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## Technical Visit to MALAYSIAN PALM OIL BOARD (MPOB) HEADQUARTERS, BANDAR BARU BANGI, KAJANG

(Organized by Chemical Engineering Technical Division, IEM)

**BEM Approved CPD/ PDP Hours: 2.5 Ref. No.: IEM12/HQ/219/V**

**Date** : 28 August 2012 (Tuesday)  
**Time** : 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m. (Registration starts at 9.45 a.m.)  
**Venue** : MPOB Headquarters: 6, Persiaran Institusi, Bandar Baru Bangi, 43000 Kajang, Selangor  
**Transport** : Own transportation

### SYPNOPSIS



The oil palm industry forms the economic backbone of Malaysia and continues to face new challenges in the face of globalization. Rapid responses are needed to meet the increasing challenges of the industry as they unfold. MPOB as the custodian of the oil palm industry is entrusted with meeting these challenges through excellence in R&D and services. MPOB has more than three decades of concerted effort in research and development along the entire value chain. Several technologies have made the transition from the laboratory to the market place. Ecologically and economically sustainable development has become the guiding philosophy of the oil palm industry and MPOB is playing a facilitating role in this endeavor. MPOB's commitment has been recognized and rewarded through numerous awards, the latest of which is the 2010 Frost & Sullivan Award for Excellence in Research and Innovation. MPOB's contributions are diverse, yet they serve a single goal, as expressed by its mission statement: *"To enhance the well-being of the Malaysian oil palm industry through research, development and excellent services."*

Participants of this visit will also be briefed on MPOB's latest development in addition to the pilot plant tours at MPOB's premises.

### TENTATIVE PROGRAMME

Time	Programme
9.45 a.m.	Gathering & registration at Bactris Hall
10.00 a.m.	Briefing & Corporate Video
10.15 a.m.	Discussion with research officers
10.35 a.m.	Tour to margarine pilot plant
11.10 a.m.	Tour to palm biodiesel pilot plant
11.45 a.m.	Palm gallery
12.00 p.m.	Refreshment & end of visit

The visit is strictly limited to only **forty (40) participants** registered on a **first come, first served** basis. Interested members could

- preferably register and pay the **RM30 commitment fee/ person** online at IEM website (<http://www.myiem.org.my>); **OR**
- register by returning the appended reply slip to IEM Secretariat (Attn: Ms. Kek Mei Tzy) through fax (03 – 7957 7678) or email ([meitzty@iem.org.my](mailto:meitzty@iem.org.my)) by **24 August 2012** together with a **payment proof** (cash, cheque bank-in or online transfer) of **RM30** commitment fee/ person, made payable to **"The Institution of Engineers, Malaysia"**.

**The commitment fee must be settled prior to the visit.**

**Ir. Prof. Dr Thomas Choong Shean Yaw**

Chairman, Chemical Engineering Technical Division, IEM

### REPLY SLIP

Chairman

Chemical Engineering Technical Division, IEM

I wish to participate in Technical Visit to Malaysian Palm Oil Board (MPOB) Headquarters, Bandar Baru Bangi, Kajang on 28 August 2012, Tuesday organized by your technical division of IEM. I enclosed herewith the payment proof of RM30 commitment fee for the visit. I will be participating in the visit at my own risk and hereby indemnify IEM fully from all claims arising from any injury, damage or loss that may be sustained by me.

Name:	Membership Number:
Address:	Contact Number:
Company Name:	Signature: