

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

TITLE	: Proposal on Innovative Support Programmes for CPN Sector 2021
PROPOSED DATE AND VENUE	: Jan - Mac 2021
OBJECTIVES	: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To identify key areas within the CPN companies that require support, and• to provide specific recommendations on how MPC may design innovative support programs to the Chemical sector
OUTPUT	: • Recommendation Report
BUDGET/COST	: SPN-CPN : RM20,000.00
DEPARTMENT	: Chemical Productivity Nexus (CPN)
COMMENTS/ SIGNATURE OF ACCOUNTANT	:
COMMENTS/SIGNATURE OF PCT SENIOR MANAGER	:

PAPER FOR BOARD OF MANAGEMENT APPROVAL

The Recommendation Paper for M&E Virtual Advisory Clinic

1.0 Purpose

The purpose of this paper is to seek approval of MPC's Board of Management (BOM) to utilise the SPN-CPN budget for the Proposal on Innovative Support Programmes for Chemical Sector 2021

2.0. Background

In 17th March 2020, Malaysia Prime Minister has announced the implementation of Movement Control Order (MCO) as a preventive measure towards the outbreak of COVID-19 that has given impact to the health of Malaysia citizen. The MCO was implemented throughout the country starting 18th March 2020 until 28th April 2020. The method of MCO is to prohibit the movement of people and mass assembly nationwide, including all religious, sports, social and cultural activities. Although Malaysia government has announced several stimulus packages to industry players, MCO has given significant impact to the financial dan operational of the businesses.

In helping the business to revitalize their operations, CPN has introduced the Chemical Productivity Nexus Virtual Advisory Clinic (CHEM-VAC) on 12th Jun 2020 until 1st December 2020. Out of 40 companies registered, 30 companies have been advised in 4 broad consultation areas; namely financial consultation, innovation business operations, supply chain management and intelligent manufacturing solutions. A total of 10 advisors have been appointed to assist the clinic sessions. This initiative provides significant approach to gather current industry issues and challenges. It also gauged some recommendation and solution for the business to mitigate the short term impact of Covid 19 and long term business competitiveness.

Due to positive feedback received during the program, CPN is planning to continue the program for year 2021 and designed customized intervention programmes to address the business challenges in improving their productivity and competitiveness. All the 30 reports received by the participated companies need to further analysis to identify key areas within the Chemical companies that require support and provide specific recommendations on how CPN may design innovative support programs to the Chemical sector.

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4.0 Output

- Recommendation Report

5.0 Cost

No.	Item	Cost	Pax	Quantity	Total (RM)
1.	Technical Expert	RM2000/man day	1	10-man day	20,000.00
Total (RM)					20,000.00

7.0 Conclusion

The approval of BOM is sought to approve the budget of **RM20,000.00** to utilise the SPN-CPN budget for the Proposal on Innovative Support Programmes for Chemical Sector 2021.

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