

ANNOUNCEMENT



DEAR VALUED CUSTOMERS,

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TRADE PREFERENTIAL SYSTEM AMONG THE MEMBER STATES OF THE ORGANISATION OF THE ISLAMIC COOPERATION (TPS-OIC) FOR MALAYSIA

PURSUANT TO MALAYSIA'S RATIFICATION OF THE **TPS-OIC AGREEMENT** ON **14 OCTOBER 2008** AND THE GAZETTEMENT OF **CUSTOMS DUTIES (GOODS UNDER THE FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT ON TPS-OIC) ORDER 2023**, THE TPS-OIC AGREEMENT HAS **ENTERED INTO FORCE** FOR MALAYSIA ON **1 OCTOBER 2023**.

MALAYSIA SHALL JOIN THE THIRTEEN OTHER MEMBER STATES NAMELY **BAHRAIN, BANGLADESH, IRAN, JORDAN, KUWAIT, MOROCCO, OMAN, PAKISTAN, QATAR, SAUDI ARABIA, SYRIA, TURKIYE,** AND **UNITED ARAB EMIRATES (UAE)** THAT HAVE COMPLETED THE RATIFICATION PROCESS AND IMPLEMENTED THE AGREEMENT. HOWEVER, SYRIA'S MEMBERSHIP WAS SUSPENDED AND THE REMAINING 28 SIGNATORIES ARE YET TO COMPLETE THEIR RATIFICATION PROCESS.

IN LINE WITH THIS DEVELOPMENT, MALAYSIAN EXPORTERS MAY UTILISE THE **TPS-OIC CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN (CO)** FOR EXPORTATION TO THE **TWELVE TPS-OIC MEMBER STATES.** EXPORTERS MAY SUBMIT THE **COST ANALYSIS (CA)** APPLICATION FOR **ALL OIC COUNTRIES** CONSIDERING THE **CA** IS VALID FOR A PERIOD OF **TWO YEARS.** MEANWHILE, THE **TPS-OIC CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN (CO)** IS VALID FOR A PERIOD OF **SIX MONTHS** ONLY. APPLICATION FOR CA AND CO WILL BE OPENED STARTING FROM **4 NOVEMBER 2023.** THUS, KINDLY OBSERVE FURTHER COMMUNICATION FROM MITI.

FOR ENQUIRY, PLEASE EMAIL: pco@miti.gov.my

THANK YOU.

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