

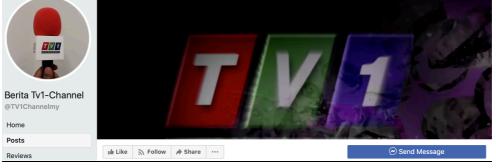




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DSA 2020 & NATSEC ASIA 2020 DEFERRED

Kuala Lumpur, 12 May 2020 - The Defence Services Asia (DSA) 2020 and **NATSEC Asia** 

2020 exhibitions have been deferred by almost two years to 28 - 31 March 2022. The

announcement was made by DSA Exhibition And Conference Sdn. Bhd., the organiser of both

events, which have been touted as the largest defence and security exhibitions in Asia.

The decision was made following exhaustive consideration with various stakeholders including

the Malaysian Ministry of Defence, Ministry of Home Affairs and Malaysian Armed Forces,

who are the co-organisers. Initially slated for April 2020 at the Malaysia International Trade

and Exhibition Centre (MITEC), the mega events were postponed to August following the

Covid-19 outbreak. As the crisis escalated, it was deemed in the best interest of all parties

involved to defer the event to early 2022.

Said Tan Sri Asmat Kamaludin, Chairman of DSA Exhibition & Conference, "Truly, this was

a heavy decision to make. However the health and wellbeing of everyone concerned remains

our utmost and uncompromised priority. As such, the current situation of

longer makes it conducive to hold these events in 2020. While many alternative dates were

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studied, we realized it is in the best interest of all parties involved that the event be deferred to

early 2022."

"With more than 1,500 participating companies from over 60 countries, some 350 VIP

delegations from 30 countries and the expected 50,000 visitors from all corners of the world,

it was only prudent to look at a revised date. We wanted to ensure a conducive and productive

business environment for our stakeholders, exhibitors and visitors when the events gets

"We extend our sincere and heartfelt sympathies to all those who have been affected and hope

that the rescheduled dates will ensure DSA 2022 and NATSEC Asia 2022 continue to serve as

an integral platform to encourage foreign technology exchange and partnerships, as well as

enhance cooperation to strengthen national defence and security," added Tan Sri Asmat

Kamaludin.

The two mega events will feature focused segments involving not just a conventional defence

platform but also Cyber Defence, Unmanned Systems and Battlefield

Invaluable opportunities abound for strategic alliances, business collaboration and successful

networking between major players in the defence and securities and government agencies at

DSA 2022 and NATSEC Asia 2022.

The DSA 2022 and NATSEC Asia 2022 are hosted, supported and coorganised by the

Malaysian Ministry of Defence (MINDEF) and Ministry of Home Affairs. For

information, visit www.dsaexhibition.com.

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