant & Trainer, Devcom Trends)



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Sunita has a passion in enhancing communication skills to acquire knowledge. Formerly with Citibank, she has also done work with a wide variety of corporations including the University of Phoenix (New Zealand), Smart Talk Alliance, the Philippines Consulate, Embassy of Kuwait, Korea, Indian High Commission, Outsourcing Magazine, HR Asia, and more. Most of her recent papers resolve around her double PhD research on Sustainable Best Practices and Information Security.



Panelist – Raj Ridvan Singh

Founder & CEO, SOLS 24/7

One of the most successful social entrepreneurs in Malaysia, Raj has more than 20 years in the social service sector. He started SOLS 24/7 Malaysia to blend the worlds of social service and entrepreneurship. 300,000+ individuals have benefited from SOLS 24/7's programs and projects and it has grown into one of the leading and most innovative NGOs in Malaysia. In 2010, he set up SOLS Social Enterprises, and took it from start up to a multi million Ringgit organization within nine months.



Panelist – Gregers Reimann

Managing Director, IEN Consultants

Gregers regularly contributes to green building articles and frequently guest lectures at universities internationally. He specializes in building designs that have good daylight, are highly energy efficiency, and have excellent thermal and visual comfort. Key project references during his 10 years of working in Asia include the Setia City Mall (Green certified mall), the ST Diamond Building (2012 ASEAN Energy Award winner), and the GEO Building designed to be a zero energy office building. Gregers has also been a technical reviewer for the EU Energy – Efficiency Buildings project.



Panelist – Brian Lariche

Founder & Chief Community Strategist, Lariche Community

Brian has vast experience in community development both in Malaysia and internationally. He was Project Adviser for the UNDP in HIV, focusing on leadership and capacity identification and development in Malaysia and West Africa. He is also a trainer/facilitator for numerous local and international youth and community leadership engagement programs. He has also run programs on CSR (including the issue of sustainability) at the Abu Dhabi Centre of Excellence for the Mumbai Chamber of Commerce, and several programs in other countries as well.



Panelist – Matthias Gelber

Founder & Chief Environmental Officer, NEWERA Energy

Matthias Gelber is an avid environmentalist, green entrepreneur, professional green speaker, moderator, trainer, and judge for eco events. Dubbed the Green Man for his commitment to sustainable practices, Matthias aspires to be a model of green living for the sake of future generations. Founder of Eco Warriors Malaysia, he also serves as a board member of Solexel Malaysia and has played a key role in developing and delivering the 1st ADB Green Business Forum.

Itinerary:

08:30 – 09:00 hrs: Registration

09:05 – 09:10 hrs: Welcome Address by Tan Sri Dr. Rebecca Sta Maria (Chairperson, EUMCCI)

09:10 – 09:20 hrs: Message from H.E. Maria Castillo Fernandez

(Ambassador & Head of Delegation, Delegation of the European Union to Malaysia)

09:20 – 09:35 hrs: Keynote address by YBhg. Dato' Seri Ir. Dr. Zaini bin Ujang (Secretary General, KeTTHA) (TBC)

09:35 – 09:45 hrs: "Europa Awards for Sustainability 2018 – What's New?" Roberto Benetello (CEO, EUMCCI)

"Assessment Process" Alexandra Herbel (Managing Director, TÜV Rheinland)

09:45 – 09:50 hrs: Europa Awards for Sustainability 2018 Soft Launch ceremony

09:50 – 10:10 hrs: Coffee Break / Press Conference

"IN CONVERSATION WITH" SUSTAINABILITY LEADERS – PROGRAM BEGINS

10:15 – 10:35 hrs: Opening Remarks by Marco Winter (Executive Director, MDDB)

Presentation of certificates for Europa Awards for Sustainability 2017 Award Winners

Presented by YBhg. Dato' Seri Ir. Dr. Zaini bin Ujang

BEST SOCIAL IMPACT WINNERS

10:35 – 11:35 hrs: Presentation by KPJ Healthcare (Large)

Presentation by The Lost Food Project (SME)

Panel Discussion on "Best Social Impact"

BEST INNOVATION IN SUSTAINABILITY WINNER

11:35 – 12:15 hrs: Presentation by Invest Energy

Panel Discussion on "Best Innovation in Sustainability"

12:15 – 13:30 hrs: Lunch

BEST ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT WINNER

13:30 – 14:30 hrs: Presentation by Infineon Technologies (Kulim) Sdn Bhd (Large)

Presentation by Biotech International Asia Sdn Bhd (SME)

Panel Discussion on "Best Environmental Impact"

BEST SUSTAINABILITY REPORTING WINNER

14:30 – 15:10 hrs: Presentation by Sime Darby Property

Panel Discussion on "Best Sustainability Reporting"

15:10 – 15:30 hrs: Coffee Break

BEST SUSTAINABILITY LEADER WINNER

15:30 – 16:10 hrs: Presentation by Dr. Stelios Plainiotis

Panel Discussion on "Best Sustainability Leader"

16:10 – 16:30 hrs: Conclusion by Sunita Devi & Closing Remarks by Marco Winter

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With our best regards,

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"IN CONVERSATION WITH" BUSINESS SUSTAINABILITY LEADERS 5 April 2018

March 29, 2018

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Venue: DoubleTree by Hilton KLThe Intermark, 348, Jalan Tun Razak, 50400 Kuala Lumpur

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PRINTED NEWS

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Headline : Selangor urged to name price for Splash takeover Link : N/A

Journalist : P Prem Kumar, Dashveenjit Kaur & Rahimi Yunus



Selangor urged to name price for Splash takeover

State govt has until July before the federal govt moves to invoke Section 114 of WSA

by P PREM KUMAR, DASHVEENJIT KAUR & RAHIMI YUNUS

THE federal government remains in the view that the Selangor state government must state an offer price to buy Syarikat Pengangkutan Air Selangor Holdings Bhd (Splash), as stipulated in the master agreement to end the state's water supply crisis.

Energy, Green Technology and Water Minister Datuk Seri Dr Maximus Johney Ongkili said the reluctance of the Selangor government to name its price for Splash has resulted in the water crisis in the state recently.

Ongkili said the state government should not delay the process, as to date eight states have completed restructuring their water industry using similar methods to Selangor.

He pointed that none of these cases were more complicated.

Ongkili was responding to Bandar Tun Razak MP Tan Sri Abdul Khalid Ibrahim who asked the federal government to invoke clauses in the Water Services Industry Act 2008 (WSIA) to forcefully take over the Selangor water concessionaires.

Abdul Khalid was also Selangor's former menteri besar (MB) who brokered the long-delayed water industry restructuring by expediting with the federal government.

"There are six states confirmed and two more to sign in the next two or three months. Thus, the principle used has been tried and proven under the WSA.

"Prior to this, the Selangor MB had also used the same way for the purchase of the first three companies in open negotiations with private entities

led by the state government at that time," Ongkili said.

The minister maintained that the government intends for negotiation to continue on a "willing buyer-willing seller" basis, however, the process cannot be delayed further.

"We have given the state ample time. If they want to buy something, they have to name the price and don't expect the federal government to name the price.

"We are only left with two more options since the current extension expires on July 4, 2018. Either invoke Section 114 of the WSA for a forced takeover or just cancel the entire master agreement," he said.

While admitting that cancelling the entire agreement would be a waste of energy, time and resources since 2015, Ongkili said the federal government will be left with "very few options" for the benefit of the people.

"We will have to do something, keeping in mind of the people's and country's interest. Section 114 of the WSA allows us to force take over under national interest," he added.

Meanwhile, the ministry's secretary general Datuk Seri Dr Zaini Djeng said the state government has until July before the federal government moves to invoke Section 114 of WSA.

"It's stuck at Selangor. They have to offer the price as the next step. We just give them time and you cannot ask the 'bank' to state the price," Zaini said The Malaysian Reserve on the sidelines of the Europa Awards for Sustainability 2018 side launch in Kuala Lumpur yesterday.

The federal government through Pengurusan Aset Air Bhd had agreed to channel RM2 billion for the Selangor water restructuring exercise, to allow the state take over all concession companies — Syarikat Bekalan Air Selangor Sdn Bhd (Syabas), Puncak Niaga Holdings Bhd Konsortium Air-Bas Sdn Bhd and Splash — and put under one centralised administration with a combined deal of RM3.59 billion.

Splash is the last piece of the puzzle that needs to be sorted out after it turned down the state offer of RM250 million, citing that the offer price was too low.

On Sept. 8, 2015, a long-drawn saga over the RM9.65 billion water restructuring deal between Selangor and the federal government was concluded after both parties inked the final four agreements to conclude the exercise.

The state's Pengurusan Air Selangor Sdn Bhd (Air Selangor) and the federal government's Pengurusan Aset Air Sdn Bhd (PAAS) signed a set of agreements in accordance with provisions stipulated in the master agreement.

The final agreements allowed the completion of the master agreement and the release of up to RM2 billion from PAAS to Air Selangor to pay for the takeover of water concessionaire companies.

In exchange, Air Selangor would transfer up to RM2 billion worth of water assets to PAAS, which will subsequently be leased back to Air Selangor.

Air Selangor took over Syabas and Puncak Niaga from Oct. 1, 2015. Out of the four concessionaires, all have agreed to the takeover, except Splash.

Splash was then given a one-year grace period from the time the master agreement came into force to re-negotiate terms with the Selangor government.

The negotiations between Air Selangor and Splash had been delayed by a series of concessions since then.

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Journalist : Rahimi Yunus

EU palm oil ban needs huge dialogue

THE European business community believes the proposed palm oil import ban requires an enormous amount of dialogues among stakeholders to understand each other's position better.

The European Union (EU)-Malaysia Chamber of Commerce and Industry (EUMCCI) CEO Roberto Benetello told *The Malaysian Reserve* (TMR) that both parties — exporter countries like Malaysia and the EU countries as importers — need to understand each other's position in order to have a better debate in the future.

"It's important for Malaysia to understand the expectations from Europe in terms of sustainability, as much as the Europeans to understand what progress has been made here (in Malaysia) to improve the sustainability aspect and get the real picture of the current situation," Benetello told TMR on the sidelines of the Europa Awards for Sustainability 2018 soft launch in Kuala Lumpur yesterday.

For EUMCCI, Benetello said the business community is keen to facilitate the discussion moving forward.

At present, the EU palm oil



Both parties — Malaysia and the EU — need to understand each other's position for a better debate, says Benetello
pic by Afi Abd Halim

ban rhetorics have resulted in aggressiveness, with threat of product bans by both parties.

The EU Parliament has voted in January 2018 for the Renewal Energy Directive II to ban the usage of palm biodiesel from January 2021.

Malaysia has continuously opposed such a move that is deemed protectionist, with the latest being the establishment of a palm oil war room (POWR) to better coordinate efforts among government agencies to dismantle global barriers to palm oil trade

The POWR was set up by the Ministry of Plantation Industries and Commodities, headed

people that there is something for them in the efforts towards sustainability," Savi, who was also present at the event, told TMR.

Savi said one of the biggest challenges to get these smallholders certified is to gather them, say the suppliers of the same palm oil mill, at one place and facilitate the certification process as a group.

Meanwhile, EUMCCI is introducing a new category — Palm Oil Sustainability Leader — into the Europa Awards for Sustainability 2018 this time around, in addition to the other five categories of Best Sustainability Reporting, Best Innovation in Sustainability, Best Social Impact, Best Environment Impact and Best Sustainability Leader.

The second edition of the award targets 150 entries this year, compared to 100 submissions recorded last year.

Applications are open to any companies in Malaysia that have sustainability agendas from June 1-Oct 31, 2018.

The nomination process will be culminated in the Europa Awards Ceremony and Gala Dinner on Nov. 22, 2018. — by RAHIMI YUNUS

by its secretary general Datuk K Yogevaran in cooperation with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of International Trade and Industry, and Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment.

Meanwhile, on sustainable palm oil merit, Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO) global outreach and engagement director Stefano Savi said the agenda should be seen as objective and needs to be promoted, especially among the smallholders for economic, social and environmental benefits.

"Put aside the political discussion. We need to show

INTERNET OF THINGS (IOT) TRADE MISSION TO MALAYSIA

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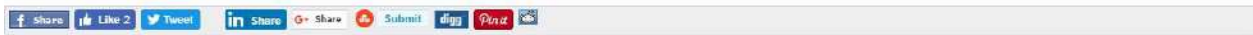
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European Union-Malaysia Chamber of Commerce and Industry (EUMCCI) kicked off the second edition of Internet of Things (IoT) Trade Mission to Malaysia from April 23 until tomorrow in Kuala Lumpur.

The annual trade summit sees participation of delegates from five international countries which are United Kingdom, Spain, Germany, Portugal, France, and also a representative company from Malaysia.

With this initiative EUMCCI takes the opportunity to highlight Malaysia's great progress on the IoT industry through the National IoT Strategic Roadmap in 2015 which aims to contribute RM42.5 (US\$13.4) billion to gross national income (GNI) by 2025.

The first stop of the trade mission will see delegates participating in the twenty-first edition of Asia IoT business platform endorsed by the Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation (MOSTI) which saw the coming together of Senior Information and Operations Technology professionals from local enterprises and government agencies for two consecutive days at Hotel Istana, Kuala Lumpur.

The conference was officiated by Strategic Technology and S&T Application deputy secretary, Nordinia Idris on behalf of MOSTI deputy minister Datuk Dr. Abu Bakar Mohamad Diah.

EU-MALAYSIA TRADE AND INVESTMENT FORUM 2018

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1.	New Straits Times	High hopes for EU-Malaysia FTA	16 July 2018	Online Portal
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4.	The Edge Markets	EU-Malaysia chamber hopes for revival of EU-Malaysia free trade deal	16 July 2018	Online Portal
5.	Malaysia Chronicle	Malaysia to officially discuss High Speed Rail to Singapore by end of this month	17 July 2018	Online Portal
6.	The Edge Financial Daily	Azmin to meet Singapore counterpart soon on KL-Spore HSR	17 July 2018	Printed
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8.	Harian Metro	Umum keputusan sebelum akhir Julai	17 July 2018	Printed
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11.	BH Online	FTA EU-Malaysia akan dipercepatkan	16 July 2018	Online Portal
12.	Bernamea Online	Duta harap kerajaan segerakan perbincangan FTA Malaysia-EU	16 July 2018	Online Portal
13.	Bernamea Online	Malaysia, Singapura bincang soal HSR hujung bulan - Azmin	16 July 2018	Online Portal
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High hopes for EU-Malaysia FTA

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By **Farah Adilla** - July 16, 2018 @ 6:24pm

KUALA LUMPUR: The European Union (EU) business community is hopeful that the new government under Pakatan Harapan will hasten the relaunch of free trade agreement (FTA) negotiations soon.

Ambassador and head of EU delegations to Malaysia Maria Castillo Fernandez said the EU-Malaysia FTA will be a key pillar in the bigger framework of EU-Asean FTA.

"As the EU already formed FTAs with Vietnam and Singapore, and discussion is ongoing for Indonesia and the Philippines, Malaysia is one important but missing link currently that we urgently want to connect.

"Representing the EU, I cannot emphasise more the importance of regional economic and political integration as a key factor in generating economic growth, social inclusiveness, fostering democratic values and ensuring political stability.

"This is why the EU has strongly supported Asean for over 30 years. We want to see the new Malaysia as an active member in Asean's engagement with EU at all levels," she told reporters at the EU-Malaysia Trade and Investment Forum 2018.

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"I think the more pertinent question that the government needs to think is what if Malaysia is not part of the FTA? And I believe that the government will have more clarity on how to approach this initiative, based on works that have been done by its Asean counterparts, namely, Singapore, Vietnam, the Philippines and Indonesia," she said.

In his speech, Economic Affairs Minister Datuk Seri Mohamed Azmin Ali said Malaysia's total trade with the EU had increased 25.1 per cent year-on-year to RM16.15 billion in April. This accounted for 10.4 per cent of the country's total trade.

Malaysia's exports to the region totalled RM8.93 billion, higher by 19.5 per cent mainly due to increased exports of manufacturers of metal as well as electrical and electronic (E&E) products.

Imports grew 32.8 per cent to RM7.22 billion.

Azmin said among the top 10 EU markets, exports to nine countries had registered growth namely Italy (180.3 per cent), Spain (176.9 per cent), the Czech Republic (49.7 per cent), Hungary (45.8 per cent), Germany (19.2 per cent), France (10.6 per cent), the Netherlands (5.1 per cent), Poland (3.6 per cent) and Belgium (3.1 per cent).

Meanwhile, the pivotal element of the forum is the launch of the EUMCCI Trade Issues and Recommendations 2018 position paper.

The publication represents the summary of the work conducted by the EUMCCI's industry sector committees outlining the most pressing issues, as well as recommendations on how to improve the business environment with public and private stakeholders.

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From left: Castillo Fernandez, Azmin, EU-Malaysia Chamber of Commerce and Industry chairperson Tan Sri Dr Rebecca Sta. Maria, and EUMCCI CEO Roberto Benetello the launch of the EUMCCI Trade Issues and Recommendations 2018 position paper today.

KUALA LUMPUR: Minister of Economic Affairs Datuk Seri Mohamed Azmin Ali is expected to make an official communication on the Kuala Lumpur-Singapore High Speed Rail (HSR) project to his Singapore counterparts by the end of the month.

Speaking to reporters on the sidelines of the EU-Malaysia Trade & Investment Forum 2018 today, Azmin said he is currently communicating with the neighbouring country on the project and will be making an announcement in the next few days.

"Last week I was briefed by the Attorney-General and I presented the case to the Cabinet on Wednesday. We will inform the press in the next few days," he said.

On the overall economic conditions of the country, Azmin said that things are looking challenging at this juncture.

"We have to accept the fact that times are very challenging. On my part, I have been discussing with many foreign diplomats to see how best we can sustain our FDIs (foreign direct investments) in Malaysia. We want to ensure that these investments can create value for local players. It has to be in high tech investments and to move away from labour-intensive industries. These are issues concerning the ministry now. So we will be meeting with stakeholders to see how best we can move up the value chain for our SMEs (small and medium enterprises) and local players," he said.

In his keynote address, Azmin said the new government wants to encourage quality FDIs, particularly greenfield investments that could contribute to real value creation spurring productivity, innovation and complement the local business ecosystem.

Touching on trade agreements, Azmin said any bilateral or multilateral agreements should not only be free but fair and must ensure that the interests of the SMEs, which form the backbone of the economy, are not on HSR compromised and sufficient opportunities are given to these organisations to move up the value chain.

On another note, Ambassador and Head of European Union Delegation to Malaysia, Maria Castillo Fernandez, urged the government to relaunch the Malaysia-EU Free Trade Agreement (FTA) negotiations soon.

She said the EU is looking to continue the negotiations pending from the previous administration in relation to the agreement which is set to be a key pillar to the larger scale EU-Asean FTA.

Castillo Fernandez is set to meet International Trade and Industry Minister Darell Leiking next week to discuss and speed up the process.

The regional blocs of Asean and EU launched initial talks for a pact in 2007 but abandoned the process in 2009 when the EU opted to instead conduct bilateral negotiations with individual countries.

Castillo Fernandez noted that Malaysia is the only missing link, given that negotiations with the Philippines and Indonesia are ongoing while bilateral trade ties have already been forged with Singapore and Vietnam.

There are some 2,000 EU companies operating in Malaysia.

As of the first quarter of this year, the total FDI from EU stood at RM107 billion while Malaysia had invested RM59 billion in the EU.

In April, total trade between the European economic bloc and Malaysia increased 25.1% from last year to RM16.15 billion, accounting for 10.4% of Malaysia's total trade.

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The HSR project, which reportedly cost about RM110 billion, is one of the several infrastructure plans initiated by former prime minister Datuk Seri Najib Razak's administration being reviewed by the new government.

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KUALA LUMPUR (July 16): The EU-Malaysia Chamber of Commerce and Industry (EUMCCI) is hopeful that the new Pakatan Harapan government will resume talks on the EU-Malaysia free trade agreement (FTA), which has taken a back seat for several years amid developments over the larger Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) Agreement in recent years.

Speaking at a press conference after the launch of the "EUMCCI Trade Issues & Recommendations" 2018 report here, Ambassador for the EU delegation to Malaysia Maria Castillo Fernandez shared that the EU business community is still keen to resume talks on the FTA as part of the building block for the larger, Asean-EU FTA in the long run.

"We will hope the new government can re-launch the free trade negotiations very soon... [It] will most certainly be a key pillar to our broader EU-Asean FTA," said Fernandez.

The EU delegation, she said, has started discussing with several Malaysian ministers on the matter.

"I will have a meeting next week with the Ministry of International Trade and Industry in order to see how we can quickly re-engage and re-launch the [EU-Malaysia FTA]," she added.

EUMCCI chairperson Tan Sri Dr Rebecca Sta Maria said the "ultimate aim" of the EU is to establish an Asean-EU FTA, which has been talked about since as early as ten years ago.

Pointing to the success stories of other bilateral FTAs done by the EU, Maria said: "The Korea-EU FTA has increased trade [volume between the two parties] by 31% in five years.

"The important point to consider is the consequences of not being part of the eventual Asean-EU FTA. This [EU-Malaysia FTA] is a building block [for that], and the pertinent question is what if we are not there.

"But the new government is [looking into it], consolidating its position, they are looking at the data, and [the FTAs] done [between] the EU [and other Asean countries]. That will give the government of Malaysia a perspective on how they want to proceed," she added.

Malaysia had been in talks for the now-defunct TPP Agreement following the exit of the US — world's number one economy — from the 12-country agreement.

It was reported in January that Malaysia, under the previous Barisan Nasional administration, was interested to participate in the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership, which included all participants left from the TPP Agreement.

Separately, the EU has established bilateral FTAs with Asean countries such as Singapore in 2014 and Vietnam in 2015, which follows the footsteps of the FTA negotiation between EU and Asean started in 2007.

The EU is the third largest Malaysian partner in terms of trade volume. Exports in 2017 to the continent rose 15.3% year-on-year (y-o-y) to a record RM79.75 billion, while imports rose 19.4% y-o-y to another record RM95.29 billion.

Total Malaysia-EU trade increased 25.1% on-year in April 2018 to RM18.15 billion, accounting for 10.4% of Malaysia's total trade in the period.

With 2,000 companies residing in Malaysia, the EU is also the second largest foreign direct investor here, and the second largest recipient of Malaysian investment.

For the first quarter of 2018, the EU recorded total foreign direct investments (FDI) of RM107 billion into Malaysia, while Malaysia has invested RM59 billion in the EU — of which services sector investment accounted for RM35.3 billion.

In a related matter, Fernandez said the possible Brexit scenario will not pose a threat to EU's status as the leading trading partner for Malaysia.

"Even after Brexit, EU will remain as the third largest trading partner for Malaysia. The EU is a huge market, we will not be a market with 500 million consumers — but with 455 million consumers [instead]. And I don't think that makes any difference," she said.

Meanwhile, EUMCCI chief executive officer Roberto Benetello shared that the EUMCCI 2018 recommendations report has been submitted by a delegation to the finance minister Lim Guan Eng on June 21.

The key messages include a proposal for a fair rate on sales tax for imported goods, request to simplify processes to apply import permits and free zones, the doubling down on human capital development particularly for skilled workers, and curbing of counterfeits.

Other messages include the enforcement of international standards, transparency in doing business, improvement on knowledge exchange between government and industry stakeholders, and for comprehensive business environment review to be conducted before the government impose new policy or regulations.

"We also had a consultation last week at the Ministry of Finance for the [Malaysian] Budget 2019, and we submitted comprehensive, well-detailed documents with all our issues and recommendations," said Benetello.

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MALAYSIA TO OFFICIALLY DISCUSS HIGH-SPEED-RAIL PROJECT WITH SINGAPORE BY END OF JULY – AZMIN

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KUALA LUMPUR – Minister of Economic Affairs Datuk Seri Mohamed Azmin Ali is expected to make an official communication on the Kuala Lumpur-Singapore High Speed Rail (HSR) project to his Singapore counterparts by the end of the month.

Speaking to reporters on the sidelines of the EU-Malaysia Trade & Investment Forum 2018 today, Azmin said he is currently communicating with the neighbouring country on the project and will be making an announcement in the next few days.

"Last week I was briefed by the Attorney-General and I presented the case to the Cabinet on Wednesday. We will inform the press in the next few days," he said.

On the overall economic conditions of the country, Azmin said that things are looking challenging at this juncture.

"We have to accept the fact that times are very challenging. On my part, I have been discussing with many foreign diplomats to see how best we can sustain our FDIs (foreign direct investments) in Malaysia. We want to ensure that these investments can create value for local players. It has to be in high tech investments and to move away from labour-intensive industries. These are issues concerning the ministry now. So we will be meeting with stakeholders to see how best we can move up the value chain for our SMEs (small and medium enterprises) and local players," he said.

In his keynote address, Azmin said the new government wants to encourage quality FDIs, particularly greenfield investments that could contribute to real value creation spurring productivity, innovation and complement the local business ecosystem.



Touching on trade agreements, Azmin said any bilateral or multilateral agreements should not only be free but fair and must ensure that the interests of the SMEs, which form the backbone of the economy, are not on HSR compromised and sufficient opportunities are given to these organisations to move up the value chain.

On another note, Ambassador and Head of European Union Delegation to Malaysia, Maria Castillo Fernandez, urged the government to relaunch the Malaysia-EU Free Trade Agreement (FTA) negotiations soon.

She said the EU is looking to continue the negotiations pending from the previous administration in relation to the agreement which is set to be a key pillar to the larger scale EU-Asean FTA.

Castillo Fernandez is set to meet International Trade and Industry Minister Darell Leiking next week to discuss and speed up the process.

The regional blocs of Asean and EU launched initial talks for a pact in 2007 but abandoned the process in 2009 when the EU opted to instead conduct bilateral negotiations with individual countries.

Castillo Fernandez noted that Malaysia is the only missing link, given that negotiations with the Philippines and Indonesia are ongoing while bilateral trade ties have already been forged with Singapore and Vietnam.

There are some 2,000 EU companies operating in Malaysia.

As of the first quarter of this year, the total FDI from EU stood at RM107 billion while Malaysia had invested RM59 billion in the EU.

In April, total trade between the European economic bloc and Malaysia increased 25.1% from last year to RM16.15 billion, accounting for 10.4% of Malaysia's total trade.

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Economic Affairs Minister Datuk Seri Mohamed Azmin Ali said Malaysia will send an official representative to Singapore to discuss the High-Speed Rail project by the end of the month. — Picture by Mukhriz Hazim

KUALA LUMPUR, July 16 — Malaysia will send an official representative to Singapore to discuss the High-Speed Rail project by the end of the month, said Economic Affairs Minister Datuk Seri Mohamed Azmin Ali.

"I'm in the communication with our Singaporean counterpart. Last week, I was briefed by our Attorney-General and presented the case (to the Cabinet) on Wednesday."

"We will meet with my counterpart in Singapore soon and will discuss the details," he told reporters after delivering a keynote address at the EU-Malaysia Trade and Investment Forum 2018 here today.

Azmin said an announcement on the matter would be made this week.

In his speech earlier, he said total trade between Malaysia and the European Union (EU) increased 25.1 per cent year-on-year (YoY) in April to RM16.15 billion, accounting for 10.4 per cent of Malaysia's total trade.

Exports grew 19.5 per cent YoY to RM8.93 billion, while imports increased 32.8 per cent to RM7.22 billion, he said.

On foreign direct investment (FDI), he said the EU recorded a total FDI of RM107 billion as at the first quarter of 2018, while Malaysia had invested RM59 billion in Europe, mainly in services worth RM35.3 billion.

Azmin said Malaysia would intensify efforts to attract more quality FDI's going forward, particularly in the green field investments that would contribute to real value creation and spur productivity, innovation and complement the country's business ecosystem.

"We want to see the establishment of production plants and factories. We also want to see the transfer of technology, generation of employment opportunities and local small and medium enterprises moving up the value chain," he added. — Bernama

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Duta Merangkap Ketua Delegasi EU ke Malaysia, Maria Castillo Fernandez, berkata EU bersedia bekerjasama dengan kerajaan Malaysia dalam menangani isu dan masalah yang dihadapi kedua-dua pihak.

Beliau berkata, komitmen dan pendekatan kerajaan terhadap perdagangan bebas, ketelusan, akauntabiliti dan tadbir urus yang baik adalah petanda baik kepada hubungan dua hala EU-Malaysia.

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Dalam kalangan negara ASEAN, EU sudah memuktamadkan FTA dengan Vietnam dan Singapura, manakala rundingan sedang rancak berlangsung dengan Indonesia dan Filipina.

Terdahulu dalam ucapannya, Azmin berkata pada suku pertama 2018, jumlah perdagangan antara Malaysia dan EU mencatat peningkatan 25.1 peratus tahun-ke-tahun pada April 2018 kepada RM16.15 bilion dan menyumbang 10.4 peratus jumlah dagangan Malaysia.

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Sementara itu, Pengerusi EUMCCI, Tan Sri Rebecca Fatima Sta Maria, berkata persoalan yang lebih penting bagi kerajaan Malaysia sekarang ialah "Apa akan berlaku sekiranya Malaysia bukan sebahagian daripada FTA?", memandangkan dua negara ASEAN sudah memeterainya dan beberapa lagi akan menyusul.

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Maria Castillo Fernandez (Gambar fail Bernama)

KUALA LUMPUR, 16 Julai (Bernama) – Duta Besar dan Ketua Delegasi Kesatuan Eropah (EU) ke Malaysia, Maria Castillo Fernandez berharap agar kerajaan akan mempercepatkan rundingan perjanjian perdagangan bebas Malaysia-EU (FTA).

Beliau telah berbincang dengan wakil-wakil kerajaan dan akan bertemu dengan Menteri Perdagangan Antarabangsa dan Industri Darrell Leiking pada minggu depan untuk membincangkan perkara tersebut.

"Kami berharap dengan kerajaan baharu ini, kami dapat melancarkan semula rundingan perdagangan bebas tidak lama lagi," katanya kepada pemberita semasa Forum Perdagangan dan Pelaburan EU-Malaysia 2018 di sini hari ini.

Fernandez berpendapat rundingan FTA Malaysia-EU akan menjadi tonggak utama bagi FTA EU-ASEAN yang lebih luas.

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KUALA LUMPUR, 16 Julai (Bernama) – Malaysia akan menghantar wakil rasmi ke Singapura bagi membincangkan projek Rel Berkelajuan Tinggi (HSR) menjelang hujung bulan ini, kata Menteri Hal Ehwal Ekonomi, Datuk Seri Mohamed Azmin Ali.

"Saya sedang berkomunikasi dengan rakan sejawat di Singapura. Minggu lalu, saya diberikan taklimat oleh Peguam Negara dan menyerahkan kes berkenaan (kepada kabinet) pada Rabu.

"Kami akan bertemu dengan rakan sejawat saya di Singapura tidak lama lagi dan akan membincangkan perinciannya," katanya kepada pemberita selepas menyampaikan ucapan pada Forum Pelaburan Malaysia-Kesatuan Eropah (EU) 2018, di sini, hari ini.

Mohamed Azmin berkata, pengumuman berkenaan perkara itu akan dibuat minggu ini.

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Ambassador and head of EU delegation to Malaysia Maria Castillo Fernandez said the EU-Malaysia FTA would be a key pillar in the bigger framework of EU-Asean FTA.

"As the EU has FTAs with Vietnam and Singapore and is in discussions with Indonesia and the Philippines, Malaysia is an important missing link that we want to connect.

"I cannot emphasise more on the importance of regional economic and political integration as a key factor in generating economic growth, social inclusiveness, fostering democratic values and ensuring political stability.

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Economic Affairs Minister Datuk Seri Mohamed Azmin Ali (second from left) meeting delegates at the European Union-Malaysia Trade and Investment Forum in Kuala Lumpur yesterday. PIC BY SVARAFIQ ABD SAMAD

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Journalist : N/A



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6.	Focus Malaysia	EUMCCI hosts 2nd EU-Malaysia discourse on palm oil	17 October 2018	Online Portal
7.	The Star	EU palm oil expert panel to visit M'sia end of the month	17 October 2018	Online Portal
8.	LCCF.MY	The 2nd EU-Malaysia Discourse on Palm Oil Sustainability	N/A	Online Portal
9.	Biofuels Digest	European Commission experts on the ground looking at Malaysian palm oil sustainability	18 October 2018	Online Portal
10.	The Malaysian Reserve	EU to engage local palm oil industry stakeholders in talks, plantation visit	19 October 2018	Online Portal
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PALM OIL INDUSTRY

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EU ambassador and head of delegation to Malaysia Maria Castillo Fernandez said the panel would comprise four experts and they would be visiting the plantations and engaging with the Malaysian Palm Oil Council, stakeholders and non-governmental organisations.

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(From left) European Union ambassador and head of delegation to Malaysia Maria Castillo Fernandez, Primary Industries Minister Teresa Kok, Energy, Technology, Science, Climate Change and Environment Minister Yeo Bee Yin and her deputy Isnaraissah Munirah and Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil global outreach and engagement director Stefano Savi at the International Greentech and Eco Products Exhibition and Conference Malaysia in Kuala Lumpur yesterday. PIC BY NURUL SYAZANA ROSE RAZMAN

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EU hantar pakar tinjau operasi minyak sawit

Kesatuan Eropah (EU) akan menghantar empat delegasi pakar daripada Suruhanjaya Eropah (EC) ke Malaysia minggu depan bagi meninjau dan melawat operasi industri minyak sawit di sini.

Duta dan Ketua EU ke Malaysia, Maria Castillo Fernandez, berkata lawatan yang julung kali pernah dibuat itu adalah sebagai cara untuk EU menemui dan berhubung dengan pemegang kepentingan dalam industri ini.

Katanya, delegasi itu akan berjumpa dengan semua pihak termasuk kerajaan, Lembaga Minyak Sawit Malaysia (MPOB), badan bukan kerajaan (NGO) dan perniagaan.

Pemahaman lebih menyeluruh

"Pertemuan ini penting bagi membolehkan mereka mendapat gambaran sebenar mengenai industri minyak sawit di Malaysia termasuk melawat kawasan perladangan.

"Saya berpendapat adalah penting untuk mereka melawat kawasan perladangan bagi mendapatkan pemahaman lebih menyeluruh mengenai situasi yang berlaku.

"Mereka kemudian akan pulang ke Eropah dan berjumpa dengan penggubal undang-undang bagi tindakan selajutnya mengenai isu ini," katanya.

Beliau berkata demikian kepada

pemberita ketika ditemui selepas majlis Perbincangan Kemampuan Minyak Sawit EU-Malaysia ke-2 di Kuala Lumpur, semalam.

Yang turut hadir Menteri Industri Utama, Teresa Kok.

Terdahulu, Teresa sewaktu berucap pada majlis itu berkata, pihaknya mengalu-alukan kedatangan panel pakar EC ke Malaysia pada akhir bulan ini.

Elak didiskriminasi

Katanya, proses perundingan ini penting kerana kerajaan tidak mahu minyak sawit negara didiskriminasi.

"Lawatan ini sangat penting bagi membolehkan panel pakar

EU untuk mendapatkan gambaran secara langsung mengenai penanaman dan pengeluaran minyak kelapa sawit Malaysia.

"Ini supaya mereka dapat menghargai kerumitan pelbagai operasi yang dilaksanakan untuk menghasilkan minyak kelapa sawit yang mampan di Malaysia.

"Sehubungan itu, kami menantikan lawatan panel pakar EC ke Malaysia pada akhir bulan ini," katanya.

Mengulas lanjut Teresa berkata, Malaysia komited untuk terus menghasilkan minyak sawit secara mampan.

Malah katanya, perladangan di Malaysia adalah yang pertama

mendapat pensijilan Meja Bulat mengenai Minyak Sawit Mapan (RSPO) sejak Ogos 2018.

"Malaysia ketika ini mengeluarkan 42 peratus pengeluaran global minyak sawit yang diperakui," katanya.

Ditanya mengenai masalah kekurangan tenaga kerja dalam sektor perladangan, Teresa berkata perkara itu sedang dikaji oleh jawatankuasa khas yang ditubuhkan oleh Kementerian Dalam Negeri dan Kementerian Sumber Manusia.

"Kabinet akan meneliti perkara ini secara menyeluruh dan keputusannya akan diketahui sebelum akhir tahun ini," katanya.

ONLINE PORTALS

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KUALA LUMPUR (Oct 17): The European Commission (EC) expert panel on palm oil will meet with Malaysian palm oil key stakeholders next week to have a clearer perception of the industry, signalling hope for improved sentiments towards the commodity thereafter.

"This is a way to engage with Malaysia. They (panel members) have to come here to see the plantations, speak to the people and listen to our concerns. (Armed with the information,) they will return to Europe and continue their further discussions with the European legislators," the European Union (EU) ambassador Maria Castillo Fernandez, who is also head of the union's delegation to Malaysia, told reporters on the sidelines of the Second Palm Oil Sustainability EU-Malaysia International Discourse here today.

The expert panel will meet with Malaysian stakeholders such as the Malaysian Palm Oil Board and the Malaysian Palm Oil Council, as well as businesses and non-governmental organisations during the visit, she added.

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Palm oil shipments to Europe make up 14.2% of Malaysia's global exports. – The Malaysian Insight file pic, October 17, 2018.

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Following last year's overwhelming response, the EU-Malaysia Chamber of Commerce & Industry (EUMCCI) organised its 2nd Palm Oil Sustainability EU-Malaysia International Discourse at the Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre today.

The international discourse, part of the EUMCCI's 2018 Europa Awards Sustainability initiative, was held in conjunction with the 9th International Greentech & Eco Products Exhibition & Conference Malaysia, IGEM 2018.

Given palm oil's significance on the society, environment and economic growth, the discussions highlighted the different points of view and perceptions among key palm oil stakeholders on ensuring palm oil's sustainability at every level of the supply chain, for large and small companies. Participants also engaged in the discussion on best practises, actions and policies to support smallholders in raising their certifications standard to better sustainability in the palm oil industry in line with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.

The 2nd Palm Oil Sustainability EU-Malaysia International Discourse was officiated by Guest of Honour YB Teresa Kok, Minister of Primary Industries and H.E. Maria Castillo Fernandez, Ambassador and Head of European Union Delegation to Malaysia.

H.E. Maria Castillo Fernandez, in her keynote addressed that palm oil production plays an important role in the economies of producing countries like Malaysia, contributing to lifting people out of poverty.

"Palm oil production presents both opportunities and challenges, including environmental and social considerations that have to be addressed in a balanced manner. Furthermore, deforestation is a complex issue, caused by multiple drivers, and palm oil cultivation is not the main driver of deforestation."

"The EU and its Member States will continue to cooperate and to support the efforts of Malaysia to minimize environmental impact that palm oil cultivation can have in order to enhance sustainable production of this commodity," she said.

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Medium : The Star (Online Portal) Date : October 18 2018

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PALM OIL

Thursday, 18 Oct 2018



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The screenshot shows a news article on the LCCF.MY website. The article title is "The 2nd EU- Malaysia Discourse on Palm Oil Sustainability". The content includes a brief introduction about palm oil sustainability being a controversial topic. Below the text is a banner for the event: "EUMCCI PRESENTS 2ND PALM OIL SUSTAINABILITY EU-MALAYSIA INTERNATIONAL DISCOURSE IN CONJUNCTION WITH WFPB 2016". The main body of the page is an agenda for the event, listing the following items:

- 10:00 AM** ITEM EXHIBITION, CONFERENCE'S REGISTRATION & WELCOME REFRESHMENT
- 11:00 AM** WELCOME ADDRESS
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Chief Executive Officer of EU-Malaysia Chamber of Commerce and Industry (EUMCCI)
- KEYNOTE ADDRESS
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Ambassador & Head of European Union (EU) Delegation to Malaysia
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 YB Teresa Kok
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- 11:30 AM** PANEL DISCUSSION 1
The Role of the Palm Oil Industry in Realising the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)
 Moderator: Mr. Thomas Brandt, *General Manager of Malaysian-German Chamber of Commerce and Industry (MGCCI)*
- Panelists:
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 - Dato' Carl Bek-Nielsen, *Chief Executive Director (CED) of United Plantations Berhad*
 - Tan Sri Dato' Seri Mcho Bakke Salleh, *Chairman of the Malaysian Palm Oil Board (MPOB)*
 - Mr. Khar Yu Leng, *Research Director, Southeast Asia of Segi Eram Advisors Pte Ltd.*
 - Mr. Jose Angel Olivera, *Sales Director, Lipilos Saraya*
- 12:30 PM** Q&A AND SUMMARY BY MODERATOR
- 1:00 PM** LUNCH
- 2:30 PM** PANEL DISCUSSION 2
Responsible Financing and Sustainable Practices in Palm Oil Industry
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- Panelists:
 - Dr Petra Meekers, *Global Head Sustainable Procurement, Unilever Singapore*
 - Tuan Haji Ademi Hassan, *Secretary General of the National Association of Small Holders (NASIH)*
 - Mr Stefano Savi, *Global Outreach and Engagement Director.*

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Thursday, October 19th 2018 at Money! News



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The European Commission will hold a consultation process with Malaysian palm oil industry stakeholders next week.

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"The panel will then return to Europe and address the findings to EU legislators dealing with the issues," she told reporters at the second EU-Malaysia Discourse on Palm Oil Sustainability in Kuala Lumpur yesterday.

The European Parliament is revisiting its Renewable Energy Directive (RED) – which would see palm oil barred from being used in motor fuels by 2021.

The proposed move has had a negative impact on palm oil prices with the edible oil falling for an average RM2,700 per tonne in October 2017 to RM2,250 yesterday.

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Panel pakar minyak sawit EC akan melawat Malaysia hujung Oktober

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KUALA LUMPUR, 17 Okt (Bernama) -- Panel pakar minyak sawit Suruhanjaya Eropah (EC) akan mengadakan lawatan pertama ke Malaysia hujung bulan ini bagi menangani kebimbangan berhubung kemampuan industri minyak sawit.

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"Kabinet akan melihat jumlahnya dan keputusannya akan diketahui menjelang hujung tahun," katanya. - Bernama

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EU palm oil expert panel to visit M'sia end of the month



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KUALA LUMPUR: The European Commission's (EC) palm oil expert panel will make its first visit to Malaysia at the end of this month to address concerns over the sustainability of the palm oil industry.

Primary Industries Minister Teresa Kok said she hoped the panel members would recognise Malaysia's efforts towards achieving the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals during their visit.

"Such a move is extremely important for the European Union (EU) expert panel to get a first-hand account of Malaysia's palm oil cultivation and processing practices.

"This will enable them to appreciate the complexity of the operations needed to produce sustainable palm oil in Malaysia," she told reporters after the EU-Malaysia International Discourse on Palm Oil Sustainability here today.

EU ambassador and head of delegation to Malaysia Maria Castillo Fernandez said the panel would comprise four experts and they would be visiting the plantations and engaging with the Malaysian Palm Oil Council, stakeholders and non-governmental organisations.

"The panel would then head back to the EU and meet with the legislators on the issue," she said, adding that discussions between Malaysia and the EU was still open as it was committed to reducing carbon emissions.

Previously, the EU negotiators agreed to phase out the use of palm oil starting 2030 as the EC claimed that palm oil was one of the highest cause of greenhouse gas effects due to deforestation.

As at 2017, the export value of the Malaysian palm oil and palm-based products to the EU stood at RM11.3bil, accounting for 14.2% of Malaysia's global export. — Bernama

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A palm oil farmer loading palm oil seeds onto a truck in Kampar, Riau province, August 18, 2018. Source: Wallyuul/AP

WHEN you think of palm oil, the likelihood is you conjure up distressing images of felled forests, dead orangutans, and displaced indigenous people.

There have innumerable emotive, hard-hitting – and very effective – social media campaigns highlighting the evils of the crop. The shift in public sentiment has led to international calls for a boycott.

In January, the European Parliament voted to ban the use of palm oil for the production of biofuels in the European Union by 2020. Major global manufacturers are seeking replacements that don't carry the stigma that can send consumers fleeing.

But those who know the palm oil industry, while acknowledging the problems of the past, don't think this representation is fair and worry a whole industry has been tarnished by the poor practices of a small few.

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"It's totally one-sided and wrong that the palm oil industry is being accused of 99 percent of all the wrongdoings," Vice Chairman and Chief Executive Director of United Plantations Berhad Malaysia, Carl Bek-Nielsen, told the audience at the Palm Oil Sustainability conference on Wednesday.

To support his point, he cites United Nations statistics, saying 195 million hectares of forests have been cleared from 1990 to 2015. Palm oil expansions make up less than four percent of this, "nevertheless, palm oil is given 95 percent of the flack."

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KUALA LUMPUR: A panel of experts from the European Union (EU) Commission will be coming to Malaysia next week, for the first time, to assess the local palm oil industry as well as to engage with stakeholders.

Ambassador and Head of EU to Malaysia, Maria Castillo Fernandez said the delegation is expected to be here next week and will pay visit to palm oil estates.

The delegation will comprise four members who are legislators.

"This is a way to engage with Malaysia to hear the concerns. They have to come here, see the plantations and speak to the people very much to hear their concerns," she said at the International Greentech & Eco Products Exhibition & Conference Malaysia 2018.

Fernandez said the delegates will engage with the Malaysian Palm Oil Council, businesses and non-government organisations.

Primary Industries Minister Teresa Kok, who was also present at the event, has also welcomed the visit of the panel.

On another note, Kok said the Cabinet is "looking into" the foreign labour shortage issue raised by industry players.

"I think the Cabinet under the Human Resources Ministry has formed a task force to study the whole labour problem in Malaysia," she added.

The report is expected to be ready by the end of the year.

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郭素沁：人资部已设委会全面检讨劳工短缺

她说，人力部现已成立一个委员会，针对国内的劳工问题进行研究，研究报告将在年底之前出炉。



新华社（平）为第二届东盟与中日韩经贸领导人非正式对话研讨会“主场”开幕，作为东盟马来西亚工商会（EUMCCI）首席执行官郭素沁，作为东道主。（图：新华社）

（吉隆坡17日讯）人力资源部长郭素沁说，政府正全面检讨劳工短缺问题。

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郭素沁今日为第二届东盟与中日韩经贸领导人非正式对话研讨会“主场”开幕后，接受媒体采访时说，这次对话，

针对许多小国士反对政府禁止“零种植合约”的指称，她是否会重新检讨这项措施时，郭素沁说，如果她参与这个（国际种植）行业，她应该对其可行性进行评估。

欧盟委员会代表团下榻来马

一方面，他们要求我在实际市场争取更多合约价值，他们则承担合约风险，另一方面，他们想“解种植合约”，这是符合吗？

另一方面，欧盟驻马来西亚的贸易代表团，欧盟委员会4人代表团下榻来马，与相关的权益业及相关机构会面，并探讨大马的合约是否可行。

她说，这是双方最好的交流方法，一起讨论和解决问题。

“欧盟委员会来马考察的议题是必要的，且需要与业界沟通。

其实，在欧盟立场前，他们需要了解更多事情。”

她也透露，欧盟委员会在马来西亚的行程中研究生物柴油的二氧化碳排放量。

去年棕榈油出口收入778亿

她同时，郭素沁在演讲时指出，2017年棕榈子油的年总收入占国内生产总值的大约4.2%，出口收入达到778亿令吉，而棕榈油的产量为1922万吨。

她说，根据记录，在2017年，欧盟是马来西亚最大的棕榈及棕榈产品市场，达到110亿2000万令吉，占马来西亚的全球出口的14.2%。

“马来西亚是全球主要的产棕榈，实际上，我们的种植业在2008年8月还是首个获得欧盟棕榈油贸易协议（EUPPO）认证的产国。”

她指出，马来西亚目前全球认证棕榈油产量的仅4%。

郭素沁进一步说，欧盟正在使用“次级认证标准（MSPPC）作为金标准，整个供应链必须从2019年年底开始进行认证。

“欧盟目前为止，马来西亚的种植总面积为551万公顷，仅占全球农业区的0.11%。”

马来西亚农业单位2022年愿和联合国上作出的承诺，保留至少42%的土地是森林覆盖率。

此外，她指出，我国的棕榈行业致力于减少与毁林有关的问题，而已采取的一个重要步骤是及早与欧盟（EU）谈判。

她说，共有22个中棕榈认证已经完工，另有150多个处于规划或在建设中。

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Majlis Perasmian 2nd Palm Oil Sustainability: EU-Malaysia International Discourse di KLCC, Kuala Lumpur

Menteri Industri Utama, YB Puan Teresa Kok telah menyempurnakan Majlis Perasmian 2nd Palm Oil Sustainability: EU-Malaysia International Discourse pada 17.10.2018 bertempat di Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre (KLCC), Kuala Lumpur. Hadir sama H.E. Maria Castillo Fernandez, Duta Besar & Ketua Delegasi EU ke Malaysia dan Encik Roberto Benetello, Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif Dewan Perniagaan dan Industri EU-Malaysia (EUMCCI).

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**郭素沁: 人资部设特委会探讨
劳力短缺报告年杪出炉**

2018年10月17日



郭素沁透露内阁已成立特别委员会探讨劳力短缺问题。左为玛丽亚曼南德斯，右为罗伯托本特罗。

(吉隆坡17日讯) 原产业部长郭素沁说，内阁将全面探讨人力短缺问题，而人力资源部已成立一个特别委员会探讨大马劳力问题，有关研究报告将在今年底出炉。

她说，大马劳力短缺问题，涉及的部门包括内政部及人力资源部。政府正等候有关报告于今年12月杪出炉。

她今天为第二届棕榈油可持续发展- 欧盟与马来西亚国际对话会后，受询及油棕园主面对人力短缺问题时，这么回应。

扩大油棕园不涉小园主

提及小油棕园主反对政府禁扩大油棕园计划，郭素沁说：“他们一方面要求国际棕油价再度提高……他们知道现今的油价低，一方面，他们要求扩大种植地，这合理吗？”

她透露，扩大油棕园计划多半应用大园主身上，极少涉及小园主。

“所以如果他们要涉及此（油棕）行业，我认为他们应做好数据的计算。”

较早前，她在致词时说，欧盟不仅是大马最大的出口市场，也是我国棕油产品趋势的带动者，2017年的出口总值110亿3000万，占大马全球出口量的14.2%。

“就此，欧盟执行的第二可再生燃料指令（EU RED II），对大马以及大马国民来说极为重要。”

她透露，我国油棕代表团在本月6日结束的欧盟及瑞士行，大马将会提名本地专家加入欧盟委员会的间接土地用途变更（ILUC）小组，而此将对棕油在RED II作为生物燃油极有深远的影响。

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IGEM 2018 Unveiled, To Drive Region's Green Economy

By Azzahra - October 17, 2018



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KUALA LUMPUR, presidentpost.id – The 9th International Greentech & Eco Products Exhibition & Conference Malaysia (IGEM), the region's most successful green technology, business and innovation platforms in ASEAN, themed 'Green Economy & Industry 4.0: Achieving Sustainable Development Goals' in line with the United Nations' sustainability blueprint, was officiated today by the Minister of Energy, Science, Technology, Environment & Climate Change, YB Yeo Bee Yin.

Organized by the Ministry of Energy, Science, Technology, Environment & Climate Change (MESTEC) through Malaysian Green Technology Corporation (MGTC), with an ambitious aim to drive the region's green economy, IGEM 2018 targets to generate RM2.5 billion in business leads and attract more than 30,000 visitors. It features 250 booths from over 30 countries.

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展会介绍: 本届马来西亚绿色能源环保技术交流会主题为“绿色能源创造财富”，旨在推进亚太地区绿色能源经济的发展及交流。作为该**地区最大的能源类展会**，**马来西亚总理纳吉布·敦·拉扎克已连续出席六次开幕式**，IGEM 2018将继续聚集志同道合的业内人士探讨和把握机遇的令人兴奋和新兴的绿色市场。随着东盟国际馆的加盟，相继推出的平台，充分展示绿色技术创新、生态产品以及各项服务使得本届展会其成为处理和建立新的伙伴关系和跨界合作的有效途径。

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

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KUALA LUMPUR: Irish businesses remain very optimistic on the business environment in Malaysia despite the change of government in May this year, said Irish Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine, Michael Creed.

He said business prospects in Malaysia remained positive as it continued to offer significant opportunities, especially on the dairy side, to Irish enterprises.

“They are very optimistic about the new government in Malaysia, and I appreciate that the current government has a very expensive reform agenda,” he told reporters on the sidelines of the Malaysia-Ireland Sustainable Dairy Ingredients Seminar and Business-to-Business Session yesterday.

Meanwhile, Creed noted that the Malaysian dairy market was not self-sufficient enough and hence, could provide significant opportunities for business-to-business growth in the sector.

It was reported that Malaysia relies heavily on dairy imports, as local production of dairy products was only able to meet five per cent of domestic demands, compared with Indonesia which produces 40 per cent of the dairy products in its market.

“In fact, I am going to meet Agriculture and Agro-Based Industry Minister Datuk Salahuddin Ayub to discuss and explore opportunities that can mutually benefit business relationship between our countries, as well as between the European Union and Malaysia,” he said.

Meanwhile, Malaysian Investment Development Authority (MIDA) executive director Ahmad Khairuddin Abdul Rahim said Malaysia’s food manufacturing industry had no choice but to think differently and move towards more automated, flexible and efficient operations.

“Today, the food industry is operating against a backdrop of

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many challenges. However, the future of this industry remains resilient to external adversities and is recessionproof,” he said.

Ahmad Khairuddin said as of June this year, MIDA approved 2,178 projects with investments worth RM51.8 billion in the food manufacturing industry, creating more than 176,500 jobs locally.

He added that, currently, there are over 8,000 food manufacturing establishments in Malaysia, 80 per cent of which are small and medium-sized enterprises.

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IRELAND OPTIMISTIC OF MALAYSIA

Irish businesses see huge opportunities in dairy products trade

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IRISH businesses are optimistic about the prospects of investment in Malaysia under the new government. Ireland’s Agriculture, Food and the Marine Minister Michael Creed said Irish businesses are “very optimistic” of the new government, and have expressed appreciation for a very expansive reform agenda.

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Creed said while Ireland-based food manufacturing businesses do not have a manufacturing establishment in Malaysia, the country sees huge opportunities

in trade of its dairy products.

“We do not have any manufacturing plant here so far, but we have significant exports to Malaysia in terms of dairy products like cheese and milk powder, among others, and we see opportunities to grow that further.

“Kerry Group has its ingredient business here, but we see opportunity primarily in business-to-business opportunities in exporting our dairy products to the retail business here.

“There is a very significant opportunity, especially on the dairy side. I appreciate that the market here is not self-sufficient, and we are recognised internationally as the producer of high quality dairy,” he said.

Meanwhile, Malaysian Investment Development Authority (Mida) manufacturing development (resource) executive direc-

tor Ahmad Khairuddib Abdul Rahim said as in June this year, it had approved a total of 2,178 projects with investments worth RM51.8 billion in the food manufacturing industry.

He said this has created 176,500 job opportunities for Malaysians, adding that there are currently more than 8,000 food manufacturing establishments in the country, 80 per cent of which are small and medium enterprises.

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“In fact, I am going to meet Agriculture and Agro-Based Industry Minister Datuk Salahuddin Ayub to discuss and explore opportunities that can mutually benefit business relationship between our countries, as well as between the European Union and Malaysia,” he said.

Meanwhile, Malaysian Investment Development Authority (MIDA) executive director Ahmad Khairuddin Abdul Rahim said Malaysia’s food manufacturing industry had no choice but to think differently and move towards more automated, flexible and efficient operations. — Bernama

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A veterinary health certificate for the export of pigmeat from Ireland to Malaysia has been agreed, the Minister for Agriculture [Michael Creed](#) has announced on the last day of a trade mission to the region.

"I am pleased to confirm that, after a very productive meeting with my counterpart, the Malaysian Minister for Agriculture and Agro-Based Industry, Minister Salahuddin, a veterinary health certificate for the export of pigmeat from Ireland to Malaysia has been agreed. This is very positive news, as the Malaysian market has been on the radar of our pigmeat industry for some time", Minister Creed said.

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The [Bord Bia Trade Mission](#) moves today to Kuala Lumpur, led by Minister for Agriculture Michael Creed, who will attend the Dairy Seminar.

This visit follows on from a successful few days in Indonesia where Irish companies met potential buyers from the country. Dairy Industry Ireland; Carbery; Dairygold; Glanbia; Ornua; Glenstal; Arrabawn; and LacPatrick were all represented at the event and representatives from the companies were happy with the meetings they had at the Dairy Seminar in Indonesia.

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The Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine, Michael Creed, has agreed a veterinary health certificate for the export of pigmeat, following a trade mission to south-east Asia.

Minister Creed has just finished the first agri-food trade mission to Indonesia and Malaysia, and it was the latter country with whom the agreement was signed.

Malaysia is one of Bord Bia's top five potential new markets and the minister added that the agreement will give the two countries a chance to discuss further market access in the future.

Minister Creed was meeting with Malaysia's Minister for Agriculture and Agro-Based Industry.

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"Mereka amat yakin dengan kerajaan baharu di Malaysia, dan saya memahami sepenuhnya bahawa kerajaan semasa mempunyai agenda pembaharuan besar-besaran," katanya kepada pemberita di luar Seminar Bahan Tenusu Lestari Malaysia-Ireland dan Sesi Antara Perniagaan di sini, semalam.

Sementara itu, Creed berkata pasaran tenusu Malaysia belum mencapai tahap sara diri secukupnya dan sekali gus, membuka peluang besar untuk pertumbuhan perniagaan-kepada-perniagaan dalam sektor itu.

Malaysia dilaporkan amat bergantung kepada import tenusu, memandangkan pengeluaran tempatan bagi produk tenusu hanya mampu memenuhi lima peratus permintaan domestik, berbanding Indonesia yang mengeluarkan 40 peratus produk tenusu dalam pasarannya.

"Saya akan bertemu Menteri Pertanian dan Industri Asas Tani, Datuk Salahuddin Ayub untuk berbincang dan meneroka peluang yang boleh memberi manfaat bersama kepada hubungan perniagaan antara kedua-dua negara, serta antara Kesatuan Eropah dan Malaysia," katanya.

Sementara itu, Pengarah Eksekutif Lembaga Pembangunan Pelaburan Malaysia (MIDA) Ahmad Khairuddin Abdul Rahim berkata industri pembuatan makanan negara ini tidak mempunyai pilihan selain bergerak maju dengan operasi yang lebih fleksibel, automasi dan efisien.

"Pada masa kini, industri makanan beroperasi dalam keadaan banyak cabaran. Bagaimanapun, masa depan industri ini kekal berdaya tahan terhadap kesukaran luaran dan kemelesetan," katanya.

Beliau berkata, setakat Jun tahun ini, MIDA meluluskan 2,178 projek dengan nilai pelaburan RM51.8 bilion dalam industri pembuatan makanan, mewujudkan lebih 176,500 pekerjaan di peringkat tempatan.

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Deputy Minister International Trade and Industry, Ong Kian Ming (fourth [right]) during the launch of Irish Chamber of Commerce in Malaysia, in Kuala Lumpur November 1, 2018. — Bernama pic

KUALA LUMPUR, Nov 2 — Malaysia-Ireland's bilateral trade is set for stronger growth with the launch of the Irish Chamber of Commerce in Malaysia (ICCM), says Deputy Minister of International Trade and Industry Dr Ong Kian Ming.

The ICCM, previously known as the Malaysian Irish Business Network (MIBN), was officially launched by Ong here last night with its new name and recognition as a business chamber.

The move is expected to not only help to boost the profile of ICCM members and Irish business in Malaysia, but also broaden the opportunities for Malaysian business key players to penetrate potential markets in Ireland, the deputy minister said.

"This is an important step because establishing a chamber elevates the status of the business organisation. With this launch, it automatically gives the membership to the European Union Malaysia Chamber of Commerce and Industry (EUMCCI).

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'We see that (change in government) as a positive move, both going to make the agriculture and Agri-based industries Minister Datuk Saifuddin Yusof priority to explore opportunities that can mutually benefit the business relationship between the two countries, as well as address the EU (European Union) and Malaysia', he told agencies on the sidelines of the Malaysia Ireland Sustainable Dairy Ingredients Seminar here today.

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