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**CHARTERED TAX INSTITUTE OF MALAYSIA (225750-T)**  
**(formerly known as Malaysian Institute of Taxation)**

**e-CTIM No.21/2010**

**14 May 2010**

**TO ALL MEMBERS**

**TECHNICAL**

**Double Taxation Relief (The Government of the Republic of Turkey) (Amendment) Order 2010. [P.U. (A) 138/2010]**

In this order, the schedule provides details of the "Protocol amending the Agreement between the Government of Malaysia and the Government of the Republic of Turkey for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income signed at Ankara on 27 September 1994".

The Protocol dated 21 April 2010, published on 6 May 2010, seeks to amend the article relating to "Exchange of Information".

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20 May 2010

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**MEMBERSHIP SERVICES**

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**18<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)**

The Institute will be holding its 18<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting (AGM). The administrative details are as follows:

Date : Saturday, 12 June 2010

Time : 9.30a.m.

Venue : Pacific Ballroom A, Best Western Premier Seri Pacific Hotel Kuala Lumpur, Jalan Putra  
50350 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

The Notice of Annual General Meeting, Administrative Details, Form of Proxy and 2009 Annual Report have been posted to members.

Please take note of the following Articles of the Institute's Articles of Association:

Article 56: No member shall be entitled to vote on any question either personally or by proxy at any General Meeting of the Institute or at a poll whose subscription is overdue for 3 months.

Article 40: Any member entitled to be present and vote at a meeting may submit any motion to the Annual General Meeting, provided that in the case of an ordinary resolution, he shall serve upon the CTIM a notice in writing containing the proposed resolution, and stating his intention to submit the same at least ten (10) clear days before the day appointed for the meeting.

Kindly confirm your attendance before 28 May using the slip below which can also be found in the Administrative Details attachment.

**18th AGM: CONFIRMATION OF ATTENDANCE SLIP**

I,....., CTIM Membership No.:..... am  
**able / unable \* (will / will not \* be sending my proxy) to attend the Annual General Meeting on 12 June 2010 at 9.30a.m. at the Pacific Ballroom A, Best Western Premier Seri Pacific Hotel Kuala Lumpur, Jalan Putra, 50350 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.**

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Signature:.....

Date:.....

Please return the attendance slip by fax to 03-2162 8990 or email [agm2010@ctim.org.my](mailto:agm2010@ctim.org.my) before 28 May 2010 to enable us to make the necessary administrative arrangements.

### KIND REMINDER FOR OUTSTANDING MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTION

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### EMAIL BROADCAST FOR MEMBERS

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### CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

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#### NATIONAL TAX CONFERENCE 2010

25 CPD Points

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- Recent Tax Cases
- Thin Capitalisation: The OECD's Experience
- Driving Towards a High Income Economy

Register and pay before **18 June 2010** to enjoy the EARLY BIRD fee.

Please contact the Conference Secretariat for more information or clarification.

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Please click on <http://www.ctim.org.my/eCTIM/PMC-SIERRA.pdf> for details of the job description.

*Interested candidates are kindly requested to email the applications to [Corina\\_Tan@pmc-sierra.com](mailto:Corina_Tan@pmc-sierra.com) or call her at her mobile number 6012 4050490*

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25 May 2010

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**TECHNICAL**

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**1. Issuance of Notice of Increase under section 107C(10) and section 103, Income Tax Act (ITA), 1967 by the Inland Revenue Board (IRB) to taxpayers**

The IRB has informed the professional bodies that they are in the process of issuing the above notices, in batches to taxpayers for the following cases / categories:

- Under section 107C(10), ITA, where there is an under-estimation of tax in respect of the 30% margin allowed.  
No notice will be issued where the taxpayer has made a payment using *code 155* (for settlement of penalty under section 107C(10)).
- Under section 103, in respect of the non-payment of the tax / balance of tax payable within the stipulated time frame.  
The notices are issued for assessments issued in the calendar year 2009. Taxpayers are advised to make payment using *code 155*.

**2. Tax return self-amendment forms for C, B, BE, M, C1,TA,TC, TR, TF, TF and TP cases for the year of assessment 2009**

The above self-amendment forms have been issued by the IRB. Members may download the relevant forms from the IRB's website at <http://www.hasil.gov.my/lhdnv3/index.jsp?process=4100&newsid=94>. Members are reminded to submit the completed self-amendment forms to the IRB branch where the income tax file is maintained.

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Kind regards,

*Aurobindo Ponniah*  
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27 May 2010

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4 June 2010

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Time : 9.00 am – 5.00 pm  
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**THE IMPOSITION OF SECTION 113(2) PENALTY & TAXPAYERS ACTING IN GOOD FAITH**

**4 CPD Points**

Date : 16 June 2010  
Time : 9.00 am – 12.00 pm  
Venue : Best Western Premier Seri Pacific Hotel, Kuala Lumpur

- ***OPD Sdn Bhd Case: Sect. 113(2) Penalty & The relevance of taxpayers acting in good faith***  
Speaker: Mr S. Saravana Kumar, Advocate & Solicitor, Taxation & Private Clients Practice Group, Lee Hishammuddin Allen & Gledhill
- ***Panel Discussion: Mitigating Sect. 113(2) Penalty: What are the relevant factors?***
  - Mr Jagdev Singh, Senior Executive Director, PricewaterhouseCoopers
  - Mr Soh Lian Seng, Executive Director, KPMG Tax Services Sdn Bhd
  - Mr S. Saravana Kumar, Advocate & Solicitor, Taxation & Private Clients Practice Group, Lee Hishammuddin Allen & Gledhill

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Register **NOW!**

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## **OTHER EVENT**

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### **MAICSA ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2010**

The Malaysian Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators (MAICSA) is organizing the MAICSA Annual Conference for 2010 with the theme '**Governance & Ethical Practices in the Boardroom**'. The Conference will be held at **Hilton Kuala Lumpur** on **19 & 20 July 2010**. Chartered Tax Institute of Malaysia (CTIM) is a supporting body to this Conference. Members of Chartered Tax Institute of Malaysia (CTIM) who register for the Conference will enjoy a preferential registration fee. For further information on the Conference programme and registration details, please click here: [http://www.maicsa.org.my/training\\_conference.aspx](http://www.maicsa.org.my/training_conference.aspx)

### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICES DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION(PSDC)**

Seminar On Goods and Service Tax (GST): Implementation in the Construction and Professional Services Industry

Venue: Bilik Tanjung, Level 6, Ministry of Works, Kuala Lumpur

Date: 17th June 2010

For more information and registration for the seminar, click on <http://www.ctim.org.my/eCtim/GSTRegForm.pdf>

<http://www.ctim.org.my/eCtim/GST%20brochure.pdf>

Please contact Ms Sunita Naidu or Ma Radzatul Mazwin bt Abd Rahim at 603-2698 4045 or email to [sunitha@myspsdc.com](mailto:sunitha@myspsdc.com) should you need further clarification.

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**9 June2010**

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## **PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT & ETHICAL BEHAVIOUR**

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Members are reminded that they must, at all times, bear in mind the Rules & Regulations (on professional conduct and ethics) of the Institute in providing tax services to the public and in working together with other members and the relevant Government agencies.

As a general reminder, some extracts are listed below from the Rules & Regulations of the Institute:

- In accepting or continuing a professional assignment or occupation, a member should always have regard to any factors which might reflect adversely upon his integrity and objectivity in relation to that assignment or occupation.
- A member should follow the ethical guidance of the Institute and, in circumstances not provided for by that guidance, should conduct himself in a manner consistent with the good reputation of the profession and the Institute.
- A member should not undertake within his professional practice business activities which are not compatible with those normally undertaken by tax practitioners.
- No member shall give any assistance or his services by the use of his name or in any other manner to advance or promote any illegal activity of a client.
- No member shall mislead his clients or the public by charging an unrealistically low professional fee which may result in the lowering or compromise of professional standards.
- Fees should not be charged on a contingency, percentage or similar basis, save where that course is authorised by statute or is generally accepted practice for certain specialist work.

Members are also reminded that the Institute had also issued its Investigation & Disciplinary Rules recently. Again, as a general reminder, some relevant extracts are listed below:

- Any person (the Complainant) may bring to the attention of the Secretary of Investigation Committee (IC) any facts or matters (the Complaint) indicating that a member of the Institute (the Relevant Member) may have become liable to

disciplinary action under the Institute's Articles of Association and Rules and Regulations.

- The IC shall investigate any complaint referred to it ..... and determine whether or not the matter is to be referred to the Disciplinary Committee (DC).
- Upon reference of a complaint to the DC and after due inquiry has been made in accordance with the provisions of these Rules, it is found that any member of the Institute is guilty of unprofessional conduct as charged, the DC shall impose any one or any combination of the punishment specified below:
  - (i) order the name of the member to be removed from the register and he shall cease to be a member of the Institute
  - (ii) suspend the member for a period not exceeding three (3) years;
  - (iii) order the practising certificate of the member to be cancelled
  - (iv) impose upon the member a fine not exceeding five thousand ringgit
  - (v) order the member to be admonished, censured or reprimanded
  - (vi) order the member to pay the Institute such sum it deems fit and reasonable in respect of costs and expenses of and incidental to any disciplinary hearing before the DC and any investigation conducted by the IC
  - (vii) order the member to attend a course of instruction approved by the DC for a period of time to be determined by the DC

In specific instances, the Council shall cause the name of the member who committed the offence and the decision of the DC to be published in the official journal of the Institute and/or in any other publications to be determined by the Council. In addition, the Council shall inform all relevant Government licensing authorities and any other interested body of the decision of the DC and the disciplinary punishment imposed upon the member.

Please be guided accordingly.

Executive Director  
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