# MTDC achieves ISMS ISO 27001 certification

KUALA LUMPUR: Malaysian Technology Development Corporation (MTDC), the leading strategic investment company in Malaysia for growth up till companies ready for listing has successfully achieved ISMS ISO 27001 certification with the support of Nexagate Sdn.Bhd., MTDC's own ecosystem company and a leading provider of cybersecurity solutions. The ISO certification was presented to MTDC's Chief Executive Officer, Tuan Hj Mohammad Hazani Hj Hassan by SIRIM QAS International Sdn Bhd's Chief Executive Officer Puan Nur Fadhilah Muhammad in a ceremony.

The ISMS ISO 27001 certification is an international standard approved by SIRIM QAS International Sdn Bhd that provides a framework for managing and protecting sensitive information. By achieving this certification, MTDC demonstrates its commitment to information secu-rity, which is crucial to the growth of Industry 4.0 in Malaysia. This ensures that sensitive information is adequately protected against unauthorized access or theft, en-abling MTDC to further drive the technological advancement of the nation.

"We are elated to have achieved the ISMS ISO 27001 certification with the help of Nexagate," said Tuan Hj Mohammad Hazani Hj Hassan, Chief Executive Officer of MTDC. "This cer-tification reflects our unwavering commitment to information security, which is essential for MTDC to deliver world-class technology solutions to our clients with confidence in the se-curity and privacy of their data. The aim is to make sure that there is a level of protection for the confiden-tiality, availability, and integrity of information within the defined scope."

MTDC's core activities, which in-clude strategic investments and fund-ing, Centre of 9 Pillars® (Co9P®), Technology centres, Technology and Business Advisory Services, and Technopreneur Training Academy (TENTRA), are all covered by the ISMS certification.

This certification covers 7 MTDC locations namely its headquarters in Menara Yayasan Tun Razak, UPM-MTDC Technology Centre TIC I and TIC III, Serdang, UKM-MTDC Technol-ogy Centre, Bangi, UiTM-MTDC Technopreneur Centre, Shah Alam, and FRIM-MTDC Technology Centre, Kepong.

Nexagate played a crucial role in assisting MTDC in achieving the cer-tification by providing expert guid-ance and support throughout the process. Nexagate's team of experi-enced professionals helped MTDC to identify, assess, and manage risks as-sociated with information security, ensuring that the organisation was fully prepared for the certification audit. –Bernama