CYBERSECURITY MALAYSIA SIGNED AGREEMENT UNDER THE MALAYSIAN COMMON CRITERIA EVALUATION AND CERTIFICATION SCHEME WITH STRATSEC AUSTRALIA
The Honourable Minister of MOSTI will witness the signing

Canberra, Australia (August 5, 2010) - **CyberSecurity Malaysia**, an agency under the Ministry of Science, Technology, and Innovation (MOSTI), has signed a formal agreement with **stratsec Australia**, one of the leading providers of independent information security consulting and testing services in Australia and South East Asia.

With the agreement, this will be the first time an Australian company or a commercially - based security evaluation facility will set up operations under the Malaysian Common Criteria Evaluation and Certification Scheme (MyCC Scheme).

The signing ceremony between the CEO of CyberSecurity Malaysia Lt Col Husin Jazri (Retired) and the CEO of stratsec Peter Lilley on Wednesday,(August 4, 2010) held in Canberra, was witnessed by Datuk Seri Dr Maximus Johnity Ongkili, Minister of Science, Technology and Innovation (MOSTI) and Mr Jon Stanhope MLA, Chief Minister of the Australian Capital Territory.

Datuk Seri Dr. Maximus said the collaboration was another milestone in the continuing strong climate of cooperation and confidence between Malaysia and Australia. "This is a win-win situation for **CyberSecurity Malaysia** and **stratsec.net Sdn Bhd**, and signifies that even more so in matters of security, there is a need for cross border collaboration and cooperation."

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The MyCC Scheme, operated by CyberSecurity Malaysia - www.cybersecurity.my/mycc is a systematic process of evaluating and certifying the security functionality of ICT products. It aims at increasing Malaysia's competitiveness in quality assurance of information security based on the Common Criteria (CC) standard or ISO/IEC 15408, and to build consumer's confidence towards Malaysian information security products.

Datuk Seri Dr Maximus added that the MyCC Scheme set up by the Government is an effort to enhance the national cyber security industry. "There are too many breaches of ICT security and by raising the quality standard based on the international benchmarks, it would increase trust and confidence in the Malaysian ICT products and hence, stimulate the growth of the industry," he said.

According to Lt. Col. Husin Jazri, CEO of CyberSecurity Malaysia, the agreement will help grow a world class IT security evaluation facility in Malaysia and provide increased opportunities for Malaysian ICT product developers."The collaboration with stratsec for our MyCC scheme will help to position Malaysia for the future -- by providing a strong branding for 'Made in Malaysia' ICT products -- due to compliance with well-known and recognized international standards ISO/IEC 15408. As a result of a strong MALAYSIA BRAND, consumer confidence and market demand for Malaysian-made ICT products will be greatly increased", Husin added.

Meanwhile Peter Lilley, CEO of stratsec said "The Malaysian Government, through their economic stimulus package, has shown great understanding of the importance of IT security as a driver of the overall IT industry". "We are very grateful for the trust and confidence shown in us by CyberSecurity Malaysia via this agreement and we share a strong commitment to building a world class IT security evaluation capability in Malaysia." Peter added.

CyberSecurity Malaysia has been working with stratsec since 2007 to define and implement the MyCC Scheme. Throughout this relationship, CyberSecurity Malaysia and stratsec remained firmly committed to the development of a local specialist IT security industry in Malaysia. The final agreement between CyberSecurity Malaysia and stratsec

will increase assurance between Australian and Malaysian trade and highlight such beneficial relationships to existing businesses.

CyberSecurity Malaysia hopes to attract further Australian ICT security businesses to enter the South East Asian market by promoting the development of a vibrant local ICT security capability in Malaysia.

Signing the agreement was Lt Col Husin Jazri (Retired) CEO, CyberSecurity Malaysia and Mr Peter Lilley, CEO stratsec Australia, witnessed by Datuk Seri Dr Maximus Johnity Ongkili, Minister of Science, Technology and Innovation (MOSTI) and Mr Jon Stanhope MLA, Chief Minister of the Australian Capital Territory.

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