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WELCOMING HIGH COMMISSIONER OF MALAYSIA TO SINGAPORE

The High Commissioner-Designate of Malaysia to Singapore, Dato' Ilango Karuppanan, received warm welcome from the HBS and LRS staff upon his arrival in Singapore. Dato' Ilango met with the Heads of Department (HODs) of the Malaysian agencies based Singapore and received briefings on the scope of works of the High Commission. He also spent time around the Chancery to have better understanding on the functions of the High Commission, especially the Immigration and Consular sections.

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VISITS

VISITS BY DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER



Dato' Seri Dr. Ahmad Zahid Hamidi, Deputy Prime Minister of Malaysia was in Singapore on 19-20 October 2016 to attend the 5th ASEAN Ministerial Meeting on Drug Related Matters.

Dato' Seri Dr. Ahmad Zahid Hamidi was also in Singapore on 1 November 2016 to attend the Asia-Europe Counter-Terrorism Dialogue. He was one of the dialogue's keynote speakers sharing the stage with Parliamentary State Secretary at the Federal Ministry of the Interior, Federal Republic of Germany, Dr Gunter Krings MdB.

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WORKING VISIT BY MINISTER OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE & INDUSTRY

Minister of International Trade & Industry, YB Dato' Sri Mustapa Mohamed, was in Singapore on 19-20 October for working visit.



Dialogue session with Singapore Chinese Chamber of Commerce & Industry (SCCCI) on 19 October 2016

Dinner with HSBC on 19 October 2016



Session with Malaysian diaspora on 19 October 2016

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WORKING VISIT BY MINISTER OF ENERGY, GREEN TECHNOLOGY & WATER

YB Datuk Seri Panglima Dr. Maximus Johnity Ongkili, Minister of Energy, Green Technology and Water Malaysia, was on a Working Visit to Singapore on 24 - 26 October 2016. The Minister and delegation attended the Singapore International Energy Week (SIEW) 2016 which was held at the Marina Bay Sands Convention Centre.



WORKING VISIT BY DEPUTY MINISTER OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT

YB Datuk Ir Hamim Samuri, Deputy Minister of Natural Resources and Environment, Malaysia, was in Singapore to attend the 18th Sub-Regional Ministerial Steering Committee on Transboundary Haze Pollution on 3-4 May 2016.

YB Deputy Minister, H.E Dato' Ilango and the Malaysian delegation then proceeded to the Singapore National Gallery to attend a Welcoming Dinner for 18th MSC Delegates hosted by Singapore's Minister for the Environment and Water Resources, H.E Masagos Zulkifli.



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WORKING VISIT TO JOHOR BAHRU



H.E. Dato' Ilango Karuppanan headed the High Commission of Malaysia delegation to visit government agencies in Johor Bahru on 12 May 2016. The main purpose of the visit was to observe and understand the incoming and outgoing flow of people across the Malaysia - Singapore border via the Causeway and SecondLink checkpoints. It was also to learn on other alternatives, besides individual vehicles, to cross the border i.e. via train, bus, lorry and ferry etc.

Briefings and site visits were given by representatives from the following agencies:

- 1) Head of Immigration Department at Kompleks Sultan Abu Bakar;
- 2) General Manager of Puteri Harbour International Ferry Terminal;
- 3) Head of Immigration Department at Bangunan Sultan Iskandar;
- 4) Senior Management of Berjaya Waterfront Ferry Terminal; and
- 5) Office of the Collector of Federal Customs Duties of the Royal Malaysian Custom in Woodlands.

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ENGAGEMENTS@ TEMASEK



Minister for Home Affairs



Prime Minister Lee Hsien Loong



Minister for Foreign Affairs

Minister for Trade & Industry

Minister for National Development

Minister at the Prime Minister's Office



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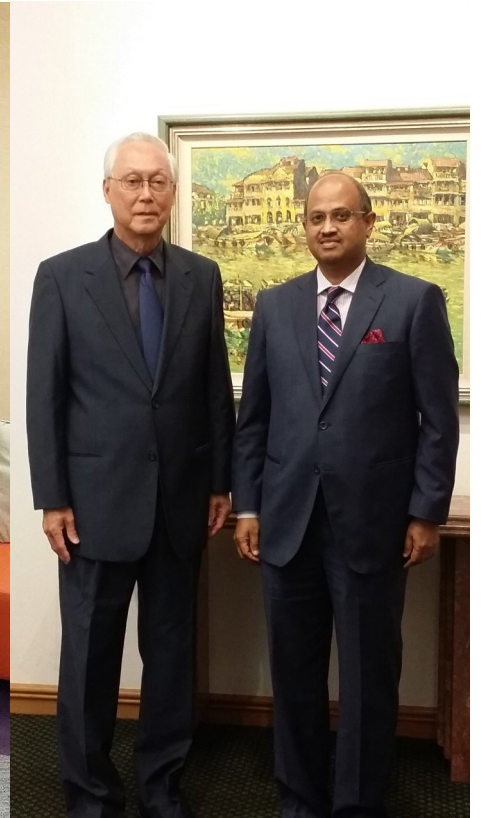
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Ambassador of Angola



CEO of TEMASEK Holdings



Former PM Goh Chok Tong

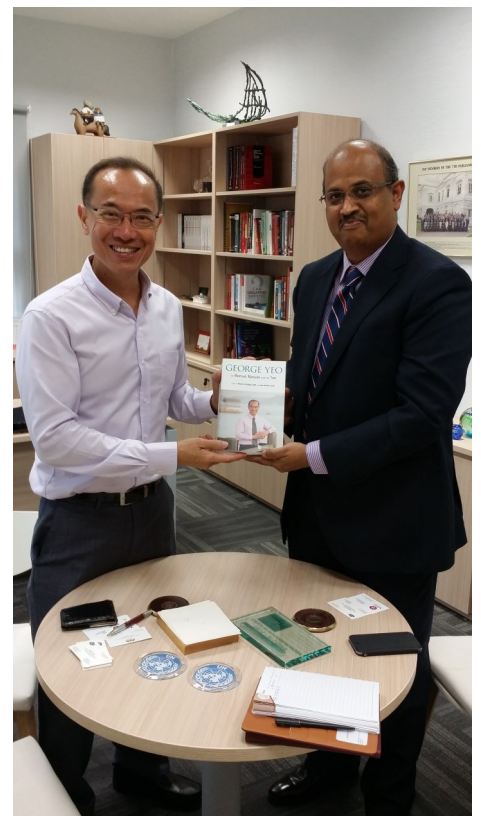
Former Foreign Minister George Yeo



With former High Commissioner of Singapore to Malaysia, H.E. Ong Keng Yong



Professor Tommy Koh



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ACTIVITIES PROMOTING MALAYSIA



Dato' Ilango Karuppunnan hosted dinner for the ASEAN Ambassadors, in-conjunction with ASEAN Day. The dinner was held at Rumah Malaysia on 8 August 2016.



The Thai Ambassador to Singapore, H.E. Tongchai Chasawath, hosted dinner in honour of Dato' Ilango Karuppunnan on 30 September 2016. The dinner was held at the Residence of the Thai Ambassador where Thai hospitality and delicacies were served to perfection.



Dato' Ilango Karuppunnan hosted lunch at his Residence for the MB of Terengganu. The MB and his delegation were in Singapore on 13 - 14 August 2016 to promote Visit Terengganu Year 2017.

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NATIONAL DAY RECEPTION 2016



High Commissioner of Malaysia to Singapore, H.E Dato' Ilango Karuppattan, hosted the 59th National Day Reception on 14 September 2016 held at the Island Ballroom, Shangri-La Hotel Singapore. The Reception was also held to commemorate the Malaysia Day and the 83rd Armed Forces Day.

His Excellency Mr Khaw Boon Huat, Coordinating Minister for Infrastructure and Minister for Transport, together with Dr Intan Azura Mokhtar, MP for Ang Mo Kio GRC and Mr Kwek Hian Chuan Henry, MP for Nee Soon GRC, represented the Government of the Republic of Singapore to the Reception.

Also in attendance was Deputy Chief Minister of Sarawak, Datuk Amar Haji Abdul Rahman Zohari Abang Haji Openg.

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ASEAN GALA NIGHT 2016



ASEAN Gala Night 2016 was held on 23 November 2016 at the Shangri-La Hotel Singapore. It was hosted by the Ambassador of Lao PDR in Singapore, as Lao is the Chairman of ASEAN for the year 2016. It was also attended by Ambassadors of ASEAN in Singapore as well as Ambassador of ASEAN Dialogue partners and invitees from the government agencies, private sectors and academicians.

The Night was eventful with presentation of cultural performances from the ASEAN countries together with its food and delicacies which was served throughout the night.



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SARAWAK WEEK 2016

H.E. Dato' Ilango Karuppannan attended the launching of "Sarawak Week" in Singapore on 13 May 2016. The launching ceremony was held in Plaza Singapura and "Sarawak Week" was held on 13 - 22 May 2016.



SABAH PLATE 2016

H.E. Dato' Ilango Karuppannan, High Commissioner of Malaysia in Singapore, attended the launching of "Sabah Plate" at Agrobazaar Malaysia on 15 May 2016. The event was launched by Datuk Hj Ujang Sulani, Permanent Secretary of Ministry of Agriculture and Food Industry of Sabah.

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ENGAGEMENTS WITH MALAYSIAN DIASPORA

"KENDURIAN" OPEN HOUSE

The High Commissioner of Malaysia to Singapore, H.E. Dato' Ilango Karuppanan, hosted a "KENDURIAN Open House" at the Malaysian High Commission on 5 August 2016.

Kendurian is a word play by combining two Malay words "Kenduri" which means feast and "durian". The KENDURIAN Open House was held to mark celebration of Hari Raya Aidilfitri and to take advantage of a common bond of love for durian to foster friendship and enhance stronger networking between Malaysia and Singapore.

In his welcoming remarks, Dato' Ilango Karuppanan in a light tone characterised the event as 'Durian Diplomacy'.

The event was attended by Singapore officials as well as prominent private sector individuals. The special guest for the event was H.E. Masagos Zulkifli, Minister for Environment and Water Resources of the Republic of Singapore. The High Commission also hosted launching of new menus by AGROBAZAAR Malaysia, located at 37, Sultan Gate, 198485 Singapore.



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On 28 April 2016, the Sports, Social and Welfare Club of the High Commission held a Welcoming Lunch in honour of the appointment of H.E Dato' Ilango Karuppunnan as the High Commissioner of Malaysia to Singapore.

The welcoming lunch was attended by almost 80 HBS and LRS officers and staff of the High Commission. It was also joined by members of the Malaysian Association in Singapore (MASIS).



The High Commission together with the Malaysian Association in Singapore (MASIS) organised Zumba and a badminton competition in-conjunction with Hari Sukan Negara on 8 October 2016. Congratulations MASIS for winning the MASIS Cup this year!



The Sports, Social and Welfare Club of the High Commission hosted friendly bowling telematch on 18 November 2016. The telematch was held at West Bowl Recreation Club and was participated by HBS and LRS staff.

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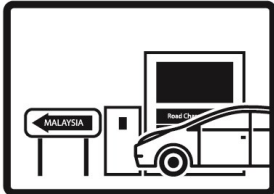


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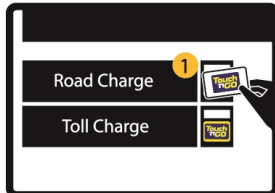
ROAD CHARGE (RC) OF RM20 WILL BE IMPOSED ON ALL FOREIGN-REGISTERED PRIVATE VEHICLES EFFECTIVE 1 NOVEMBER, 2016.
PLEASE ENSURE YOU HAVE SUFFICIENT BALANCE AVAILABLE IN YOUR TOUCH N' GO CARD.

Follow the instructions illustrated below:

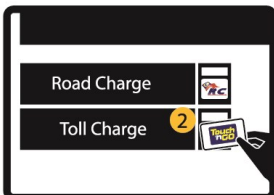
Malaysia - Singapore Causeway



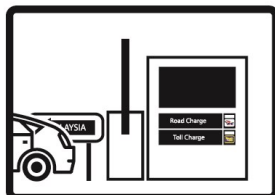
Handover your Passport to the Immigration Officer for clearance.



Tap your Touch n' Go card on the RC reader.



Tap your Touch n' Go card on the Touch n' Go reader.



Barrier gate will open automatically.

NOTE :
Kindly contact us through the intercom if the barrier gate fails to open

ROAD CHARGES

Effective 1 November 2016, all foreign registered private vehicles (excluding motorcycles) entering Peninsular Malaysia will be required to pay Road Charge (RC) of RM20.00 each time it enters the country.

Failure to pay RC upon entering Malaysia is an offence and the driver of the vehicle can be fined under the Road Transport Act 1987.

The RC is payable using the Touch and Go card – the same card used to pay toll fees on all expressways in Malaysia.

Drivers must ensure that their Touch and Go cards have sufficient balance before driving into Malaysia.

MBIKE

Easy travel for motorcyclists travelling daily between Malaysia and Singapore upon the implementation of the Secured Automated Clearance System (Mbike) in mid-November.

Riders and pillion need to apply for stickers from the Immigration department which will be placed in their passports.

The riders and pillion on arriving at the Causeway CIQ (Johor Baru checkpoint) or Second Link (Complex Custom Sultan Abu Bakar) can proceed to the "Mbike line" to have their passports scan.

The move will help ease the long queue of motorcycles on the Causeway.

***PANTAS DAN MUDAH DENGAN MBIKE!**

- LALUAN MBIKE DI BSI DAN KSAB
- LALUAN TAMBAHAN DI KSAB
- HANYA PERLU IMBAS PASPORT & IBU JARI TANGAN
- PROSES YANG CEPAT DAN EFISIEN!

*tertakluk pada sistem

SYARAT PERMOHONAN

- Warganegara Malaysia
- Berumur 18 tahun dan keatas
- Memiliki Pasport Malaysia Antarabangsa yang sah dengan tempoh sah laku minima 6 bulan
- Tiada halangan dalam Sistem Semakan Imigresen SSPI
- Lakukan pembaharuan pelekat MBIKE setiap kali pembaharuan pasport.
- Memerlukan pengambilan cap jari

LALUAN YANG LEBIH LANCAR!

APAKAH ITU MBIKE?

"Malaysia Biometric Identification Of Motorbikers" (MBIKE) merupakan sistem pemeriksaan komprehensif yang dibangunkan khusus bagi penunggang motorsikal yang keluar-masuk melalui pintu masuk Malaysia-Singapura

LANGKAH MUDAH PENGGUNAAN

Daftar & Aktifkan MBIKE

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Tampal Pelekat MBIKE di Pasport

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Akses ke Laluan MBIKE

www.mbike.my

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LOKASI PENDAFTARAN
BANGUNAN SULTAN ISKANDAR (BSI)
IMMIGRATION ONE STOP CENTRE (OSC) - LALUAN MASUK MOTORSIKAL
Untuk Pertanyaan : 07-2182400 (24 jam)

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CONSULAR ASSISTANCE @ TEMASEK



The Consular Section of the High Commission of Malaysia in Singapore provides consular assistance to all Malaysians in Singapore. These assistance include:

- Registration of civil marriages;
- Registration of births and deaths;
- Registration of Malaysians abroad;
- Translation of Malaysian documents & Notarial services;
- Endorsement of JPJ forms;
- Letter of Good Conduct;
- Renunciation of Malaysian citizenship

Further information on consular assistance can also be obtained via the following links:

- http://www.kln.gov.my/web/sgp_singapore/birth_marriage_cert
- http://www.kln.gov.my/web/sgp_singapore/malaysian_reg
- http://www.kln.gov.my/web/sgp_singapore/other_information

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OUR TEAM @ THE HICOM

H.E. Dato' Ilango Karuppannan (High Commissioner)

Mr Nur Azman Abdul Rahim (Deputy High Commissioner)

Mdm Nur Eliza Jemal Zainal (First Secretary/Head Chancery)

Ms Hanizah Mohd Izzuddin (Second Secretary)

Mr Mohd Yusof Hassan (First Secretary - Administration)

Mdm Siti Izayani Sazali (Third Secretary - Consular)

Mdm Norhani Hanafi (PA to H.E.)

Mdm Mariam Mokhtar (PA to DHC)

Mr Syed Mohd Faizal Syed Mohd Dardin (Minister Counsellor - Economics)

Mr Md Zakuan Arief Md Alias (First Secretary - Economics)

Mdm Nur Azuwanis Mahmood (First Secretary)

Mdm Elley Haslinda Abdul Aziz (Assistant Admin Officer)

Col Hashim Aman Shah (Defence Advisor)

Mjr Ahmad Ridzalman Jamal (Assistant Defence Advisor)

S/Sgt Khairul Nizam Saarani (Staff Assistant to DA)

Cpl Mohd Bilal Abdul Mutalib (Staff Assistant to DA)

ACP Zaharulhisham Ahmad (Counsellor - Liaison)

DSP Nasri Jamaluddin (Second Secretary - Liaison)

Sgt Ahmad Tarmizi Saari (Assistant Administrative Officer)

Mr Elangngovan A/L Muniandy (Immigration Attaché)

Mdm Norlida Abdul Aziz (Assistant Immigration Attaché)

Mr Ishak Yahuda (Assistant Immigration Attaché)

Mr Ishak Ismail (Tourism Attaché)

Mdm Rubiah Tul'Adawiyah Md Yusof (Assistant Tourism Attaché)

Mr Nai Mung Kun Ai Wong (Counsellor - Labour)

Mr Syed Arizal Karim (Assistant Administrative Officer - Labour)

Mr Sikh Shamsul Ibrahim Sikh Abdul Majid (Director - MIDA)

Mr Mohd Erfian Johari (Deputy Director - MIDA)

Ms Asmidar Abdul Rahman (Director (Program) - APEC)

Mr Mohd Faizal Salleh (Caretaker)

Mr Khalis Atan (Caretaker)

REGISTRATION OF MALAYSIANS ABROAD

Register yourselves via our EKONSULAR website:

<https://ekonsular.kln.gov.my/en/>

UPCOMING HOLIDAYS @ HICOM

25/12/2016 - Christmas Day (M & S)

26/12/2016 - Close of business operations (S)

01/01/2017 - New Year Day (M & S)

02/01/2017 - Close of business operations (S)

28 & 29/01/2017 - Chinese New Year (M & S)

30 & 31/01/2017 - Close of business operations (S)

01/02/2017 - Federal Territory Day (M)

14/04/2017 - Good Friday (S)

01/05/2017 - Labour Day (M & S)

10/05/2017 - Vesak Day (M & S)

25 & 26/06/2017 - Hari Raya Aidilfitri (M & S)

27/06/2017 - Close of business operations (S)

*Malaysia (M)

*Singapore (S)

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