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TRADE UNION CONFERENCE TO
NORTHERN, SOUTHERN & SARAWAK!

MEF

Conference on Challenges & Opportunities in Implementation of the Trade Unions

(Amendment) Act 2024 (Act A1700)

JOHOR BAHRU

**13TH AUGUST
2024**

PULAU PINANG

**15TH AUGUST
2024**

KUCHING

**22ND AUGUST
2024**

The call for a conference on the recent amendment to the Trade Unions Act 2024 is capsulated in the International Labour Organisation's (ILO) declaration and Conventions 87 and 98.

The ILO adopted in 1998, and amended in 2022, a Declaration of Fundamental Rights at Work and its Follow-up. There were five pillars to the Declaration. Among others, it emphasized on the freedom of association and the effective recognition of the right to collective bargaining. The above-mentioned declaration and conventions were later tied to trade agreements and became part and parcel of it. One such agreement is the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP) which Malaysia entered into on 4th February 2016 and ratified on 29 September 2023.

The objectives of the Conference are :

- To understand the provisions of the TUA Amendments and its effect on trade union of employers and employees.
- To inform employers on the impact, effect and consequences of the said Amendment.
- To provide a platform for employers to share views and practices on the interpretation and implementation of the 2024 Amendments.



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PROGRAMME

7.45 am - 9.00 am	Welcome & Registration	12.45 pm - 1.45 pm	Lunch Break
9.00 am - 9.30 am	Welcome Address	1.45 pm - 2.45 pm	Practical Aspects of Trade Union Amendments & Effective Negotiations
9.30 am - 10.30 am	Business and Trade Unions- International Labour Standards and Comparative Experiences	2.45 pm - 4.30 pm	Panel Discussion - Effects & Implications of Trade Union Amendments
10.30 am - 10.45 am	Tea Break	4.30 pm - 5.00 pm	Q & A & Business Networking
10.45 am - 11.45 am	Overview of the Trade Union Amendments		
11.45 am - 12.45 pm	Multiplicity of Unions-Legal Aspects		

CONFERENCE FEE

- MEF Members: **RM1,500.00** per pax [inclusive of 8% SST]
- Non-Members: **RM1,700.00** per pax [inclusive of 8% SST]

SCAN TO REGISTER!



PAYMENT

- Upon receipt of the registration, a quotation would be issued to companies that apply for HRD Corporation's (previously known as HRDF) grant application. Only quotation will be sent instead of invoice and no payment is needed subject to HRD Corporation's approval.
- An invoice for payment would be issued to companies that will not apply for HRD Corporation's grant application. Registered participants who will not apply for HRD Corporation's grant application must pay full fees before the event.
- Payment by bank deposit / Online transfer to Account No: **105280002422**, Affin Islamic Bank Berhad in favour of **MALAYSIAN EMPLOYERS FEDERATION**.
- A copy of the transfer slip and invoice number should be e-mailed to:
 - natasya@mef.org.my
 - yeokhoon@mef.org.my
 - financesubs@mef.org.my

ENQUIRY & REGISTRATION

- Contact: 03 - 7498 7200
- Puan Maslifa Masmuda - ext. 7220 (maslifa@mef.org.my)
- Cik Musfirah Liyana Mustapa - ext. 7234 (musfirah@mef.org.my)

IMPORTANT NOTE FOR CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS

- Any cancellation of attendance must be communicated to maslifa@mef.org.my or musfirah@mef.org.my at least **3 days before the event** or MEF will proceed charging the full fees.

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