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EUMCCI's Quarterly Financial Panel Discussion 2012

Islamic Finance: The New Frontier of Financing for MNCs

Sasana Kijang, Bank Negara Malaysia, Jalan Dato' Onn, Kuala Lumpur
Thursday, 8th March 2012, 09h00 to 17h00

We would be honoured to have you join us for this **Quarterly Financial Dialogue** with high-level speakers who will address the international dimension of Islamic Finance and its role for MNCs and the various EU-Malaysia businesses, how it has become an important avenue for international fund raising and investment activities. Our pending **keynote speaker** is **Tan Sri Dr. Zeti Akhtar Aziz, Governor, Bank Negara Malaysia** and our **plenary speaker** is **Zainal Izlan Zainal Abidin, Executive Director, ICM Business Group, Securities Commission, Malaysia**.

CEO Dialogue Session: Mohammad Faiz Azmi, Global Islamic Finance Leader, **PwC (CHAIR)** together with **Syed Alwi Mohamed Sultan**, Head of Islamic Finance Asia Pacific, **BNP Paribas Malaysia**, **Tariq al-Rifai**, Director Islamic Market Indexes, **Down Jones Indexes, Dubai**, **Steven Choy**, President & CEO, **Cagamas**, **Daud Vicary Abdullah CIFP**, President & CEO, **INCEIF**, The Global University of Islamic Finance will commence an in-depth conversation on the current benefits and challenges offered by the Islamic Finance industry for EU-Malaysia MNCs.

Highlight Sessions: Shariah Compliant Capital Flows – The Hidden Gems by **Erno Kiss**, Director, **TRASSET International, Hungary** and **Unveiling Shariah Auditing – Benefits for Financial Institutions and their MNC clients** by **Anita Menon/Ahmad Nasri Abdul Wahab**, Partner in Islamic Finance Practice, **KPMG**

Panel Discussion: Yee Wing Peng, Managing Director, International Tax, **Deloitte Malaysia (CHAIR)** and leading experts like **Nick Edmondes**, Co-Head, Islamic Finance Group, **Trowers & Hamlinks LLP**, **Jennifer Chang**, Senior Executive Director – Tax Financial Services, **PwC**, **Dr. Aida Othman**, Partner, **Zaid Ibrahim & Co** and **Dr. Mohd Daud Bakar**, Chairman, Shariah Advisory Council, **Securities Commission** will advise how MNCs can tackle legal and tax challenges in Islamic Financing in their cross-border business transactions.

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ISLAMIC FINANCING – THE NEW FRONTIER OF FINANCING FOR MNCs

- 09.00 – 10.00 **BREAKFAST & REGISTRATION** **VENUE: FOYER, THE FORUM, LEVEL 1**
- 10.00 – 10.15 **WELCOME ADDRESS**
Mr. David Jones, Chairman, EU-Malaysia Chamber of Commerce & Industry (EUMCCI)
- 10.15 – 10.45 **KEYNOTE ADDRESS AND DIALOGUE WITH DELEGATES**
Tan Sri Dr. Zeti Akhtar Aziz, Governor, Bank Negara Malaysia will primarily address the challenges and opportunities for Islamic Finance in the coming 5 years, the international dimension of Islamic Finance and its role for MNCs and the various EU-Malaysia businesses in the post-crisis era and how it has become an important avenue for international fund raising and investment activities generating significant cross-border flows to promote and foster international trade between the European Union and Malaysia.
- 10.45 – 11.00 **PLENARY SPEAKER: Zainal Izlan Zainal Abidin, Executive Director, ICM Business Group, Securities Commission, Malaysia** will share the Malaysian experience in building and developing a comprehensive Islamic capital market (ICM) and address the major elements necessary to ensure its relevance and sustainability in this continuously evolving global financial market. In addition, its overall growth potential will be explored and several segments within the ICM will be highlighted for their attractive value proposition from an international perspective.
- 11.00 – 12.30 **CEO DIALOGUE SESSION:**
ISLAMIC FINANCING: BENEFITS AND CHALLENGES FOR MNCs
- An in-depth conversation on the current environment and opportunities offered by the Islamic finance industry for EU-Malaysia businesses**
- Currently Asia is the most liquid and resource-rich market and it is crucial for industry players within the region and around the world to develop the market. The discussion leaders from key areas of the industry will give you an all round perspectives of the various aspects of Islamic Finance, the benefits it generates for your businesses, how to overcome the current challenges without compromising profit margins and how your business can harness, maximise opportunities and increase its trajectory growth in the next 5 years.
- CHAIR**
Mohammad Faiz Azmi, Global Islamic Finance Leader, PricewaterhouseCoopers
- DISCUSSION LEADERS**
Syed Alwi Mohamed Sultan, Head of Islamic Finance Asia Pacific, BNP Paribas Malaysia
Tariq al-Rifai, Director Islamic Market Indexes, Dow Jones Indexes, Dubai
Steven Choy, President & CEO, Cagamas
Daud Vicary Abdullah, CIFP, President & CEO, INCEIF, The Global University of Islamic Finance
- 12.30 – 14.00 **NETWORKING LUNCH** **VENUE** **GROUND FLOOR, CONFERENCE HALL 1**

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HIGHLIGHT SESSIONS

VENUE: THE FORUM, LEVEL 1

14.00 – 14.30

SHARIAH COMPLIANT CAPITAL FLOWS – THE HIDDEN GEMS

Erno Kiss , Director, TRASSET International, Italy will give a visual demonstration of an actual case study on the financial software solutions for Islamic banking systems implemented in Kuwait, Jordan, Saudi Arabia and Malaysia. Suggestions on how IT can help efficiently manage banking products will be provided and the problems that come along with it. This will complement the Shariah auditing session below.

14.30 – 15.00

UNVEILING SHARIAH AUDITING – BENEFITS FOR FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND THEIR MNC CLIENTS

Ahmad Nasri Abdul Wahab , Partner in Islamic Finance Practice, KPMG, Malaysia will share with delegates the secrets of *shariah auditing*: addressing the gap that exist between “what ought to be” *shariah auditing* and the current practice of *shariah auditing* in Islamic Financial Institutions (IFIs) in Malaysia. Further, delegates will discover why it is one of the key links in the current operations of IFIs and why it will also enhance the banker-client confidence to enable the IFIs and their MNC clients to build strong linkages with each other in business transactions conducted in Malaysia.

15.00 – 15.30

NETWORKING BREAK

15.30 – 17.00

CLOSING DIALOGUE: PANEL DISCUSSION

HOW MNCS CAN TACKLE LEGAL & TAX CHALLENGES IN ISLAMIC FINANCING IN THEIR CROSS BORDER BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS?

CHAIR: Yee Wing Peng, Managing Director, International Tax, Deloitte Malaysia

LEADING EXPERTS:

Nick Edmondes, Co-Head, Islamic Finance Group, Trowers & Hamlins LLP will provide practical case studies on how they have advised their MNC clients in their business and cross-border deals both in the UK, the Middle East and their relevance to Malaysia.

Jennifer Chang, Senior Executive Director – Tax Financial Services, PricewaterhouseCoopers will address the tax and regulatory challenges affecting the internationalization of Islamic Finance and to share crucial tips with delegates on how we can make Islamic Finance deals more appealing to EU investors, overcoming high costs and over elaborated product structures

Dr. Aida Othman, Partner, Zaid Ibrahim & Co will explain how Islamic finance structures can be more investor-friendly for non-Muslim investors and give a short presentation of an Islamic finance transaction involving European and Malaysian counterparts.

Dr. Mohd Daud Bakar, Chairman, Shariah Advisory Council- Securities Commission Malaysia a top expert in shariah law with extensive international exposure and an authority in comparative law issues, will provide you with Shariah arbitrage cases, how the Shariah Advisory Council dealt with them and secret tips for investors to be on the safe side of Shariah compliant deals.

17.00 – 17.30

REFRESHMENTS & NETWORKING SESSION **VENUE: FOYER, THE FORUM, LEVEL 1**

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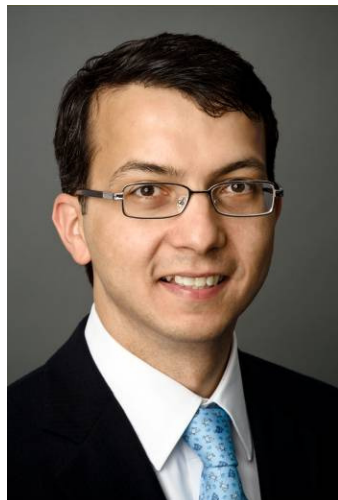
Zainal Izlan Zainal Abidin, Executive Director, ICM Business Group, Securities Commission, Malaysia has over 20 years' experience in the financial services industry. He was CEO/Director of i-VCAP Management and MIDF Amanah Asset Management, and had also worked with Schroder Investment Management (London) and Citibank. He graduated from The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania and is a Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) charterholder



Mohammad Faiz, PwC's Global Leader for Islamic Finance is also the financial services leader for PwC's SEAPEN Region which includes Malaysia, Thailand, Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos. He is also Chairman of the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board (MASB), an appointment by the Minister of Finance. Faiz has over 25 years' experience in audit and business advisory services for financial institutions in the UK and Malaysia. His audit clients include banks, stockbroking firms, fund management firms and funds. He is a subject matter expert on several strategy related assignments for Islamic banks both in Malaysia and globally. He is also a regular speaker at banking and Islamic Finance seminars and forums, both locally and global. Faiz holds a BA (Hons) Law from the University of Durham in the UK, was called to the Bar at Lincoln's Inn. He is a Fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England & Wales (ICAEW), and a Council Member of the Malaysia Institute of Accountants. Faiz is also past-President of the Kuala Lumpur City Group of ICAEW, and a member of the ICAEW International Advisory Board in London from 2006 to 2011.



Daud Vicary Abdullah, President and Chief Executive Officer of INCEIF, The Global University of Islamic Finance has been in the finance and consulting industry for more than 38 years, with significant experience in Asia, Europe, Latin America and the Middle East. Since 2002, he has focused exclusively on Islamic finance where he has contributed to a number of books on the subject and has co-authored a book on Islamic finance entitled "Islamic Finance: Why it makes sense." He is also a frequent speaker and commentator on matters relating to Islamic finance. He is a Chartered Islamic Finance Professional (CIFP), a Distinguished Fellow of the Islamic Banking and Finance Institute of Malaysia (IBFIM) and a former Board member (2003 – 2007) of the Accounting and Auditing Organization for Islamic Financial Institutions (AAOIFI). Prior to INCEIF, he was the Global Islamic Finance Leader with Deloitte. He was also previously Acting CEO of Asian Finance Bank, an Islamic bank based in Malaysia, and Managing Director of Hong Leong Islamic Bank.



Tariq Al-Rifai, Director of Islamic Market Indexes for Dow Jones Indexes

works closely with index support and development as well as sales, marketing and public relations to drive the Dow Jones Islamic Market Indexes business. Mr. Al-Rifai also promotes and represents Dow Jones Indexes as a speaker and educator at industry conferences and events, and maintains relationships with financial institutions globally. Mr. Al-Rifai has been involved in Islamic fund research and advising institutions on Islamic funds and structures and other investment products for over 15 years. Most recently, he served as a vice president of UIB Capital, a U.S.-based private equity subsidiary of Bahrain's Unicorn Investment Bank, where he managed the firm's U.S. Shariah-compliant investment portfolio. Previously, Mr. Al-Rifai was a partner in the London office of The International Investor, a Kuwait-based investment bank, where he was responsible for building distribution relationships with financial institutions in Europe and the Middle East. He also was vice president and manager of HSBC Bank's Islamic Finance Program in the United States. In 1996 Tariq founded Failaka Advisors, which was the first-ever organization to monitor and publish

research on Islamic funds and remains a leading provider of Islamic financial solutions to this growing market. Mr. Al-Rifai holds an MBA from DePaul University in Chicago and a bachelor's degree in international finance from St. Cloud State University in Minnesota. A native of Kuwait, he is currently based in Dubai in order to be close to the center of Islamic finance.



Steven Choy, President/Chief Executive Officer | Cagamas Berhad (Malaysia)

has over 26 years of experience in the financial services industry in London, Singapore and Malaysia. Over the last four years, Steven has been instrumental in transforming Cagamas into an award winning securitisation house, developing landmark transactions. Steven is a strong advocate of Cagamas' commitment to promoting the development of the Malaysian capital market and the Malaysian Islamic Financial Centre initiative. Previous positions held include Chief Executive Officer of Morley Fund Management, Regional Finance and Planning Director of Aviva Insurance Asia, General Manager of Commercial Union Assurance Berhad and Group Head of RHB Capital Berhad. A member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants and a Fellow of the Australian CPA, Steven holds a Bachelor of Commerce from The University of New South Wales, Australia and an MBA from Oklahoma City University, USA.



Syed Alwi, Head of Islamic Finance, Asia Pacific, BNP Paribas Malaysia Berhad

joined BNP in September 2011. Syed Alwi is responsible to grow the Islamic finance footprint of BNP in the Asia Pacific region. He is experienced in business development and relationship management in the Asia Pacific region and brings functional skills in structuring Shariah compliant capital market solutions and derivative solutions. Prior to this, Syed Alwi was Director of Islamic Origination for Standard Chartered Saadiq Berhad. He was also the Vice President of Corporate Banking-Asia, for The Islamic Bank of Asia Limited (IB Asia), in Singapore. He joined IB Asia, the first Islamic bank in Singapore, as a pioneer staff and helped the bank grow its footprint in the Asia Pacific region.

Prior to that, he was Head of Islamic Finance at HL Bank, Singapore, a branch of Hong Leong Banking Group. Syed Alwi graduated from the International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM) with a Bachelor (Hons) of Accountancy and he completed his MBA specializing in Islamic Finance in 2001 from IIUM

SPEAKERS PROFILES



Ernő Kiss, Director of Sales – TRASSET International SpA, a company providing IT solutions in the areas of conventional and Islamic treasury, corporate banking and asset management, with headquarters in Milano, Italy and offices in CEE, Saudi Arabia and Malaysia. Education: MSc in Business Administration, Corvinus University, Budapest, Hungary. Started to work with TRASSET in 1997. He was in charge of the first Islamic banking projects of the TRASSET Group and other projects in the Middle-East and ASEAN region. Lately he was named director of the Malaysia branch of TRASSET International and director of sales for the Group.



Ahmad Nasri Abdul Wahab, Partner, Head of Islamic Unit of KPMG Malaysia has more than 10 years working experience in financial services focusing on financial institutions in London and Malaysia. He was involved in various audit and advisory engagements involving Islamic Financial Institutions (“IFI”). The nature of advisory engagements includes due diligence and first time adoption of Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards (FRSs), including FRS 139. Nasri was also involved as Reporting Accountants for the issuance of Sukuk by various companies in Malaysia. Nasri participates in various discussions with Central Bank of Malaysia on accounting for IFIs. Nasri joined the firm in 1995. In 2001, he was seconded to KPMG London to gain overseas experience,

specialising in financial services. In London, Nasri served as the assistant manager on the audit of a variety of financial services companies including insurance and asset management companies. His portfolio in the UK includes esure Insurance, Britannic Group PLC and Criterion Assurance Group. He is a member of Malaysia Institute of Accountants and the Malaysian Institute of Certified Public Accountant.



Yee Wing Peng, Managing Director of Deloitte KassimChan Tax Services Sdn Bhd leads the Deloitte Tax practice in Malaysia. Yee has more than 18 years of experience in audit and tax and has been extensively involved in advising local and multinational companies on tax efficient inbound and outbound investments. He specialises in cross border tax structuring, group tax planning, corporate tax restructuring, tax due diligence and tax advisory assignments. He is a regular speaker at local and overseas tax forums and is featured regularly in the local print and visual media. Yee is a Chartered Accountant of Malaysian Institute of Accountants, a Fellow member of the Association of Chartered Certified

Accountants (UK) and a member of the Malaysian Institute of Taxation. He is also the honorary tax advisor for the Master Builders Association Malaysia (“MBAM”).



Nick Edmondson, Co-Head, Islamic Finance Group, Trowers & Hamlin LLP specialises in UK, European and Middle East inward investment, project development, and Islamic finance. During his 25 years with the firm, Nick has advised on major infrastructure development and finance, privatisation and corporate structuring as well as inward investment by the firm's clients into the UK and Europe, particularly for Islamic banks. Nick co-founded the firm's well established Islamic Finance Group and is client partner to a number of the firm's Islamic Finance Institution clients. Nick lived and worked in the Middle East as resident managing partner of the firm's Oman office between 1994 and 2000. He is now based in the firm's head office in London and travels regularly to the Middle East and ASEAN region on client business. Nick is UKTI's Special Representative to the Sultanate

of Oman. for Financial Services and chairs TheCityUK's Gulf Financial Services Focus Group. Nick has written many articles and has spoken regularly on a variety of topics in the UK, Oman, Abu Dhabi, Qatar, Bahrain, Kuwait, Iran, Dubai and Malaysia on diverse subjects from private sector financing for public sector through project structures, projects and project finance, to Islamic Finance.



Jennifer Chang, Senior Executive Director – TAX Financial Services, PricewaterhouseCoopers has extensive tax experience both in Australia and in Malaysia. Her experience in Australia includes the audit, accounting, corporate secretarial, regulatory and tax work on a range of clients and entities including financial services entities, retirement funds, pharmacists, construction companies, hotels, trading companies, etc. In Malaysia, it includes advising clients on income tax, real property gains tax, stamp duty, service tax, applicable tax incentives and double tax treaties. She is extensively involved in numerous financial services clients & assignments as well as structured finance & international tax. She has been involved in numerous projects including advising and

implementing numerous corporate restructuring and structured finance transactions such as sale and leaseback, asset securitisation, back-to-back loans, Islamic financial products, stapled bonds, derivatives, real estate investment trusts ("REITS"), etc. She has also been involved in studying the tax system relating to the capital markets in Malaysia including unit trusts, venture capital companies, closed end funds, stock borrowing and lending, Islamic Finance, securitization, etc. She speaks regularly at public seminars on the taxation of the financial services industry including Islamic banking, asset backed securitisation, REITs, International Tax, Labuan, mergers and acquisitions, etc.



Aida Othman, Partner at Zaid Ibrahim & Co. is also a Director with ZI Shariah Advisory Services Sdn Bhd. Aida advises on Islamic finance transactions and Shariah compliance matters. She has advised on structuring and legal documentation for Islamic banking products, sukuk, Islamic funds, takaful products and Islamic wealth management. Her clients include regulatory authorities and financial institutions from Malaysia, Japan, Thailand, the Philippines and Australia, as well as international standard-setting bodies. Aida has a PhD in Comparative Law & Middle Eastern Studies from Harvard University, USA, an LL.M from Cambridge University, UK, an LLB and LLB (Syariah) from International Islamic University, Malaysia.



Dr. Mohd Daud Bakar, Chairman of the Shariah Advisory Council at the Central Bank of Malaysia, the Securities Commission of Malaysia and the Labuan Financial Services Authorities was previously the Deputy Vice-Chancellor at the International Islamic University Malaysia. Dr. Mohd Daud is a Shariah board member of various financial institutions, including the Accounting and Auditing Organisation for Islamic Financial Institutions (AAOIFI) (Bahrain), Morgan Stanley (Dubai), Bank of London and Middle East (London), Noor Islamic Bank (Dubai), Jadwa-Russell Islamic Fund (Saudi Arabia), Salama Islamic Insurance, amongst many others.

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