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BPAM Launches the Malaysian Bond and Sukuk Almanac 2021

KUALA LUMPUR, 17 February 2021 – Bond Pricing Agency Malaysia Sdn Bhd (BPAM) launched its latest report, the Malaysian Bond and Sukuk Almanac 2021 (Almanac) at an event held virtually yesterday.

Published yearly, the Almanac provides an overview of the Malaysian bond and sukuk market in 2021, a complete profile and listing of government and corporate bonds and sukuk active as at 31 December 2021. It also features the BPAM Bond and ESG (Environmental, Social and Governance) League Tables comprising the top issuers, lead arrangers and trustees in various categories. In a snapshot, the report covers all the information essential for market players, issuers as well as local and international investors.

"New issuance of bonds and sukuk rebounded from a drop in 2020 (2020: MYR366.7 billion versus 2019: MYR384.8 billion) to a healthier MYR383.9 billion in 2021. Although the blight caused by the Covid-19 pandemic continues to affect society in 2021, businesses have quickly adapted which is reflected in issuances for new capital. This further solidifies the Malaysian bond and sukuk market as a primary capital raising conduit for businesses." said En. Meor Amri Meor Ayob, BPAM's Chief Executive Officer and Executive Director.

"As the leading reference source for the Malaysian bond and sukuk market, our goal is to continuously provide value through verifiable data and meaningful research and reports to the general public. We hope the Almanac becomes the go-to handbook for anyone interested in the Malaysian bond and sukuk market," added En. Meor.

The Malaysian Bond and Sukuk Almanac 2021 is now available for download on BPAM's website and BPAM's client distribution platform, BondStream.

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