

**OFFICIAL LAUNCH OF THE HANDBOOK ON  
TECHNICAL DESIGN REFERENCE FOR DISASTER  
PREPAREDNESS IN SETTING UP NEW HIGH-RISE PRIVATE  
HOSPITAL AND CEO FORUM ON MY HEALTH DATA  
WAREHOUSE (MyHDW)**

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**| 2.30 PM | PLATFORM ZOOM WEBINAR**

**WELCOMING REMARKS BY  
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**Salutation**

- *Yang Berhormat Dato' Sri Dr. Adham bin Baba, Minister of Health Malaysia,*
- *YBhg. Dato' Dr. Jacob Thomas, Champion, Private Healthcare Productivity Nexus*
- *CEOs from Private Hospitals*
- *All attendees from both private and public sectors – representatives from our Ministry of Health*
  - *CKAPS (Cawangan Kawalan Amalan Perubatan Swasta (CKAPS);*
  - *Malaysian Health Data Warehouse (MyHDW) team Pusat Informatik Kesihatan (PIK);*
  - *APHM members, and members of the industry;*
- *Everyone who is attending this event virtually, across Klang Valley and nationwide;*

*Dato'-Dato', Tuan-Tuan, Puan-Puan, Ladies and Gentlemen*

*Assalamu'alaikum wbt and Salam Sejahtera,*

1. A very warm welcome to this “**Official Launch of the Technical Design Reference for Disaster Preparedness in Setting Up New High-Rise Private Hospital and CEO Forum on Malaysian Health Data Warehouse (MyHDW)**”
2. First of all, I would like to thank Private Healthcare Productivity Nexus (PHPN) for hosting this event and especially, to our YB Minister, Dato' Sri Dr Adham bin Baba for taking his time off to officiate the launching of the Handbook on “**Technical Design Reference for Disaster Preparedness In Setting Up New High-Rise Private Hospital**” in-conjunction with the **CEO Forum on My Health Data Warehouse or (MyHDW)**.
3. I am pleased to see a good participation from today although this is done via a digital platform.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

4. The Government places the importance of **productivity as a game changer for economic growth** and recognises the way forward would be **to collaborate and work together to deliver the strategies and action plans** to enable us to face the challenges ahead and **keep Malaysia competitive and productive** in the long run.
5. A well-design, good regulatory practice is among the important components that will boost business productivity and promote economic growth. Malaysia Productivity Corporation (MPC) has been leading numerous productivity enhancement programmes and has been working closely with both public and private sectors in support for the Government's agendas in providing efficient and conducive business environments in the country, whilst

***enhancing transparency, predictability and accountability.*** Some of these initiatives include Modernising Business Licensing (MBL), Regulatory Impact Analysis (RIA), Cutting Red Tape (MyCURE), Reducing Unnecessary Regulatory Burdens (RURB), Removing Non-Tariff Measures (NTMs), INDUSTRY4WRD, and recently “Malaysia Mudah” or #MyMudah.

Along with these initiatives, MPC has also been mandated by the Special Cabinet Committee on Anti-Corruption (JKKMAR) Meeting chaired by the YAB Prime Minister Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin on 20 June 2020, to ensure that all ministries and agencies responsible with issuing of licenses and permits to publish their respective guidelines on the license application process for easy access by both, businesses and individual.

The processes that are transparent will enhance integrity and avoid any forms of corruption.

6. In the light of new challenges faced due to the unprecedented COVID-19 crisis, MPC has continued to emphasize and intensify its promotion of GRP and the use emerging technologies in responding to the crisis, in order to get businesses to strive back on their feet.

Some of these initiatives are (as mentioned in point 5):

1. Malaysia Mudah programme or #MyMudah – to reduce regulatory burdens on businesses to support business recovery due to COVID-19 crisis.
2. A collaboration platform between government and business to facilitate good regulatory practices such as:
  - GRP webinar series;
  - GRP Virtual Advisory Clinic; and
  - On-line Public Consultation.

3. An establishment of Digital Economy and Fourth Industrial Revolution (4IR) Council – to improve the country's capability in optimising 4IR technological advancements and ensure growth of the digital economy, in line with the Shared Prosperity Vision 2030 and Sustainable Development Agenda 2030. The Council is chaired by the YAB Prime Minister of Malaysia.
7. For a journey to reach its destination, it needs a driver and a good team that works. The establishment of Private Healthcare Productivity Nexus (PHPN) that is being championed by Dato' Dr. Jacob Thomas, who is representing the private sector, serves as a basis for Public-Private Collaboration to drive multi-stakeholder initiatives to increase healthcare subsector productivity.
8. PHPN has been instrumental by enjoining MPC in addressing one of the productivity areas for improvement – that is, to address regulatory challenges that require implementation of clear and effective regulations across ministries, agencies, industry players, across the nation.
9. The hard work and long hours invested are now bearing the fruits; and I am pleased with the progress achieved by PHPN in coming up with a few Handbooks and Guidelines to address the issues faced by businesses since its establishment.

These (publications of handbooks and guidelines – which are available online) include:

1. Handbook on Harmonization of Technical Requirement and Setting Up New Private Hospital;
2. Handbook on Requirement and Procedures Under Act 586;
3. Prosedur Permohonan Pembaharuan Lesen;

4. Garis Panduan Perluasan atau Pengubahan Hospital Swasta.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

### **The launching of the Handbook and CEO Forum on MyHDW**

10. I understand that this CEO Forum on MyHDW has been planned since the beginning of the first movement control order (MCO). A few series of online discussions led by Dato' Dr Jacob (PHPN) have taken place and today, I am delighted that this forum has finally materialized.
11. The initiative on MyHDW is also one of the programs in PHPN's collaboration with MOH (Pusat Informatik Kesihatan (PIK)). The main objective of this forum is to increase awareness and participation by private hospital operators in the collection of health data through MyHDW. CEOs are also encouraged to share experiences, issues and challenges faced to help us in coming up with a well- integrated MyHDW (My Health Data Warehouse).
12. On the other hand, the Handbook on ***Technical Design Reference for Disaster Preparedness In Setting Up New High-Rise Private Hospital***", which is the 5<sup>th</sup> handbook produced through the collaboration between PHPN-MPC, MOH (CKAPS, Engineering Department), technical agencies (BOMBA, NADMA, PBT) and the healthcare professionals (industry), is now ready and has been planned for its official launch during on this CEO Forum. We are honoured for it to be officially launched by YB Minister of Health, Dato' Sri Adham Baba.
13. The guideline is produced to provide an inclusive method on submission, taking into account technical advices by BOMBA and NADMA especially on fire, emergency response and localised disasters as advised by National Disaster Management Agency (NADMA).

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## Conclusion

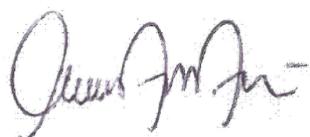
14. I hope this event will enhance our understanding about ***MyHDW*** and ***Technical Design Reference for Disaster Preparedness In Setting Up New High-Rise Private Hospital***, and I wish all members and participants (from both public and private sectors) to further explore new ways of doing things especially in this era of emerging technologies, and continue to contribute your ideas in helping us to continuously improve the design and delivery of regulations.
15. Thank you for your attention, and now I would like to pass the floor back to Ms. Abigail.

Thank you and have a fruitful forum!

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