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CICM RESPONSIBLE CARE RUN 2017

Shah Alam, August 20 – The Chemical Industries Council of Malaysia (CICM) organized the Responsible Care Run 2017 this morning at the Taman Botani Negara Shah Alam in Selangor. The run was flagged off by Yang Hormat Dato' Muhtar Hashim, Chairman of CICM Responsible Care Committee and also members of the CICM Executive Committee.

This was the eighth run organized by CICM and almost 1 000 runners participated in the event's various categories, which were the Men and Women Open, Men and Women Veteran, Men Junior Veteran and Senior Veteran, covering distances of 21 km, 10 km and 5 km respectively. Among the runners were members of the public, as well as representatives of Responsible Care signatories and CICM member companies. Fifteen teams comprising CICM member companies and Responsible Care signatories also competed in the special corporate category of 10km and 5km.

CICM is the national industry association representing the chemical industry in Malaysia. It is the main steward in Malaysia for the global and voluntary Responsible Care initiative, which aims to continuously improve the safety, health and environmental performance of the chemical industries and to dispel any negative image, which the public has of the chemical industries.

This run was organized in line with the Responsible Care's Community Awareness and Emergency Response Code, which requires chemical companies and the chemical industry to communicate with all stakeholders on its safety, health and environmental efforts, including the general public. Alongside the run, various activities promoting Responsible Care and safety were organized by CICM and its member companies. Basic health screening was also provided, courtesy of the Sri Kota Specialist Medical Centre, Klang.

The run continued to receive generous support and corporate sponsorships from chemical companies which are signatories to the Responsible Care initiative in Malaysia. ICE Petroleum Engineering Sdn Bhd is the Platinum sponsor for this year's run.

Other corporate sponsors include Linde Malaysia Sdn Bhd (as Gold sponsor), Brenntag Sdn Bhd, CCM Chemicals Sdn Bhd, FPG Oleochemicals Sdn Bhd, Jepsen & Jessen Ingredients Sdn Bhd, MS Global AG – Branch Malaysia (A Covestro Company), Palm-Oleo Sdn Bhd, Schaefer Kalk (M) Sdn Bhd, Synthomer Sdn Bhd, WWRC Malaysia Sdn Bhd (as Silver Sponsors), and Taman Botani Negara Shah Alam, BASF PETRONAS Chemicals Sdn Bhd, Fatty Chemical (M) Sdn Bhd, Pacers Sport Enterprise, Sri Kota Specialist Medical Centre, Klang, Delfi Marketing Sdn Bhd, BioTechUSA™ Endurance Malaysia, Trinity Ludus, and Kawan Food Manufacturing Sdn Bhd (as co-sponsors and supporters).

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Enclosure:

- Speech by CICM Deputy Chairman & Chairman of CICM Responsible Care Committee
- CICM Responsible Care Run Brochure
- Profile of Chemical Industries Council of Malaysia (CICM)
- Details on Responsible Care in Malaysia

