

## China-Malaysia Port Alliance 1<sup>ST</sup> Quarter Report July – Sept 2016

The 1<sup>st</sup> China-Malaysia Port Alliance (CMPA) meeting was held in Ningbo, China on the 13<sup>th</sup> July 2016. The parties agreed to further implement relevant actions to strengthen the communication and cooperation between ports of China and Malaysia and to accelerate long term development of port business based on pragmatic conditions. It is decided that the CMPA meetings will be held on an annual basis and for the Secretariat meeting to be held twice a year. The Secretariat for this initiative will be Port Kelang Authority for Malaysia and China Ports and Harbours Association for China. In light of the objective, Malaysian Port Alliance has proposed FIVE (5) projects under this framework and will be led by each respective ports in Malaysia. The Projects are as follows:

1. Project 1: *E-Port Community Exchange platform to share information database*
2. Project 2: *Human Resource Training and Development programs for Port Personnel*
3. Project 3: *Best practices in ports and logistics industry*
4. Project 4: Mutual promotion efforts to support ports in both country
5. Project 5: *Port terminal investment, operations, and development*

The 1<sup>st</sup> Secretariat Meeting under the Malaysian Port Alliance was held on the 19<sup>th</sup> August 2016. The meeting was attended by all six Malaysian Ports representatives and was briefed of the outcome of the China-Malaysia Port Alliance Meeting that was held in Ningbo, China.

It was agreed during the meeting that the Malaysian Secretariat meeting shall be held twice every three (3) months and every ports will take turn in organizing the meeting.

The Malaysian Secretariat will be preparing a report on a quarterly basis to be submitted to the China Ports Alliance Secretariat and requesting them to do the same.

### **Malaysian Port Alliance Projects**

1. **Project 1: E-Port Community Exchange platform to share information database**

This Project will be led by Port Kelang Authority (PKA). Its objective is to create a common platform that integrates and connect Malaysian Ports with China

