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PUTRAJAYA: The BioMalaysia & Asean Bioeconomy Conference & Exhibition 2015 is slated to introduce a business-to-consumer aspect as participants look forward to purchasing an array of healthcare and wellness bio-products.

Hosted by the Science, Technology and Innovation Ministry and BiotechCorp, the three-day event from Aug 17 at the Putra World Trade Centre here is set to bring biotechnology companies from Asean and other regions together.

The event, themed "Asean Bioeconomy: Biodiversity to Wellness", will feature discussions on biomedicine, bioeconomy, bio-industry and agbiotech.

Science, Technology and Innovation Minister Datuk Dr Ewon Ebin said the global wellness market was worth US\$3.4 trillion (RM13 trillion) and growing rapidly while having a significant impact on the nation's economy and Asean region.

He said Malaysia was the first country in Southeast Asia and the second in Asia to declare bioeconomy initiatives that brought various socio-economic benefits to the nation as a result of steady development of bio-based sectors.

"We are confident of the capabilities of our bio-industry. This event will provide a two-way partnership, encourage growth and deliver economic benefits to the region.

"We look forward to collaborating with Asean members to form an Asean-level Bioeconomy Cooperation, as the event will launch an enhanced market access apart from fostering joint activities, policy strategies and actions.



Science, Technology and Innovation Minister **Datuk Dr Ewon Ebin** (centre) showing the floor plan of the BioMalaysia & Asean Bioeconomy Conference & Exhibition 2015 yesterday. With him are ministry secretary-general **Datuk Seri Noorul Ainur Mohd Nur** (left) and BiotechCorp chief executive officer **Datuk Dr Mohd Nazlee Kamal**. Pic by Ahmad Irham Mohd Noor

"Cambodia has already confirmed that it will participate in the event. We are looking forward to seeing more innovative and breakthroughs in bio-industries," he said at a press conference here recently.

Ewon said more than 250 local and international exhibitors were participating, including those from the Gulf Cooperation Council, multinational companies, government bodies and agencies.

BiotechCorp chief executive officer Datuk Dr Mohd Nazlee Kamal said the event would be special for them as the company celebrated its 10th anniversary and Malaysia's Asean chairmanship.

"It is befitting that BioMalaysia this year focuses on Asean Bioeconomy in the region. Bio-based tech-

nology can be a game changer to tackle Asean economic challenges as it offers a gateway for innovation and growth within the sphere."

More than 10,000 local and international visitors were expected to attend the event, which would also feature 15 local and five international speakers from various ministries of Asean countries.

The 13th BioMalaysia will be officiated by Deputy Prime Minister Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin.

Highlights at the event include the exhibition, conferences, BioCareer activities, BioShopee showcases and sales, business matching, product and services presentations and new launches. For details, visit www.biomalaysia.com.my and www.biotechcorp.com.my.

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5. Tech update: (from left) Science, Technology and Innovation Ministry deputy secretary-general of policy Datuk Seri Dr Mohd Azhar Hj Yahaya, Minister Datuk Dr Ewon Ebin and MIMOS Bhd president and CEO Datuk Abdul Wahab Abdullah at the launch of the National Internet of Things (IoT) Strategic Roadmap, a guideline for IoT implementation in Malaysia.

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200 Orang Dijangka Sertai Forum Pertama Pemimpin, CEO R&D Global 2015

KUALA LUMPUR, 10 Julai (Bernama) -- Forum Pemimpin dan Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif (CEO) Penyelidikan dan Pembangunan (R&D) Global 2015 yang akan dianjurkan buat julung kalinya bulan depan, dijangka menarik 200 penyertaan dari luar negara.

[Program itu adalah anjuran Akademi Sains Malaysia \(ASM\) di bawah Kementerian Sains, Teknologi dan Inovasi \(MOSTI\).](#)

[Presiden ASM, Tan Sri Dr Ahmad Tajuddin Ali](#), berkata forum dijadualkan berlangsung di Hotel Pullman, Kuching, Sarawak pada 5-6 Ogos, 2015 akan disertai kalangan saintis, penggiat industri, pembuat dasar serta ahli akademik.

Bertemakan 'Injecting Soul into R&D,' forum itu bertujuan menghimpunkan barisan pakar serta pihak yang berkepentingan untuk sama-sama merintis jalan, membangun serta mencari penyelesaian kepada cabaran sejagat seperti kemiskinan, kekurangan zat makanan dan perubahan cuaca, katanya.

"Di Malaysia, kira-kira 40 peratus isirumah berpendapatan kurang RM3,050 sebulan. Inilah yang perlukan perhatian kita," katanya pada sidang media, di sini, hari ini.

Antara topik yang bakal dibincangkan termasuk kemampuan kewangan dan impak pelaburan, memanfaatkan inovasi sosial dan keusahawanan serta perkongsian teknologi.

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