

ECONOMIC OUTLOOK 2017

17 January 2017 (Tuesday) | The Theatrette, Bursa Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur | 9:00 a.m

*As a highly open and trade-dependent economy, Malaysia's economic outlook has been clouded by uncertainties in the global economy as well as the negative effects of volatility of capital flows in the emerging market economies. **Going into 2017, uncertainties over the outcome of the post EU referendum (Brexit vote) and the US Presidential Election, as well as possible anti-trade policies on China, may put downside risks to Malaysia's economy. The volatility in the financial market and Malaysia Ringgit will likely continue from the uncertainty in short-term capital flows as a result of policy interest rate hikes by US Federal Reserve.***

BNM has recently announced several measures to further develop the country's onshore foreign exchange (forex) market. Malaysia's economic fundamentals will remain sound, supported by an improving economic outlook, lower fiscal deficit position, sustainable (though narrowing) current account surplus, healthy foreign exchange reserves as well as manageable inflationary pressure. What's in store for the Malaysian economy, and which sectors will support GDP growth?

THE SPEAKER



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| | Presentation | 9:00 a.m |
| | Q&A, End | 11:00 a.m |

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Friday, 13th January 2017