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In light of current developments in the Middle East conflict and in furtherance to the statement by Prime Minister Dato' Seri Anwar bin Ibrahim, the Securities Commission Malaysia (SC) and Bursa Malaysia have increased our market monitoring and surveillance to ensure activities in the Malaysian capital market remain stable, fair and orderly.

We would like to assure that our market fundamentals remain strong and our intermediaries are well capitalised. We also have a robust system in place to ensure continuous and effective clearing and settlement of trades. Additionally, we have the necessary controls in place to address potential sharp increase in volatility in the equity market.

We will continue to assess the situation very closely to ensure the integrity of our capital market remains intact.

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About the Securities Commission Malaysia:

The Securities Commission Malaysia (SC), a statutory body reporting to the Minister of Finance, was established under the Securities Commission Act 1993. It is the sole regulatory agency for the regulation and development of capital markets. The SC has direct responsibility for supervising and monitoring the activities of market institutions, including the exchanges and clearing houses, and regulating all persons licensed under the Capital Markets and Services Act 2007. More information about the SC is available on its website at www.sc.com.my. Follow the SC on our social media channels @SecComMalaysia for more updates.

About Bursa Malaysia:

Bursa Malaysia is an Exchange holding company incorporated in 1976 and listed in 2005. It has grown to be one of the largest bourses in ASEAN. Today, Bursa Malaysia operates and regulates a multi-asset exchange, offering a comprehensive range of investment, capital raising, and exchange-related facilities. Bursa Malaysia is committed to its mission of Creating Opportunities, Growing Value for the Malaysian capital market, economy, and society. Learn more at bursamalaysia.com.

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