

BPAM RELEASES THE WINNERS LIST OF THE BPAM BOND MARKET AWARDS 2025

Kuala Lumpur, 17 March 2025 – Bond Pricing Agency Malaysia Sdn Bhd (BPAM) is pleased to announce the winners of the BPAM Bond Market Awards 2025, recognizing outstanding achievements in the Malaysian bond and sukuk market for the calendar year of 2024.

The awards cover key categories such as Top Issuance, Top Traded Amount, Top Lead Arranger, and Top Trustee across the conventional, sukuk, and ESG bond market segments. The winners were selected based on their impactful contributions to the Malaysian fixed income market, reflecting the industry's resilience and growth.

"These awards celebrate the remarkable accomplishments of market participants who continue to drive Malaysia's fixed income landscape forward," said En. Meor Amri Meor Ayob, BPAM's Chief Executive Officer and Executive Director. "Despite global economic challenges, Malaysia's primary bond market remains strong, with robust issuance activity, while the secondary market continues to experience higher trade volumes."

In 2024, Malaysia's bond and sukuk markets saw issuances totalling MYR 437.4 billion, while secondary market trading volume reached MYR 1.17 trillion, compared to MYR 547.5 billion in new issuances and MYR 1.07 trillion in trading volume in 2023.

Meanwhile, the demand for ESG-focused bonds continues to grow, underscoring an increasing commitment to sustainable finance. Investors are placing greater emphasis on green, social, and sustainability-linked bonds, recognising their vital role in fostering long-term economic resilience and environmental progress. This trend is evident in Malaysia's ESG bond market, where primary issuances in 2024 totalled MYR 17.82 billion, while secondary market trading volume reached MYR 17.12 billion, compared to MYR 14.70 billion and MYR 16.03 billion in the previous year

"The momentum in sustainable finance is critical to securing long-term economic stability. We applaud the efforts of all winners in fostering a more sustainable and dynamic bond market," added Meor Amri Meor Ayob.

For more details on the BPAM Bond Market Awards, please visit BPAM's website at: <u>https://www.bpam.com.my/bpam-bond-market-awards</u>

Winners based on the BPAM Bond League Tables are as follows:

Category	Company	Amount
Top Issuance – Overall	Cagamas Berhad	MYR 15.75 bil
Top Issuance – Conventional	Cagamas Berhad	MYR 4.74 bil
Top Issuance – Islamic	Maybank Islamic Berhad	MYR 15.00 bil
Top Traded Amount – Overall	DanaInfra Nasional Berhad	MYR 25.18 bil
Top Traded Amount – Conventional	Cagamas Berhad	MYR 3.30 bil
Top Traded Amount – Islamic	DanaInfra Nasional Berhad	MYR 25.18 bil
Top Lead Arranger – Overall	CIMB Investment Bank Berhad	MYR 50.69 bil
Top Lead Arranger – Conventional	CIMB Investment Bank Berhad	MYR 10.90 bil
Top Lead Arranger – Islamic	Maybank Investment Bank Berhad	MYR 40.40 bil
Top Trustee – Overall	Malaysian Trustees Berhad	MYR 118.09 bil
Top Trustee – Conventional	Malaysian Trustees Berhad	MYR 16.05 bil
Top Trustee – Islamic	Malaysian Trustees Berhad	MYR 102.03 bil

Winners based on the BPAM ESG Bond League Tables are as follows:

Category	Company	Amount
ESG Top Issuance	Malaysia Rail Link Sdn Berhad	MYR 4.50 bil
ESG Top Traded Amount	Amanat Lebuhraya Rakyat Berhad	MYR 2.31 bil
ESG Top Lead Arranger	Maybank Investment Bank Berhad	MYR 2.46 bil
ESG Top Trustee	Malaysian Trustee Berhad	MYR 5.98 bil

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