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MALAYSIAN TECHNICAL COOPERATION PROGRAMME: CERTIFIED INCIDENT MANAGEMENT AND ACTIVE DEFENSE TRAINING

SERI KEMBANGAN (25 September 2018) – CyberSecurity Malaysia, the national cyber security specialist and technical agency is currently organising a cyber security training course under the Malaysian Technical Cooperation Programme (MTCP) for participants from the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) and the Organization of Islamic Cooperation – Computer Emergency Response Team (OIC-CERT) member countries. The training program starts from 18 September until 27 September 2017.

The 10-day training course entitled "Certified Incident Management & Effective Defense" is part of the Malaysian Government's commitment towards the promotion of technical cooperation among developing countries, strengthening of regional and sub-regional cooperation, as well as nurturing collective self-reliance among developing countries.

This is the fourth cyber security training conducted by CyberSecurity Malaysia under MTCP following the success of the three previous years' training program. The collaboration between MTCP and CyberSecurity further strengthens Malaysia's commitment in leading capacity building initiatives for the OIC-CERT member countries.

Fourteen (14) IT officers and professionals from ten (10) ASEAN and OIC-CERT countries namely Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Brunei, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Laos, Nigeria, the Philippines, Sudan and Uzbekistan participated in this training.

In line with the MTCP's objective to share Malaysia's development experience, this course leverages on state-of-the-art cyber security knowledge and the cyber range

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capabilities from domain experts and experience practitioners. It focuses on enhancing cyber security skills and operational capabilities specifically in the area of cyber security compliance, incident handling and security assessment. The course serves as a platform to cultivate awareness, nurturing adoption and establishing capabilities to secure information effectively and creating a safer cyberspace. It also provides practical experience in analysing and managing system vulnerabilities and in managing security incidents and defending security parameters.

The training was officially closed by YABhg. General Tan Sri Dato' Seri Panglima Azumi Mohamed, the Chairman Board of Directors, CyberSecurity Malaysia. In his speech, Tan Sri Azumi said that CyberSecurity Malaysia is always supportive and very glad to host this programme as a contribution towards a safer cyber space. "This is a way to assist the course participants to gain substantial knowledge and exchange experiences in order to implement cyber security best practices in their respective countries," he added.

CyberSecurity Malaysia provides specialised cyber security services contributing immensely towards the nation's objective in preventing and minimising disruptions to critical information infrastructure in order to protect the public, the economy, and government services.

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