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AMIC JOINS MBOT'S TECHNOLOGY EXPERT PANEL

PUTRAJAYA, 8th SEPTEMBER 2023 – Malaysia Board of Technologists (MBOT) and Aerospace Malaysian Innovation Centre (AMIC) signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) today, demonstrating the commitment of both parties to embark on collaborative efforts and opportunities in driving the advancement of the aerospace and aviation landscape. The MoU handover was held during the Selangor Aviation Airshow 2023 (SAS '23).

The MoU paves the way for MBOT to leverage on the technological strengths of AMIC as MBOT Technology Expert Panel provide valuable insights and advise on refining the professional assessment framework. The primary objective of the MoU is to ensure that the partnership remains aligned with the industry best practices and caters for the demand of the aerospace and aviation sector.

"This collaborative effort is also directed towards ensuring that the accreditation standards are in alignment with the industry needs of the current workforce. We look forward to leveraging our expertise to contribute positively to the growth and development of technologists and technicians in Malaysia," said Datuk Ts. Ir. Dr. Siti Hamisah Binti Tapsir, FASc., President of MBOT.

AMIC pursues the advancement of technology development in the field of aerospace manufacturing and MRO through the adoption of cutting-edge robotics, digitalization, and advance processes. Streamlining the implementation of technology whilst developing talents capable to perpetually drive the next generation of development.

"Working together with MBOT synergizes the strength of both parties to ensure that advancements in technology and human talents are recognized and accredited. Aerospace technologists and technicians are the recognized pioneers and builders of the industry's ambition of a sustainable future, a future of net-carbon zero flights and a decarbonized manufacturing & MRO sector," said Emeritus Professor Tan Sri Zakri bin Abdul Hamid, Chairman of AMIC.

Malaysia Board of Technologists (MBOT) is a professional body that provides professional recognition to Technologists and Technicians in the field technology and technical. MBOT was established under the Technology and Technicians Act 2015 [Act 768] to recognize, promote and develop the profession of technologist and technician as professionals.

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