

Regional Training Series 2014

Northern Region | Kedah, Penang, Perak and Perlis

Seminar on Personal Data Protection Act 2010 and Its Implications



10 Apr 2014 (Thursday) | 2:00 pm to 5:30 pm

Bayview Georgetown Hotel
25-A Farquhar Street, 10200 Penang

Registration fees

Members of the Bar RM60 | Non-Members RM120
Pupils in Chambers RM30 | Law Students RM30

CPD Code: T3/10042014/RTS/PGB4624/3

The Penang Bar Committee, in collaboration with the Bar Council Continuing Professional Development Department, is organising a seminar to provide an overview and update of the current trends relating to personal data protection regulations in Malaysia.

The Personal Data Protection Act 2010 ("Act") was gazetted on 10 June 2010 and came into force on 15 Nov 2013. The Act seeks to regulate the processing of personal data of individuals involved in commercial transactions, by data users, so as to provide protection to the individual's personal data, thereby safeguarding the interests of such individuals.

The speaker will share his views on the laws relating to information governance, particularly the Act.

The seminar will cover:

- (1) Privacy and confidentiality laws in Malaysia;
- (2) Introduction to the Act;
- (3) Unlawful collection of personal data and its offences;
- (4) Registration of data users;
- (5) Implications of the Act on business operations;
- (6) How to comply with the Act;
- (7) Lawyers' obligations to comply with the Act and consequences of non-compliance; and
- (8) A comparison with other jurisdictions, and foreign precedents.

Registration for the seminar will begin at 1:30 pm.

About the Speaker

Raphael Tay is a Partner at Messrs Chooi & Co. He was admitted to the High Court of Malaya in 1986 and has been in practice for an uninterrupted period of 27 years. His legal experience includes corporate and commercial law, mergers and acquisitions, and information technology. He is also a Notary Public.

His knowledge in the economies and politics of South East Asia has made him a regular speaker at seminars and conferences organised by both private and government sectors. He was the Chairperson of the International Malaysia Law Conference 2012 Organising Committee. He is currently the Co-Chairperson of the Bar Council Professional Standards and Development Committee and Chairperson of the Bar Council Publications Committee, and the Chairman of the LAWASIA Moot Standing Committee. He also lectures pupils in chambers on behalf of the Bar Council and Ethics Committee.

Raphael Tay is currently the Editor-in-Chief of *Praxis*.

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Address: _____

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Date: _____ Signature: _____

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- (2) Cheque or bank draft, payable to "Penang Bar Committee"; or
- (3) Cash payment, at the Penang Bar Committee Secretariat.

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Points for the Continuing Professional Development ("CPD") Scheme will not be awarded to Members of the Bar who arrive more than 15 minutes late, are not present throughout the event, or leave before its scheduled end.

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