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BPAM launches new iPhone app

KUCHING: Bond Pricing Agency Malaysia (BPAM) has launched an iPhone app that provides data on the Ringgit Bond Market.

According to a press statement yesterday, “The app is known as iBPAM and targeted specifically at anyone interested in the Ringgit Bond and Sukuk markets.

“This encompasses market professionals, researchers, students and retail bond investors.

Via an intuitive interface, the App provides near-real time data on bond tender results and rating actions.”

The iPhone app also provides most active trading data, bond schedules and yield curve summaries, all of which can be viewed in further detail if so desired. It is available for free from the iTunes App Store.

BPAM chief executive officer, Meor Amri Meor Ayob also added that, “We are proud to uphold our tradition of innovation with iBPAM.

For the first time ever, anyone can now have our high quality data delivered to their mobile device at no cost.”

He went on to comment that while such data would undoubtedly be invaluable to market professionals, BPAM was confident it would also be useful to retail investors.

This was noted to be in line with the aspiration to develop retail participation in the Malaysian fixed income market.