

MIEA ADVISORY

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TO : ALL MEMBERS

FROM: MIEA SECRETARIAT

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Our MIEA President and Board of Directors wishes all Members a Happy and Prosperous 2020!

Please be advised that Sales & Service Tax (SST) was re-implemented on 1 Sep 2018 following the abolishment of Goods & Services Tax (GST) on 1 Jun 2018. During the GST era, MIEA events were subjected to GST effective 1 Apr 2015 until 31 May 2018. Since the re-implementation of SST, we do not have a clear directive to collect SST.

However, the Royal Malaysia Custom Department, under new guidelines has advised us that all events and training programme are classified as event management, training and coaching services which falls under taxable services. As such we are obligated to collect 6% Services Tax with effect from 1 Feb 2020. In view of this, we are compelled to collect the 6% Services Tax on registration fee for NCC classes, MAREC Summit, National Real Estate Awards dinner and Sponsorship monies received.

We seek your understanding and cooperation as this is an "order" from the Royal Malaysia Custom Department and we have to adhere.

Thanking you for your continuous support.

Thank you.

K. Soma Sundam Chief Executive Officer