

09/07/1997

Anwar to open third capital growth expo

DEPUTY Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim will officially open the Third Malaysia Capital Growth Opportunities Exposition 1997 on August 14 which is expected to be the biggest exposition to date.

This will mark the beginning of celebrations to commemorate the official opening of the Kuala Lumpur Stock Exchange's (KLSE) new building by Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad on August 15.

Over 160 companies have so far confirmed their participation in the exposition which will be held from August 14-17 at the Putra World Trade Centre, Kuala Lumpur.

The expo is expected to bring together a broad cross section of the Malaysian capital market under one roof, thus presenting a rare opportunity for listed companies, stockbroking companies, regulatory authorities, the equity and derivative exchanges, financial institutions and information vendors in the country to offer insights into their respective organisations.

The expo was organised by the KLSE to better acquaint the public with the Malaysian capital market. The first such expo was held in 1990 and the second in 1993.

It has a dual objective of acquainting the public with all major components of the capital market and presenting an ideal opportunity for participants to showcase their activities.

Participating companies are expected to demonstrate their level of preparation in meeting the challenges of the new millennium.

A distinct feature of this year's exposition will be the company sessions programme where participants will hold presentations on their companies. Senior management from the companies concerned are expected to speak on their companies' activities and future developments.

(END)