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TAN SRI DATUK SERI LEE LAM THYE JP APPOINTED CHAIRMAN OF MALAYSIAN INSTITUTE OF ROAD SAFETY RESEARCH

KAJANG, 3 APRIL 2015 – Malaysian Institute of Road Safety Research (MIROS) is delighted to announce the appointment of Tan Sri Datuk Seri Lee Lam Thye JP as Chairman of MIROS Board of Directors by the Minister of Transport, Dato' Sri Liow Tiong Lai.

Commenting on his appointment, Tan Sri said it was an honour to take up the appointment and he would do his best to lead the Institute and strive to achieve its objectives.

Other eight members of the MIROS Board of Directors include, Datuk Dr. Ismail Haji Bakar, YM Tunku Datuk Mudzaffar Tunku Mustapha, SAC Dato' Mohd. Fuad Abd. Latiff, Dato' Sri Ismail Ahmad, Dato' Ir. Haji Annies Md Ariff, Professor Dr. Wong Shaw Voon, Haji Azman Ismail, and Encik Ezleezan Othman.

MIROS Act 2012 is enacted by the Parliament of Malaysia as a statutory body under the Ministry on Transport Malaysia to carry out studies and evaluates current procedures on road safety. MIROS serves as a central repository of knowledge and information on road safety. The findings derived from research and evidence-based intervention programmes provide a basis for the formulation of new strategies, legislations, policies, and enforcement measures, governing road safety at national level.

Principally engaged in research, MIROS collaborates closely with local and international government agencies and private organizations to further the cause of road safety.

MIROS aims to:-

1. Conduct high impact research that will be translated into road safety policies.
2. Develop national objectives, policies, and priorities for the orderly development and administration of road safety research.
3. Enhance and increase knowledge based on new developments in issues related to road safety.
4. Serve as an audit and accreditation agency in curriculum design and standards on road safety.
5. Propose evidenced-based cost-effective interventions/ programmes.
6. Serve as a repository of knowledge and linkage on road safety.
7. Serve as a centre providing consultation and advice on road safety issues.

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