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***EXPANDING TO MEET GROWING DEMAND FOR QUALITY
HEALTHCARE:
PILE-CAPPING CEREMONY FOR TMC LIFE SCIENCES GROUP'S RE-
BRANDED THOMSON HOSPITAL KOTA DAMANSARA***

PETALING JAYA, 18 JULY 2018 (Wednesday) – Tropicana Medical Centre is now officially re-branded Thomson Hospital Kota Damansara ('THKD') following its Re-branding and Pile-Capping Ceremony in Kota Damansara earlier today. The ceremony was graced by YB Tuan Haji Shatiri Bin Mansor, Member of State Assembly Kota Damansara and hosted by Professor Emeritus Dato' Dr Khalid Bin Abdul Kadir, Chairman of TMC Life Sciences Berhad ('TMCLS') and attended by more than 100 partners and guests. Also present were TMCLS's directors, management and staff.

Speaking at the ceremony, Professor Emeritus Dato' Dr Khalid said *"I have been with Tropicana Medical Centre since its inception in 2008. I grew with the Hospital and its heritage will forever be a part of us"*.

He continued, *"Today marks a significant step forward in the history of the Hospital and TMC Life Sciences. Today we mark the completion of piling works for the expansion of the Hospital. And today, we officially launch our re-branded Hospital – Tropicana Medical Centre is now Thomson Hospital Kota Damansara. This rebranding reflects our becoming a member of one of the largest listed private healthcare groups in Asia – Thomson Medical Group. I'm happy and excited that now, we are a member of Thomson Medical Group Limited, a larger healthcare platform with counterparts from Singapore and Indonesia. These ties not only allow us to cross-refer patients, but also share knowledge and expertise among our doctors, nurses and allied health professionals"*.

THKD's Chief Executive Officer and TMCLS's Group Chief Corporate Office, Wan Nadiah Wan Mohammad Yaakob said, *"The re-branding exercise is timely and in sync with our blueprint to expand our foothold both locally and internationally. Here in THKD, we will soon be having additional 400 beds, and 500 beds in the pipeline for our Thomson Iskandar Medical Hub at Vantage Bay Johor, making it a total of 1,100 beds, one of the largest private healthcare providers in Malaysia"*.

"We want to be THE Brand that our patients trust and go to when they require medical attention. The Thomson brand shall serve as your one-stop Brand for all your healthcare needs from young to old", Nadiah added.

Guest-of-Honour YB Tuan Haji Shatiri said *“Community health is the core of the nation’s development. Over the years, the government had implemented various awareness campaigns, initiatives and subsidies such as MammoSel and Skim Peduli Sihat which was launched by the Selangor state last two years ago, to encourage more citizens to take their first steps to do health screenings and routine checks”*.

He further added *“All these initiatives and programmes are being extended to the private hospitals as well. With Thomson Hospital’s expansion, as mentioned by Professor Emeritus Khalid, I’m happy that the Kota Damansara community will have more quality choices/options on top of the healthcare facilities provided by the government. I always believe that government and private sectors must work hand-in-hand for the betterment of the country”*.

Nadiah continued, *“Today’s pile-capping ceremony signifies the completion of phase 1 of the building expansion. And I’m glad to say that our construction has progressed as planned and according to our expected timeline”*.

The ceremony unveiled Thomson Hospital’s new logo and identity. The re-branding will herald further transformation that will make TMCLS not just a significant player in the Malaysian healthcare sector but also beyond our borders.

The current THKD building was built on one-third of a 6.0 acres land. The new expansion occupies another one-third of the remaining land, leaving another 2 acres for future development. The 3-year project is projected to be completed by end-2020, with a full capacity of 600 beds at steady state, 10 state-of-the-art operating theatres, 10 Centres of Excellence, an Advanced Imaging Centre, leading-edge Catheterisation Laboratory, more than 100 specialist clinics, new retail/F&B outlets and over 1,000 parking bays.

Recently, THKD won several International awards, including “ENT Service Provider of the Year, Diabetes Service Provider of the Year” and “Women’s Health and Wellness Service Provider of the Year” awards at the Global Health and Travel Awards in Ho Chi Minh City. THKD is also the only Malaysian hospital to win at the Healthcare Asia Awards in Singapore for “Service Delivery Innovation Initiative of the Year” for its MedEx@Pharmacy initiative.

Another member of the TMCLS Group, TMC Fertility Centre (“TMCFC”) is a pioneer and industry leader in Malaysia. TMCFC has consistently been recognised by international assessors (e.g. International Medical Travel Journal, Global Health & Travel and Frost & Sullivan) as the top fertility service provider in Malaysia and has been a flagbearer for Malaysia’s successful international medical tourism efforts.

For more info about Thomson Hospital Kota Damansara, TMC Fertility Centre and TMC Life Sciences, please log on to thomsonhospitals.com, www.tmcfertility.com and www.tmcLife.com respectively.



Caption: Professor Emeritus Dato' Dr Khalid Bin Abdul Kadir, Chairman of TMC Life Sciences Berhad giving his opening remarks.



Caption: Speech by YB Tuan Haji Shatiri Bin Mansor, Member of State Assembly Kota Damansara.



Caption: Group Chief Corporate Officer of TMC Life Sciences Berhad and Chief Executive Officer of THKD, Ms. Wan Nadiah Binti Wan Mohd Abdullah Yaakob during the press conference.



Caption: From Left: Jimmy Wong, Chief Financial Officer of TMC Life Sciences Berhad, Roy Quek, Group Chief Executive Officer of TMC Life Sciences Berhad, Dato' Tan Kee Kwong Director of TMC Life Sciences Berhad, Professor Emeritus Dato' Dr Khalid Bin Abdul Kadir, Chairman of the TMC Life Sciences Berhad, YB Tuan Haji Shatiri, ADUN Kota Damansara and Wan Nadiah Binti Wan Mohd Abdullah Yaakob, Group Chief Corporate Officer of TMC Life Sciences Berhad and Chief Executive Officer of THKD.



Caption: Pile Capping Ceremony witnessed by guests and partners.

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ABOUT THOMSON HOSPITAL KOTA DAMANSARA

Thomson Hospital Kota Damansara, formerly known as Tropicana Medical Centre is the flagship hospital of TMC Life Sciences Berhad and a member of Thomson Medical Group Limited. Located in a prime alcove of Kota Damansara, THKD is accredited with 5th Edition - 4 Years Malaysian Hospital Accreditation Standards (MSQH) and a multidisciplinary tertiary care hospital equipped with advanced medical technology and modern infrastructure to deliver quality, affordable health care solutions and a superior service experience to our local, regional and international patients. With a panel of over 100 Consultant Specialists – highly trained with commendable track record in their represented medical and surgical disciplines, the core disciplines of the hospital include Diabetic & Kidney care; Breast & Endocrine Surgeries; ENT, Head, Neck & Laser Surgeries; Fertility & Reproductive Health; Hand & Microsurgery; Neurology, Heart & Cardiovascular care; Gastroenterology & Liver care; General, Cancer & Minimally-Invasive Surgeries; Orthopaedic, Spine & Sports Injury; Ophthalmological services, Respiratory medicine as well as the full range of Woman & Paediatric services.

For more information on THKD, log on to thomsonhospitals.com or follow THKD on www.facebook.com/ThomsonHospitalKotaDamansara

ABOUT TMC FERTILITY CENTRE

TMC Fertility Centre, located on the second floor of Tropicana Medical Centre in Kota Damansara, Selangor, is a full-fledged fertility treatment centre offering a wide range of treatment options for both male and female patients, ranging from simple to complicated cases. Coupled with superior patient support services, affordable packages, world-class IVF labs and uncompromised use of quality medications, TMC Fertility Centre in Malaysia is poised to become the region's leading fertility treatment centre. To better serve patients nationwide, TMC Fertility Centre has branches at Kepong, Puchong, Johor Bahru, Ipoh and Penang. For more information, visit TMC Fertility Centre's website at <http://www.tmcfertility.com> or call +6018 2111 088.

ABOUT TMC LIFE SCIENCES BHD.

TMC Life Sciences Berhad (TMCLS) is one of the fastest growing healthcare groups in Malaysia. It has been listed on the Main Market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad since 2005. Its flagship 200-bed hospital Thomson Hospital Kota Damansara (THKD) is strategically located in the golden triangle of Petaling Jaya, and houses more than 100 consultant specialists. THKD handles over 18,000 admissions a year. THKD's multi award-winning and internationally renowned Centre of Excellence - TMC Fertility Centre - was recently named the "Best Fertility Centre 2016" by Frost & Sullivan Malaysia; "Fertility Service Provider of the Year 2016" by Global Health & Travel and; "International Fertility Clinic of The Year 2016 & 2017" by International Medical Travel Journal. TMCLS has embarked on a major expansion programme, with significant additional capacity and capabilities projected to come on stream by 2020. The plans include expanding TMCKD onsite to a 600-bed hospital with additional critical care units and specialist centres. A new integrated medical hub – Thomson Iskandar – will be developed in the proposed Vantage Bay Healthcare City in bustling Johor Bahru. Located just off the Causeway linking Johor and Singapore, Thomson Iskandar will house a 500-bed tertiary hospital, specialist medical suites and related health and wellness facilities.

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