

WEBINAR TALK ON CERTIFICATION AND IMPORTATION PROCEDURES FOR NON-STANDARD INDUSTRIALISED BUILDING SYSTEMS (IBS) PRODUCTS IN MALAYSIA

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Time : 3.00 pm - 5.00 pm

Platform : Zoom Webinar

Registration Fees:

- Student Member : FOC
- IEM Member : RM 15.00
- Non-Member : RM 70.00

Synopsis:

Malaysia's construction industry is increasingly adopting imported non-standard Industrialised Building System (IBS) products, including metal framing, timber framing, reusable formwork and innovative systems. Unlike standard IBS products governed by Malaysian Standards, these products require approval through the Construction Product Approval (CPA) programme administered by CREAM under CIDB. This presentation provides a structured overview of the certification and importation process based on a qualitative analysis of key regulatory documents, including CIDB Act 520, the CPA Guideline, CIS 24:2023 and the Construction Action Plan 2030 (CAP30). It outlines an eight-step framework covering product classification, CPA certification, standards compliance, importation and customs clearance. The session also highlights CIDB's dual role as technical certifier and import regulator, while discussing challenges such as multi-agency coordination, overseas factory inspection costs and the lack of mutual recognition with international certification bodies. The presentation offers practical guidance for engineers, contractors, suppliers and policymakers involved in IBS compliance and procurement.

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