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CMCO IN KLANG – INDUSTRY AND ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES IN KLANG ARE ALLOWED TO CONTINUE AS USUAL, SUBJECT TO MORE STRINGENT SOP EFFECTIVE 9 OCTOBER 2020

Reference is made to the MEDIA ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE MINISTRY OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY (MITI) and the meeting between MITI and trade associations on 8 October 2020.

Below are highlights of the Media Announcement.

1. All economic sectors, both essential and non-essential (except for activities in the prohibited list) within the Klang Township/Mukim Klang are allowed to continue their operations. as usual.

2. MKN will be issuing the Standard Operating Procedure (SOP). Companies are advised to adhere to the SOP. Failing to comply will result in stern actions by the authorities, including immediate closure of operations and prosecution against the employer in accordance with legal provisions.

Below are the additional pointers to note on the Klang CMCO.

1. The CMCO is only applicable in the Klang Township/Mukim Klang, and NOT the entire Klang District/Daerah Klang.

2. Companies do not need an approval letter from Polis Di Raja Malaysia (PDRM) or MITI to operate, but companies will need to produce relevant documents (for example, PBT license, MITI Manufacturing license, etc) should there be an inspection by the authorities. We advise companies to appoint one of the staff/the Factory Manager to be responsible in having the relevant documents during the inspections.

3. There will not be any restrictions in terms of operating hours.

4. There will also not be any restrictions in terms of manpower.

5. Movement of goods will not be restricted to and from Klang. Lorries, trucks, containers and commercial vans are allowed to enter or exit without an approval letter from the authority. We advise non-commercial vehicles engaged in logistics to provide the necessary documentation where necessary.

6. Employees are required to present their work pass with Klang address to PDRM officers at roadblocks. If the worker’s pass does not carry a Klang address, employers must issue a letter to the employee with the Klang address. Employers are advised to ensure their employees (without a Klang address) to carry the necessary documents when entering/exiting Klang.

7. Business visitors outside Klang are allowed to enter and exit Klang but must be able to present an invitation letter from the company that had invited the visitor concerned for PDRM officers at roadblocks.

MITI requests the strong co-operation from all companies to strictly adhere to the SOP. MITI has warned that should the spread of COVID-19 spikes any further, endangering the health of the country’s citizens, the Government will have to implement a complete lockdown on the affected areas.

In this regard, MPMA calls upon all members to strictly comply to the SOP.

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