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**TALKING POINTS
MINISTER OF TRANSPORT, MALAYSIA
MEDIA CONFERENCE
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OPENING

1. Good afternoon and Salam Malaysia MADANI to all distinguished guests, media representatives, government officials, industry leaders, and all respected parties present this afternoon.
2. First and foremost, allow me to express my utmost appreciation and gratitude to everyone who has supported and collaborated in organizing or inaugural transport and logistics expo.

RATIONALE AND OBJECTIVES OF TXA

3. Transport Expo Asia, or TXA, was established as one of the Ministry of Transport's key initiatives to provide a high-impact platform that brings together industry players, policymakers, researchers, and technology providers in a strategic ecosystem





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that supports the national direction in the transport and logistics sectors.

4. The organization of TXA aligns with the Ministry's role in accelerating the implementation of various core policies, including the National Transport Policy 2019–2030, the National Logistics and Trade Facilitation Master Plan, Green Initiatives, and the National Digitalisation Policy. These efforts support the nation's aspiration for a more sustainable, efficient, resilient, and globally competitive transportation system.

5. Besides serving as an exhibition and forum platform, TXA also plays a crucial role in bridging the gap between government policy aspirations and ground-level implementation through open dialogue and the sharing of best practices across the public and private sectors.

6. Participation in TXA offers industry players and vendors the opportunity not only to showcase their innovations but also to build strategic networks, gain market insights, and explore collaborative opportunities that support their growth and operational efficiency.





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7. The TXA series will begin with an inaugural event—TXA 2025—which will run for three full days from 11 to 13 November 2025, held here at Sama-Sama Hotel, KLIA. TXA 2026 is expected to take place in the third quarter of next year and will subsequently be held biennially. TXA 2025 & 2026 will share a theme:

“Future On The Move: Digital, Sustainable Transport, Agile Logistics & ESG-Driven Supply Chains”.

8. The objective of this year's inaugural series is to serve as a launchpad for a larger-scale event in the following year.

9. TXA 2025 is targeting the participation of over 80 exhibiting companies, comprising leading industry players in logistics, transport technology, digital solutions, automation, and multimodal transport infrastructure.

10. The expo this year is also expected to attract more than 3,000 professional trade visitors, including investors, corporate decision-makers, transport and logistics operators, as well as technical agency representatives from local and international backgrounds. This includes ASEAN country delegations made up of Secretaries-





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General and officials from Ministries of Transport and related Government agencies.

11. Additionally, around 1,000 delegates from academia, government agencies, government-linked companies (GLCs), and technology firms will participate in thematic sessions scheduled throughout the event.

12. TXA's content focus will revolve around five main clusters within the transportation and logistics industry:

1. **Transport & Forwarding** – covering maritime, air, rail, third-party logistics (or 3PL), and land transport including EVs and multimodal modes;
2. **Warehousing & Material Handling** – including automated warehouse systems, handling technology, packaging, and distribution;
3. **Cold Chain** – covering temperature-controlled logistics solutions and smart monitoring systems for the food and pharmaceutical industries;





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4. **Logistics IT & Application** – involving digital applications such as logistics management software, data collection sensors, real-time monitoring, and data security;
5. **Support Services** – including cargo insurance, human resource training, customs compliance, and trade licensing.

13. TXA is also supported by the participation of more than 25 technical agencies and departments under the Ministry of Transport Malaysia, making this event a comprehensive collaboration platform among policymakers, regulators, implementers, and industry players.

14. Alongside TXA 2025, the Ministry of Transport is also taking the initiative to organize a complementary program, the Road Safety Congress. This will be the first time the event is held, and it will become an annual event under the Ministry.

15. One of the main objectives of the Road Safety Congress is to raise awareness about the importance of road safety and ways to reduce accident risks in society. Furthermore, the platform will help





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foster strong collaboration between government agencies and the private sector to enhance safety levels and prevent road accidents in the country.

MALAYSIA'S POSITION & CLOSING

Ladies & Gentleman,

16. Malaysia is currently on a strong trajectory within the regional transport and logistics ecosystem. According to the World Bank's Logistics Performance Index (LPI) 2023 report, Malaysia ranks 26th globally—an impressive 15-spot improvement from the previous year. This achievement is a result of policy implementation and digitalisation initiatives by various government agencies, focusing not just on logistics but on the broader transport sector.

17. Among ASEAN countries, Malaysia now ranks second after Singapore. This reflects the country's capability to provide competitive and high-quality transport services, including road networks, highways, rail systems, and efficient public transportation.

18. The organization of TXA 2025 comes at a most opportune time to leverage this momentum in transport and logistics performance. It aims to strengthen collaboration between government and





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industry in tackling the pressing challenges of globalization, automation, and sustainability.

19. I call upon the entire transportation and logistics community, investors, enforcement agencies, academic partners, and representatives of non-governmental organizations to seize this opportunity, participate as attendees, strategic partners (exhibitors, sponsors), or idea contributors in dialogue and collaborative matching sessions.

20. With the collaborative spirit and values of inclusivity that we embrace here, I am confident that TXA will mark a new chapter in the development of the nation's transport and logistics sector. It will not only elevate Malaysia's position as a key player in the global trade network but also strengthen a more efficient and sustainable domestic transport system.

21. Once again, I extend my deepest appreciation for everyone's presence here. I hope TXA 2025 marks the beginning of a smarter, greener, and more competitive future for our national transport and logistics system.





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22. With that, I hereby officially launch Transport Expo Asia 2025 or TXA 2025.

Thank you!

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