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INDIAN SOFTWARE GIANT OPENS GLOBAL OPERATIONS CENTRE IN CYBERJAYA

CYBERJAYA, April 28 (Bernama) -- Satyam Computer Services, India's leading end-to-end information technology solutions provider, has launched its Global Solutions Centre (GSC) here to serve as a major technological development and software support centre for its global operations.

Satyam announced that it would open an operations centre in Cyberjaya when Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad visited Satyam's office in Hyderabad, India last October.

The GSC was jointly declared open by the Energy, Communications and Multimedia Minister, Datuk Amar Leo Moggie, and B Rama Raju, Satyam's Managing Director of its listed subsidiary on the New York Stock Exchange.

The Indian High Commissioner to Malaysia, Veena Sikri, and Chief Executive Officer of the Multimedia Development Corporation (MDC), Datuk Dr Mohamed Arif Nun, witnessed the ceremony.

Rama Raju said in a statement that GSC formed an integral part of Satyam's Business Continuity Process model which allows seamless support of its global clients.

Satyam's GSC is a hi-tech centre with state-of-the-art infrastructure and video-conference facilities.

Equipped with high-end security features like the biometric (finger-print) identification system, the GSC has a 24x7 access to Satyam's global knowledge repository to deliver cutting-edge solutions to customers across the globe.

"Through GSC, Satyam will share its matured processes and hopes to bring greater value to the Malaysian economy by building technological competencies and harnessing the IT talents of Malaysia," said the Senior Vice President of Satyam's Asia Pacific Region, Virender Aggarwal.

Satyam's GSC in Cyberjaya would also spearhead business development in several ASEAN countries such as Indonesia, Thailand, Vietnam and the Philippines, he added.

MDC's Dr Mohamed Arif Satyam's GSC would help and complement MDC's efforts to attract even more global information communication technology (ICT) shared services players into the Multimedia Super Corridor (MSC).

He said Satyam's presence in the MSC would be an added attraction and example for more top-notch Indian ICT companies to come to the MSC.

Satyam's Malaysian operations, which have been accorded MSC status, will spearhead the development of some mission critical systems and directly support the software needs of the Asia-Pacific operations of some of its Fortune 500 clients.

For some development programmes, the Malaysian operations of Satyam would be the second alternative base of Satyam outside its global headquarters in Hyderabad. -- BERNAMA

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