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## CYBERSECURITY MALAYSIA LEADS 36 COUNTRIES IN ADDRESSING CYBER SECURITY ISSUES.

## Newly Appointed as Deputy Chair of APCERT on 8th September 2015 Reappointed as Advisor to OIC-CERT Chair on 9th September 2015 Permanent Secretariat of OIC-CERT

**KUALA LUMPUR (14 September 2015)**: Malaysia through the Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation and its R&D agency, CyberSecurity Malaysia is leading the way in addressing cyber security issues.

"The appointment of CyberSecurity Malaysia as Deputy Chair of APCERT on 8th September 2015 is testament to Malaysia's leadership in the field of cyber security, which is now recognized globally. This is in line with Malaysia's commitment to become a global reference center for cyber security, particularly among OIC countries and also the Asia Pacific region," said Minister Datuk Madius Tangau,

36 countries from Asia Pacific and the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation (OIC) converged here to find ways to make the Internet ecosystem cleaner and healthier, he said at the Cyber Security Malaysia Awards, Conference & Exhibition or CSM-ACE 2015 from 6 until 10 September 2015.

Among the cyber security agendas discussed include information sharing, enhancement of members" effectiveness and efficiency in technical and administrative capabilities, strategic directions and future challenges.

At the opening ceremony on Thursday, Madius was please to note that Malaysia had successfully hosted the one-of-its-kind, the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation – Computer Emergency Response Team (OIC-CERT) and the Asia Pacific Computer Emergency Response Team (APCERT) Annual General Meeting (AGM) & Conference 2015 under one roof.

This was followed by CyberSecurity Malaysia's election as the new Deputy Chair for Asia





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Pacific Computer Emergency Response Teams (APCERT) during APCERT's AGM.

"Other than that, I am proud to announce that during the OIC-CERT AGM yesterday, CyberSecurity Malaysia's Chairman of the Board of Directors, Gen. Tan Sri Dato' Seri Panglima Mohd Azumi Mohamed (Retired) was reappointed as the adviser to the Chairman of OIC-CERT."

"This year's theme 'Bridging The World – Go Cyber Green' underscores the urgency for all countries to foster greater international collaboration. 'Go Cyber Green' means to ensure our cyber ecosystem is clean, secure and free from malicious threats,

MOSTI strongly supports the Cyber Green initiatives in Malaysia. As an agency under MOSTI, CyberSecurity Malaysia has, through intensive Research & Development (R&D) initiatives, evolved to a globally renowned cyber security organisation. One exemplary R&D project launched by CyberSecurity Malaysia on 17<sup>th</sup> February 2015 is Cyber Forensics X Lab, a state-of-the-art R&D lab which is currently developing facial recognition technologies," he said.

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**LAUNCHING GIMMICK.** Officiating Ceremony of three major events under one roof:

- Cyber Security Malaysia Awards, Conference & Exhibition 2015;
- (2) the APCERT AGM & Conference 2015; and
- (3) the OIC-CERT AGM & Conference 2015.

## Photo from Left to Right :

**Mr. EWAN WARD** Chairman, Asia Pacific Computer Emergency Response Team (APCERT

**ENG. BADAR ALI SAID AL SALEHI**, Chairman, Organisation of Islamic Cooperation Computer Emergency Response Team (OIC-CERT)

**DR. ZULKIFLI MOHAMED HASHIM**, Deputy Secretary General (Science), Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation, Malaysia (MOSTI)

**DR. AMIRUDIN ABDUL WAHAB**, Chief Executive Officer, CyberSecurity

GENERAL TAN SRI DATO' SERI PANGLIMA MOHD. AZUMI BIN MOHAMED (RETIRED), Chairman of the Board of Directors, CyberSecurity Malaysia

**DATUK MADIUS TANGAU**, Minister of Science, Technology and Innovation, Malaysia

About CSM-ACE (details at <u>www.csm-ace.my</u>)

- 1. The biggest cyber security industry events in Malaysia.
- 2. The only 3-in-1 cyber security events in the country, featuring:
  - a. AWARDS Gala dinner and The Malaysia Cyber Security Awards presentation ceremony
  - b. CONFERENCE cyber security Conference / Meeting / Summit, and
  - c. EXHIBITION a grand showcase of local and global cyber security products.
- 3. Past events:

PREVIEW	July 2009	<ul> <li>KL Convention Centre</li> <li>Cyber Security Malaysia    SecureAsia@Kuala Lumpur</li> <li>In partnership with (ISC)<sup>2</sup></li> <li>a joint event with the SecureAsia@Kuala Lumpur</li> </ul>
1 <sup>st</sup>	Oct 2010	<ul> <li>The 1<sup>st</sup> CSM-ACE</li> <li>Officially organized solely by CyberSecurity Malaysia</li> <li>The first 3-in-1 cyber security industry event on a grand scale under the brand name "CSM-ACE"</li> <li>Theme "SECURING OUR DIGITAL CITY" at the Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre.</li> </ul>
12 <sup>TH</sup> ICCC	2011	<ul> <li>To make way for the 12<sup>th</sup> International Common Criteria Conference (12ICCC), hosted by CyberSecurity Malaysia</li> </ul>
2 <sup>ND</sup>	2012	At Double Tree by Hilton, KL
3 <sup>RD</sup>	2013	At Royale Chulan KL
4 <sup>TH</sup>	2014	<ul> <li>1<sup>st</sup> time outside Kuala Lumpur</li> <li>Casuarina@Meru, Ipoh, Perak</li> </ul>

5 <sup>TH</sup>	2015	At Royale Chulan KL

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