



Malaysia Competition Commission

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and related International Event**

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INTRODUCTION

- **Definition of Technical Assistance and Capacity Building Programmes:**

Technical assistance – *to the sharing of skills, best practices and knowledge with a competition regulatory body (or other authority) by other competition regulatory bodies, donor agencies and international organisations.*

Capacity building – *to a more indigenous process of putting in place sustainable competition policy frameworks and processes necessary for effective competition policy administration, enforcement, advocacy and the future development of the competition regulatory body.*

MyCC EXPERIENCE IN COMPETITION LAW TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

Long-Term Technical Assistance:

- Staff Attachment Programmes i.e. *MyCC officers to ACCC (2013) & CCS (2014)*
- Secondment Programmes i.e. *ACCC experts to MyCC in 2013 & 2015*
- Technical advisor i.e. *ACCC experts to MyCC in 2013 & 2015*

Recent Technical Assistance:

- Study visits/Working Visits by MyCC i.e. *OFT (2013), CMA (2015), CCS (2013 & 2014), TCA (2014), ACCC (2012) & KPPU (2013 & 2016)*
- Training Courses i.e. *APEC (2012), EAC & EATOP (2013), AEGC Workshops*
- Conferences and Forum i.e. *ICN, OECD, UNCTAD, EATOP & ACC*
- In-Country workshop - Targeted programmes i.e. *GIZ & CLIP Workshops*
- Ad-hoc assistance – dispatched experts/speakers to workshops i.e. *JFTC*

EFFECTIVE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR MyCC

- Good work plan – *ownership and commitment*.
- Availability of the resources – *involvement of enforcers*.
- Identification of needs - *Particular needs of technical assistance*
- Coordination of initiatives.
- Adherence to country – *specific needs*.
- Proportionality to the capacity of countries.
- Involvement of other competition regulatory bodies, international and regional entities and fora on competition.
- Graduality and continuity.
- Evaluation of the programme.

CONCLUSION

- Different needs that could be met through Technical Assistance:
 - Improving the capacity to advocate to government officers and the general public on the benefits of competition policy and foster a culture of competition.
 - Building technical (legal and economic) skills necessary for the establishment and implementation of national competition policy.
 - Developing a sound institutional framework and due processes for the competition regulatory body.
 - Improving the competition regulatory body's capacity to educate the public about the objectives and scope of competition policy.

Conference on “Antitrust in Asia: Achievements, Concerns and Challenges” (ESSEC)*

Singapura, 25 April 2016



**AANZFTA Competition Law Implementation Program
Training Program for MyCC Investigators
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia 25-27 May 2016**



Regional Workshop On Economic Analysis For Competition Law Enforcement

The Everly Hotel, Putrajaya 1-2 June 2016



OECD Competition Law Workshop
Sector Workshop – Competition Rules In The Financial Sector
Seoul, Korea 22-24 June 2016



OECD Competition Law Workshop

Sector Workshop - Competition Rules in the Financial Sector

Competition Programme, OECD-Korea Policy Centre 22-24 June 2016 Seoul, Korea

**6th ASEAN Competition Conference (ACC)
To Advance Cartel Detection And Enforcement Of Leniency
Programme In The Cross-Border Context
Bangkok, Thailand 27-28 July 2016**



AANZFTA Competition Law Implementation Program Cartel Investigations Module One Workshop Hoi An, Vietnam 2-4 August 2016



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