MALAYSIA - Economy Report Highlights

Key Activities - 2016 / 2017

Protecting Consumer

- Spot-check operation between MDTCC, Metrology Corporation of Malaysia (MCM) and Malaysia Palm Oil Board (MPOB)
- Ensuring accuracy of the verified weighbridges used in palm oil industries are well within MPE
- □ At the same time to check any possibility of



Working with Industry

- ☐ The amendment to SOLAS Regulation VI/2, which states the requirement for verified gross mass of a container carrying cargo
- Shippers are required to determine the method used for obtaining the accurate gross mass
- ☐ In the case of non-compliance to the requirement mentioned, a packed container shall not be loaded onto a ship to which the SOLAS regulations apply.

R&D on Metrology in Malaysia

- □ To strength the Spa services regarding the measuring time with new SOP
- ☐ Verification for tyre pressure gauge to ensure the safety of road users
- Ensuring accuracy at laundry outlet by using the time measuring





Future Focus - 2018 & beyond

E-Repairer

- New system so called E-Repairer to track the status of all regulated measuring instruments under Weights and Measures Act.
- ☐ This system will be able to track detailed information about the instruments such as name-model-serial number-class of instrument, owner of instrument, verification





New Regulated Instruments

- ☐ The regulations will be revise in the Weights and Measures Act, where rice moisture and tyre pressure measurements will be included.
- On top of that, egg grading machine will also be regulated, based on its measured weight with reference to the existing Malaysia Standards on egg grading



Updates to OIML documents

- OIML R79 Labelling requirements for prepackages
- ☐ OIML R87 Quantity of products in prepackages
- □ OIML R76 Non-automatic weighing instruments









