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at
YAYASAN UTP CHARITY GOLF
In conjunction with ESTCON 2018

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Kelab Golf Sultan Abdul Aziz Shah (KGSAAS)

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Distinguished Guests,

Generous Sponsors,

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Assalamualaikum warahmatullahi wabarakatuh, salam sejahtera and a very good morning.

On behalf of Universiti Teknologi PETRONAS (UTP) and Yayasan UTP, it gives me great pleasure to welcome you to this auspicious event held in conjunction with the World Engineering Science And Technology Congress or ESTCON2018 which was held on 13 until 15 August 2018 in Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre. ESTCON 2018 has been another great success for UTP. We have received positive feedback and reviews from the delegates and visitors. The three-day congress was one of the world's largest congresses Malaysia has ever hosted which comprises ten simultaneously-held international conferences discussing on latest trends and topics in engineering, science, technologies and humanities in line with the theme 'Science, Technology & Humanities: Reinventing the Future'.

A total of 683 papers were presented by almost 700 delegates from 37 countries who came from various background of expertise in establishing a sustainable and better quality of life.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

This year, the charity golf which is known as Yayasan UTP Charity Golf hopes to continue the tradition of our University Social Responsibility through golf. Your participation in this golf tournament will contribute to Yayasan UTP, a fund specifically dedicated to helping deserving students to support their studies at the university.

We hope that through this charity golf event, we are able to raise funds for UTP Bursary to be awarded to deserving students in order to support their studies at the university. Since its inception in 2007, Yayasan UTP has awarded bursaries amounting to RM6.7 million that has benefited more than 1000 students for the past 7 years. Thus any amount of donation such as your contribution in the charity golf tournament today has considerable impacts on the welfare and wellbeing of these students.

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My heartiest appreciation also goes to UTP alumni and parent for your support. I hope all of us here today will continue the good work and service to our community, and in particular to the students who will be grateful beneficiaries because of your kind hearts.

Moving forward, I hope that we will have your support for our 18th Convocation Ceremony which is just around the corner on the 18 November. Some pre-events include Go Green ConvoRun on 27 October, ConvoRide on 4 November and ConvoFest from 14 to 18 November.

Lastly, I hope you have enjoyed your game today. Once again, thank you very much for your support.