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Sir/Madam,

INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE 5<sup>TH</sup> MALAYSIA INTERNATIONAL HALAL SHOWCASE (MIHAS 2008); 7 - 11 MAY 2008; MECC, KUALA LUMPUR, MALAYSIA.

Following the success of MIHAS 2007, Malaysia is once again set to host the 5<sup>TH</sup> MALAYSIA INTERNATIONAL HALAL SHOWCASE from 7 - 11 May 2008 at the MATRADE Exhibition And Convention Centre (MECC), Jalan Duta, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

Being a unique trade fair focused in promoting the best of global Halal industry, MIHAS is increasingly catching the attention of our divergent target market around the world.

As Malaysia's largest food & beverage expo and the world's largest halal trade fair, MIHAS 2007 has far exceeded its initial targets in the number of participating exhibitors and visitors received during the five days of the trade fair. A record number of 36, 792 visitors from 64 countries visited the showcase, held for the fourth consecutive year in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

## **MIHAS 2007 STATISTICS**

- 426 companies from 26 countries occupying 514 booths
- **36, 792** visitors from **64** countries
- 3, 215 business matching sessions in 2 trade days by 200 specially invited international buyers from 26 countries under the MATRADE INCOMING BUYING MISSION coordinated by 34 MATRADE offices worldwide
- RM213.9 million in sales generated during business matching

A detailed MIHAS 2007 post show report and other information on MIHAS 2008 is available for viewing and downloading online at **www.halal.com.my**.

As a project hosted by the **MINISTRY OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY (MITI) with strong collaboration with HALAL CONTROL (EU)**, MIHAS will serve as the 'springboard' for foreign businesses to embark into the ASEAN market and the global Muslim market, generally.

Therefore, the **MALAYSIA EXTERNAL TRADE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (MATRADE)** being the organiser of MIHAS is pleased to invite your esteemed organisation to participate in the upcoming MIHAS 2008 and consequently mark your presence at the most sought after halal trading platform.

Please find the rates enclosed in the 'MIHAS 2008 OFFICIAL CONTRACT FORM". Fax the form to the MIHAS Secretariat at +603 6203 4422 or email to <a href="mailto:enquiry@halal.org.my">enquiry@halal.org.my</a>. You may also contact HALAL CONTROL (EU) at Tel.: +49 6142 171283 or email <a href="mailto:MIHAS2008@halalcontrol.info">MIHAS2008@halalcontrol.info</a> for more information on MIHAS.

We look forward to welcoming you at MIHAS 2008, 7-11 May 2008 at MECC, Jalan Duta, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

Thank you.

"TOWARDS THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE GLOBAL HALAL INDUSTRY"

With best regards, for MALAYSIA INTERNATIONAL HALAL SHOWCASE,

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