

# Johor-Singapore Special Economic Zone (JS-SEZ)



# JS-SEZ Economic Areas

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## Flagship Zones



Nine flagship areas of JS-SEZ

- |                               |   |
|-------------------------------|---|
| A Johor Bahru Waterfront      | F Kulai - Sedenak                               |
| B Iskandar Puteri             | G Desaru - Penawar                              |
| C Tanjung Pelepas             | H Pengerang Integrated Petroleum Complex (PIPC) |
| D Tanjung Langsat - Kong Kong | I Forest City Special Financial Zone            |
| E Senai - Skudai              |   |



Each zone will have its **own targeted economic activity**.



These zones are strategically designed **to foster innovation** and **cater to high-growth sectors**.



The tailored zones ensure that **infrastructure and investments remain competitive and attractive** to businesses.

# JS-SEZ: Areas of Economic Co-Operation

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## Priority Sectors



Manufacturing



Logistics



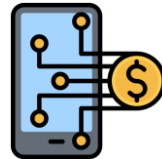
Financial Services



Education



Healthcare



Digital Economy



Energy



Business Services



Travel & Tourism



Food Security



Green Economy

## Criteria of Economic Sectors

1

**High-value and high growth industry**/sub-sectors/activities which enhance economic complexity

2

**Digital vibrancy** and technology adoption, including **Industry 4.0** and Artificial Intelligence

3

**Net-zero aspirations**

## Malaysia-Singapore Joint Promotion Target

1



To jointly promote and facilitate expansion of **50 projects** within the first **five years** and a **cumulative 100 project** within the first 10 years.

2



Create **20,000** skilled job opportunities

# JS-SEZ Initiatives to Promote & Facilitate **Trade and Investment**



# 1 QR Code Clearance

## Initiative 1

### QR Code Clearance



## Commencement Date

**1 June 2024**  
(Proof of concept)

## Differentiating factor

**Target to reduce immigration clearance time by up to 75%**



Uses **QR code technology** with security features such as **facial recognition and tracking**



**Reduce checkpoints clearance time** for a bus full of passengers **by over 75 per cent** (clearing an average of 20 passengers in less than 5 minutes)



**MyRentas** application **shortens the clearance time from 30 to 45 seconds**, including less than five seconds for one user.



QR code system set **to be expanded to car passengers by end of 2025**.

# 2 Johor-Singapore Rapid Transit System (RTS Link)

## Initiative 7

### RTS Link

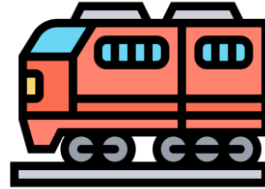


## Commencement Date

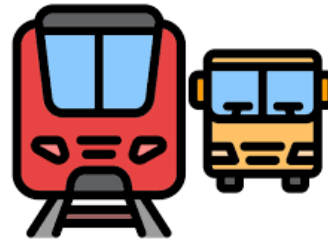
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## Differentiating factor

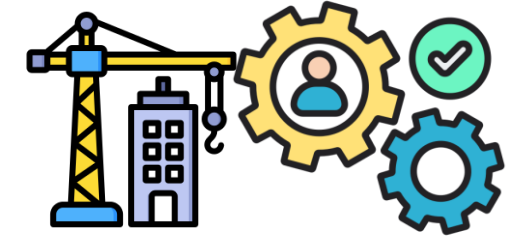
**Complemented by the local public transportation network in Johor Bahru and various locations**



Seamlessly connects Johor Bahru and Singapore, offering a **stress-free and congestion-free mode of transportation**



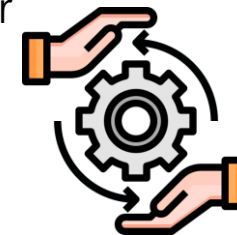
Integrates with various transport systems at both end stations for **enhanced connectivity**



**Opens business opportunities for local companies to participate in the construction and operational** supply chain, including The Wadi Hana Maintenance Depot



**Creates approximately 1,500 job opportunities** for locals during both the construction and operational phases



Acts as a **catalyst for further development** in Johor Bahru and its surrounding areas.

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**Total Length**

4km in length  
(Malaysia: 2.7km and  
Singapore: 1.3km)



**Number of Stations**

2 stations  
(Malaysia: Bukit Chagar Station  
and Singapore: Woodlands  
North Station)



**Train Capacity**

10,000 passengers per hour  
per direction



**Ridership**

Estimated to carry 40,000  
passengers per day upon  
opening



**Journey Time**

The estimated train journey  
time is 6 minutes between  
stations.



**Frequency**

3.6 minutes (Ultimate) during  
peak hour



**Depot**

RTS Link Maintenance Depot  
will be located at Wadi Hana,  
Johor Bahru.

# 3 Forest City Special Financial Zone (FC-SFZ)

## Incentives

### Initiative 4



### Forest City Special Financial Zone



### Announcement Date

**20 September 2024**

### Differentiating factor

**Regional Financial Hub complementing Singapore**

### Forest City Special Financial Zone

✳️ To stimulate financial service activities for global business services, financial technology and attracting investments.



#### ✳️ Incentives for FC-SFZ:

1. Family Office;
2. Fintech/ Insurtech/ Regulatory fintech/ Islamic fintech;
3. Foreign payment system operators/ Mid office/ back office operations undertaken by Banking or Financial Institutions/ Capital market/ fintech;
4. Smart Logistics Complex;
5. Global Services Hub/ Relocation Incentive;
6. Returning Expert Programme (REP);
7. Knowledge worker; and
8. Stamp duty


### Forest City as a Duty-Free Island

To spur tourism and local economic activities.



# Incentives for Forest City

No.	Activities/Projects	Details of Incentives	Agency
1.	<b>Family Office</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Special tax rate of <b>0% for 1st 10 years</b> (subjected to condition which may apply based on prevailing law);</li> <li>2. <b>Extension</b> of special tax rate <b>for another 10 years</b> (subjected to condition which may apply based on prevailing law);</li> <li>3. <b>Full exemption from stamp duty</b> on instruments of transfer of property into the single family office vehicle (SFOV) during the initial establishment phase.</li> </ol>	 <p><b>Suruhanjaya Sekuriti</b> Securities Commission Malaysia</p> <p>For applications received by <b>1 September 2024</b> to <b>31 December 2034</b></p> <p>Operating on <b>Pulau 1 of Forest City.</b></p>
2.	<b>Fintech/ Insurtech/ Regulatory fintech/ Islamic fintech</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Special tax rate of <b>5% for 10 years</b> (subjected to condition which may apply based on prevailing law);</li> <li>2. <b>Extension</b> of special tax rate for <b>another 10 years</b> (subjected to conditions which may apply based on prevailing law).</li> </ol>	 <p><b>MDEC</b><sup>TM</sup></p> <p>For applications received by <b>1 September 2024</b> to <b>31 December 2034</b></p> <p>Operating on <b>Pulau 1 of Forest City.</b></p>
3.	<b>Foreign payment system operators/ Mid office/ back office operations undertaken by Banking or Financial Institutions/ Capital market/ fintech</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Special tax rate of <b>5% for 10 years</b> (subjected to condition which may apply based on prevailing law);</li> <li>2. <b>Extension</b> of special tax rate for <b>another 10 years</b> (subjected to conditions which may apply based on prevailing law).</li> </ol>	<p>For applications received by <b>1 September 2024</b> to <b>31 December 2034</b></p> <p>Operating on <b>Pulau 1 of Forest City.</b></p>



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No.	Activities/Projects	Details of Incentives	Agency
4.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Financial Institutions</li> <li>Insurance/Takaful institutions</li> <li>Capital market institution</li> <li>Family Office</li> <li>Fintech/ Insurtech/ Regulatory fintech/ Islamic fintech</li> <li>Foreign payment system operators/ Mid office/ back office operations undertaken by Banking or Financial Institutions/ Capital market/ fintech</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A <b>one-off tax deduction of up to RM500,000</b> for the relocation of part or all of the company's business operations to Pulau 1 Forest City effective from 1 September 2024 to 31 December 2034;</li> <li>A <b>50% stamp duty exemption</b> on ad-valorem instruments for <b>transfer of property and loan/financing agreements</b> related to the <b>purchase of unsold commercial/residential properties on 1 September 2024 in Pulau 1 Forest City</b>. This exemption applies to sale and purchase agreements completed between 1 September 2024 and 31 December 2034;</li> <li><b>Industrial building allowance of 10%</b> for a period of <b>10 years</b> on qualifying building expenditure in Pulau 1 Forest City;</li> <li><b>Withholding tax exemption</b> for a period of <b>10 years</b>.</li> </ol> <p><u>Qualifying condition for incentive:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Operating on <b>Pulau 1 of Forest City</b>.</li> <li>The company must commence qualifying activities on Pulau 1 of Forest City no later than <b>31 December 2034</b>.</li> </ul>	


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No.	Activities/Projects	Details of Incentives	Agency
5.	Smart Logistics Complex	<b>Investment Tax Allowance (ITA)</b> of <b>100%</b> qualifying capital expenditure for <b>5 years</b> . The allowance can be offset against 100% of the statutory income.	 <p>For applications received by <b>1 September 2024</b> to <b>31 December 2034</b></p> <p>Operating on <b>Forest City Mainland</b>.  <i>The details of the incentive will be based on the guidelines pending approval by the Ministry of Finance (MOF).</i></p>
6 .	Global Services Hub/ Relocation Services	<p><b>A special tax rate of 5% for 10 years</b>, subject to substantive conditions such as <b>local operating expenses, number of key personnel, number of knowledge workers, and ESG commitments</b>, which will be negotiated.</p> <p>An <b>additional 10-year extension</b> is subject to the company achieving <b>at least a 30% increase</b> in these substantive conditions.</p>	 <p>For applications received by <b>31 December 2027</b></p>
7.	Returning Expert Programme (REP)	A flat tax rate of <b>15% for a period of 5 years</b> .	

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No.	Activities/Projects	Details of Incentives	Agency
8.	Knowledge worker	<p>A flat tax rate of <b>15%</b> for <b>knowledge workers</b>, subjected to the following condition:</p> <p><u>Qualifying condition for incentive:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Working in Forest City</li> <li>▪ Possess relevant work experience in qualifying activities; and</li> <li>▪ Applicants must not have received any employment income in Malaysia for at least two years before starting work in Forest City.</li> </ul>	 <p>For applications received by <b>31 December 2034</b></p>
9.	Stamp duty	<p>A <b>50% stamp duty exemption</b> on ad-valorem instruments for the <b>transfer of property and loan agreements</b> for the <b>purchase of unsold commercial/residential properties on 1 September 2024 in Pulau 1 Forest City</b>. This exemption applies to sale and purchase agreements completed between 1 September 2024 and 31 December 2034.</p>	

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10.	Real Property Gains Tax (RPGT)	<p>The RPGT rate for the disposal of property in Pulau 1, Forest City, by non-citizen individuals will be standardised to the rate applicable to citizens for sale and purchase agreements executed no later than <b>31 July 2034</b>.</p> <p>The new RPGT rate for non-citizen individuals is as follows:</p> <table><tr><th>Disposal</th><th>Citizens/ Permanent Resident</th><th>Non-Citizens/ Permanent Resident</th></tr><tr><td>Within 3 years</td><td>30%</td><td>30%</td></tr><tr><td>Within 4 years</td><td>20%</td><td><b>20%</b></td></tr><tr><td>Within 5 years</td><td>15%</td><td><b>15%</b></td></tr><tr><td>Within 6 years and onwards</td><td>0%</td><td>0%</td></tr></table>	Disposal	Citizens/ Permanent Resident	Non-Citizens/ Permanent Resident	Within 3 years	30%	30%	Within 4 years	20%	<b>20%</b>	Within 5 years	15%	<b>15%</b>	Within 6 years and onwards	0%	0%	
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# JS-SEZ Special Incentives

## Incentives

## Initiative 5

## JS-SEZ Special Incentives



## Announcement Date

8 Jan 2025

## Differentiating factor

The much-needed stimulus to elevate Johor's standing on the global investment map

1

### Special Corporate Tax Rate

Companies undertaking **new investments in qualifying manufacturing and services activities** such as AI, quantum computing, medical devices, aerospace manufacturing, and global services hubs will benefit from a **5% corporate tax rate** for **up to 15 years**.

2

### Flagship Development Focus

Additional **tailor-made incentives** for businesses operating in certain **flagship areas** within JS-SEZ.

3

### Special tax rate for knowledge workers

**15% for 10 years** for eligible **knowledge workers** employed in JS-SEZ.

# JS-SEZ Tax Incentives: Flagship Development Focus

## Flagship development focuses under the JS-SEZ tax incentive package

**Manufacturing Business Incentive**  
 (AI and quantum computing supply chain, medical devices, and pharmaceutical)

**Flagship E**  
 (Senai – Skudai)

**Flagship F**  
 (Kulai – Sedenak)

**Flagship G**  
 (Desaru – Penawar)

**Flagship A & B**  
 (Johor Bahru Waterfront & Iskandar Puteri)

**Flagship C**  
 (Tanjung Pelepas)

**Integrated Tourism Project**

**Global Services Hub**

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**Manufacturing of Downstream Specialty Chemicals**

**Smart Logistics Complex**

Singapore



### Nine flagship areas of JS-SEZ

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# Global Services Hub

1. **Flagship A** (Johor Bahru Waterfront)
2. **Flagship B** (Iskandar Puteri)

TAX INCENTIVE		
Special Tax Rate of 5%	15 Years	on Trading and Services Income; <u>or</u> Services Income
Qualifying Services	Eligibility Criteria	
<div><div>i.</div><div>Regional P&amp;L; and</div><div>ii.</div><div>Strategic Business Planning; and</div><div>iii.</div><div>Corporate Development; and</div><div>iv.</div><div>Regional or Global Treasury and Fund Management conducting cash pooling activities via onshore intermediaries</div></div>	<div><div>i.</div><div>Annual operating expenditure of at least <b>RM50 million</b>;</div><div>ii.</div><div>Company must serve and control of at least <b>10 Network Companies</b>;</div><div>iii.</div><div>A minimum of <b>50% of high-value positions</b> (with a minimum basic salary of <b>RM10,000</b>) shall be filled by full-time Malaysian employees;</div><div>iv.</div><div>Annual sales turnover of at least <b>RM500 million</b> and forex in-flow into the local banking system</div></div>	
Applications shall be made online at <a href="https://investmalaysia.mida.gov.my">https://investmalaysia.mida.gov.my</a> from 1 January 2025 until 31 December 2034		





# Smart Logistics Complex

## 1. Flagship C (Tanjung Pelepas)

TAX INCENTIVE	
Investment Tax Allowance (ITA) of 100% qualifying capital expenditure. The allowance can be offset against 100% of the statutory income for each year of assessment.	5 Years
Qualifying Services	Eligibility Criteria
<p>Smart logistic operator who invests in <b>development of smart logistics</b> and <b>carry out any of the eligible logistic activities</b>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Regional Distribution Hub</li> <li>ii. Integrated Logistics Services</li> <li>iii. Dangerous Goods Storage</li> <li>iv. Cold Chain Facilities</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Investment in capital expenditure (excluding land) of at least <b>RM500 million</b>;</li> <li>ii. The total built-up area of the smart warehouse complex must be at least <b>50,000 m<sup>2</sup></b> and equipped with at least three <b>(3) enabling elements technologies</b> under the IR4.0</li> <li>iii. Use the application of <b>modern construction techniques</b> i.e. achieving a score for the Industrial Building System (IBS) that has been set by the Construction Industry Development Board (CIDB).</li> <li>iv. Total full-time workforce must consist of at least <b>80% Malaysian</b> citizens.</li> <li>v. A minimum of <b>30% of total high-value positions</b> (with a minimum basic salary of <b>RM10,000</b>) shall be filled by full-time Malaysian employees</li> </ul>
<p>Applications shall be made online at <a href="https://investmalaysia.mida.gov.my">https://investmalaysia.mida.gov.my</a> from 1 January 2025 until 31 December 2034</p>	



# Downstream Specialty Chemicals

## Flagship D (Tanjung Langsat – Kong-kong)

TAX INCENTIVE			
<b>Special Tax Rate</b> for a company with capital investment (excluding land) of at least RM500 million:  i. <b>Tier 1: 5%</b> Special Tax Rate  ii. <b>Tier 2: 10%</b> Special Tax Rate	Up to 10 years (5 years + 5 years)	<b>Eligibility Product</b>  Chemical and petrochemical product(s) as follows:  i. Base chemical – Methanol, Ethylene, Propylene, Benzene, Aromatics  ii. Organic intermediates – C1 to C6  iii. Specialty chemical  iv. Fertilisers  v. Polymers/ plastics  vi. Oleochemical/ biochemical	<b>Eligibility Criteria</b>  i. A new company or an existing company undertaking diversification activities in relation to the eligible activities/products under this cluster.  ii. The company is required to have a minimum paid-up capital of RM2.5 million.
<b>Income tax exemption equivalent to Investment Tax Allowance (ITA)</b> for a company with capital investment (excluding land) of at least RM500 million:  i. <b>Tier 1:</b> Income tax exemption equivalent to Investment Tax Allowance (ITA) of <b>100%</b> on the qualifying capital investment (excluding land). The allowance can be offset against up to <b>100%</b> of statutory income for each assessment year.  ii. <b>Tier 2:</b> Income tax exemption equivalent to Investment Tax Allowance (ITA) of <b>60%</b> on the qualifying capital investment (excluding land). The allowance can be offset against up to <b>100%</b> of statutory income for each assessment year.	Up to 10 years (5 years + 5 years)		

Applications shall be made online at <https://investmalaysia.mida.gov.my> from 1 January 2025 until 31 December 2034



# Manufacturing Business Incentive Scheme

1. **Flagship E** (Senai – Skudai)
2. **Flagship F** (Kulai - Sedenak)

TAX INCENTIVE			
New Company	New investment in the manufacturing sector with capital investment (excluding land) above RM1 billion	Tax Rate of 5%	15 years
	New investment in the manufacturing sector with capital investment (excluding land) between RM500 million to RM1 billion		10 years
Existing Company	New investment in the manufacturing sector with capital investment (excluding land) above RM500 million for existing company in Malaysia relocating overseas facilities (for a new business segment not expansion of existing products) into Malaysia.	Income tax exemption equivalent to Investment Tax Allowance of 100% on the qualifying capital investment (excluding land) incurred within 5 years. The allowance to be offset against 100% statutory income	5 years
Qualifying Activities			
i. AI and Quantum Computing Supply Chain (Flagship F); ii. Medical Devices (Flagship F); iii. Pharmaceutical (Flagship F); or iv. Aerospace Manufacturing and MRO Services (Flagship E)			
Applications shall be made online at <a href="https://investmalaysia.mida.gov.my">https://investmalaysia.mida.gov.my</a> from 1 January 2025 until 31 December 2034			



# Integrated Tourism Project

## 1. Flagship G (Desaru – Penawar)

TAX INCENTIVE	
Investment Tax Allowance (ITA) of 100% qualifying capital expenditure. The allowance can be offset against 70% of the statutory income for each year of assessment.	5 years
Eligibility Criteria	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>i. Company which does not have an existing entity or related entity undertaking same hotel or tourism project in Malaysia.</li><li>ii. Paid-up capital of at least RM2.5 million;</li><li>iii. Investment in capital expenditure (excluding land) of at least RM500 million.</li><li>iv. Company undertaking integrated tourism project which consists of the following:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a) Hotel with minimum number of rooms of 80 which consists of standard, superior, deluxe and suite; and</li><li>b) Minimum 1 tourist attractions (i.e. water park, outdoor park consists of rides and/or games, convention centre with capacity minimum of 3,000 participants, or outdoor sport excluding golf course and driving range).</li></ul></li></ul>	
Applications shall be made online at <a href="https://investmalaysia.mida.gov.my">https://investmalaysia.mida.gov.my</a> from 1 January 2025 until 31 December 2034	





# Knowledge Worker Incentive

## All Flagship

TAX INCENTIVE	
15% flat tax rate on chargeable employment income	10 years
Eligibility Criteria	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>i. Malaysian/Non-Malaysian citizen;</li><li>ii. Not generating employment income in Malaysia 24-months prior</li><li>iii. Salary abroad/in Malaysia &gt;RM20,000 per month</li><li>iv. Subject to academic qualifications / years of professional work experience</li><li>v. Subject to MyCOL profession and JS-SEZ qualifying sectors</li></ul>	
Applications shall be made to <b>TalentCorp</b> from 1 January 2025 until 31 December 2034	



# Additional Incentives

Flagship	Incentives
<b>Flagship A</b> (Johor Bahru Waterfront)  <b>Flagship B</b> (Iskandar Puteri)	<p><b>40% stamp duty exemption</b> on the instrument of transfer/financing agreement for the purchase of a commercial property in Flagship A and B that remains unsold as at 31st December 2024. The stamp duty exemption to be provided under Section 80(1) under the Stamp Act 1949.</p>  
<b>Flagship G</b> (Desaru – Penawar)	<p><b>A deduction equivalent to amount not exceeding RM1 million for each year assessment</b> in respect of cash contribution or contribution in-kind by qualifying person who sponsors a hallmark event.</p> <p>The hallmark event referred to is an event of regional or international significance which is carried on in Flagship G and supported/verified by MOTAC. For contribution made between 1 January 2025 to 31 December 2034.</p>  

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Flagship	Incentives
All Flagships	<p><b>Accelerated Capital Allowance (ACA)</b> in respect of renovation costs incurred on a building or part of a commercial building located in Flagship A-G for the purpose of qualifying company's business. Qualifying companies are companies that have been approved any tax incentives under PIA 1986 or ITA 1967 between 1 January 2025 - 31 December 2034 and operating in Flagship A-G. This incentive to be utilised only once throughout their business operation in JSSEZ. To include expenses on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>General electrical installation</li> <li>Lighting</li> <li>Gas system</li> <li>Water system</li> <li>Kitchen fittings</li> <li>Sanitary fittings</li> <li>Door, gate, window, grill and roller shutter</li> <li>Fixed partitions</li> <li>Flooring (including carpets)</li> <li>Wall covering (including paint work)</li> <li>False ceiling and cornices</li> <li>Ornamental features or decorations excluding fine art</li> <li>Canopy or awning</li> <li>Recreation room for employee</li> <li>Air-conditioning system</li> <li>Day care centre for employees' children</li> <li>Surau</li> <li>Reception area</li> <li>Green elements, smart solutions systems</li> </ul> <p><b>Initial allowance: 20%, Annual Allowance: 40%</b></p>



# Summary of JS-SEZ and FC-SFZ Special Incentives

## Activities/Projects

AI and Quantum Computing Supply Chain

Medical Devices

Pharmaceutical

Aerospace Manufacturing & MRO Services

Global Services Hub

Integrated Tourism Project

Smart Logistics Complex

Manufacturing downstream specialty chemicals

40% stamp duty exemption for transfer/ financing agreement for purchase of commercial property

RM1 million deduction for cash contribution/ contribution in-kind for sponsoring a hallmark event

ACA for renovation costs

Financial services

## Flagship Zones/Area

F

F

F

E

A

B

Forest City

G

C

Forest City

D

Pengerang (PIPC)

A

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Forest City

## Legend

- A** Johor Bahru Waterfront
- B** Iskandar Puteri
- C** Tanjung Pelepas
- D** Tanjung Langsat – Kong-kong
- E** Senai-Skudai
- F** Kulai-Sedenak
- G** Desaru-Penawar

## Initiative 3

Commencement  
Date

## IMFC – Johor



Q4 2024

Differentiating  
factor

First outside of Kuala Lumpur and with participation from State Government Agencies

The establishment of IMFC-J is a continuation of the success of IMFC at MIDA Kuala Lumpur in **facilitating investor-related matters**.

## IMFC-J Objectives



One-stop centre to provide advisory services for investment-related matters within the JS-SEZ, including land and development matters



Accelerate various approval processes



Reducing bureaucracy in the delivery of public services



Consolidate various Ministries and Government Agencies under one roof for the convenience of investors



Position the JS-SEZ as a prime investment destination that is investor-friendly and business-friendly, in line with the National Investment Aspiration

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## IMFC-J Governance Structure

Ministries/Agencies/Departments from both the Federal and State Governments under one roof

Jointly led by:



Role of Account Manager to facilitate investor-related matters/ approval process



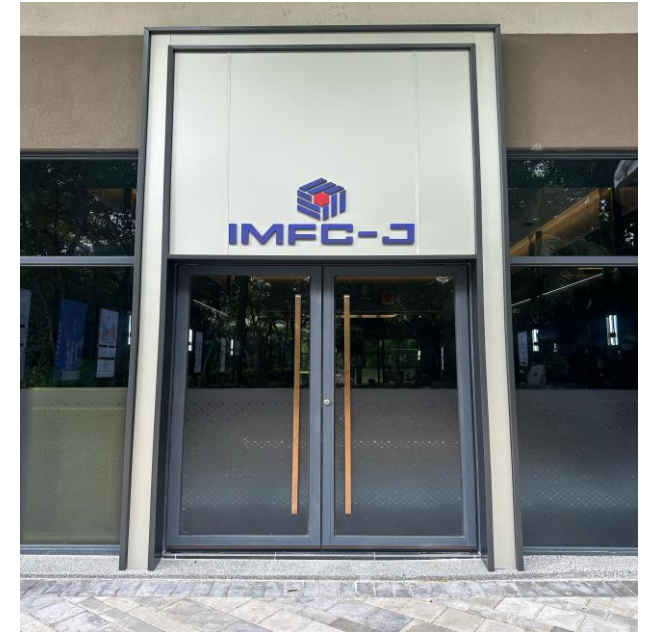
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# 6 Johor Talent Development Council (JTDC)

## Facilitation

### Initiative 6

#### Johor Talent Development Council



#### Launch Date

4 Nov 2024

#### Differentiating factor

**Dedicated body on talent development programmes in JS-SEZ, serving as a bridge between the industry and academia**

### Johor Talent Development Council (JTDC)



**Strengthen the ecosystem** for technical and vocational education and training (TVET)



Provide **opportunities for high-skilled careers**, thereby implementing premium wages in Johor, particularly in the JS-SEZ



To **increase direct career placement** schemes and industrial training



**Expanding partnerships** with industries and higher education institutions in research, equipment provision, and expertise sharing



**Realign all educational and training courses** to meet industry demands



#### Johor Human Capital Strategic Unit

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## 1 Methods for JTDC to determine the employability of a sector in the job market



Labour market research



Analysing employment trends



Discussion with industry stakeholders



Assessing economic growth factors



Obtaining feedback from employers and data on job vacancies and skills shortages.

## 2 Role of Industry Players in JTDC



Providing insights into current industry needs



Offering industry training opportunities



Participating in the curriculum development process



Committing to recruiting graduates from the JTDC workforce pipeline



Provide funding and resources to support talent development initiatives e.g. scholarships/ grants/ investing in training facilities and equipment

## 3 Partnership with industry players, educational institutions and training providers to develop students' skills



Industrial training



Work-based learning (WBL)



Apprenticeship programs




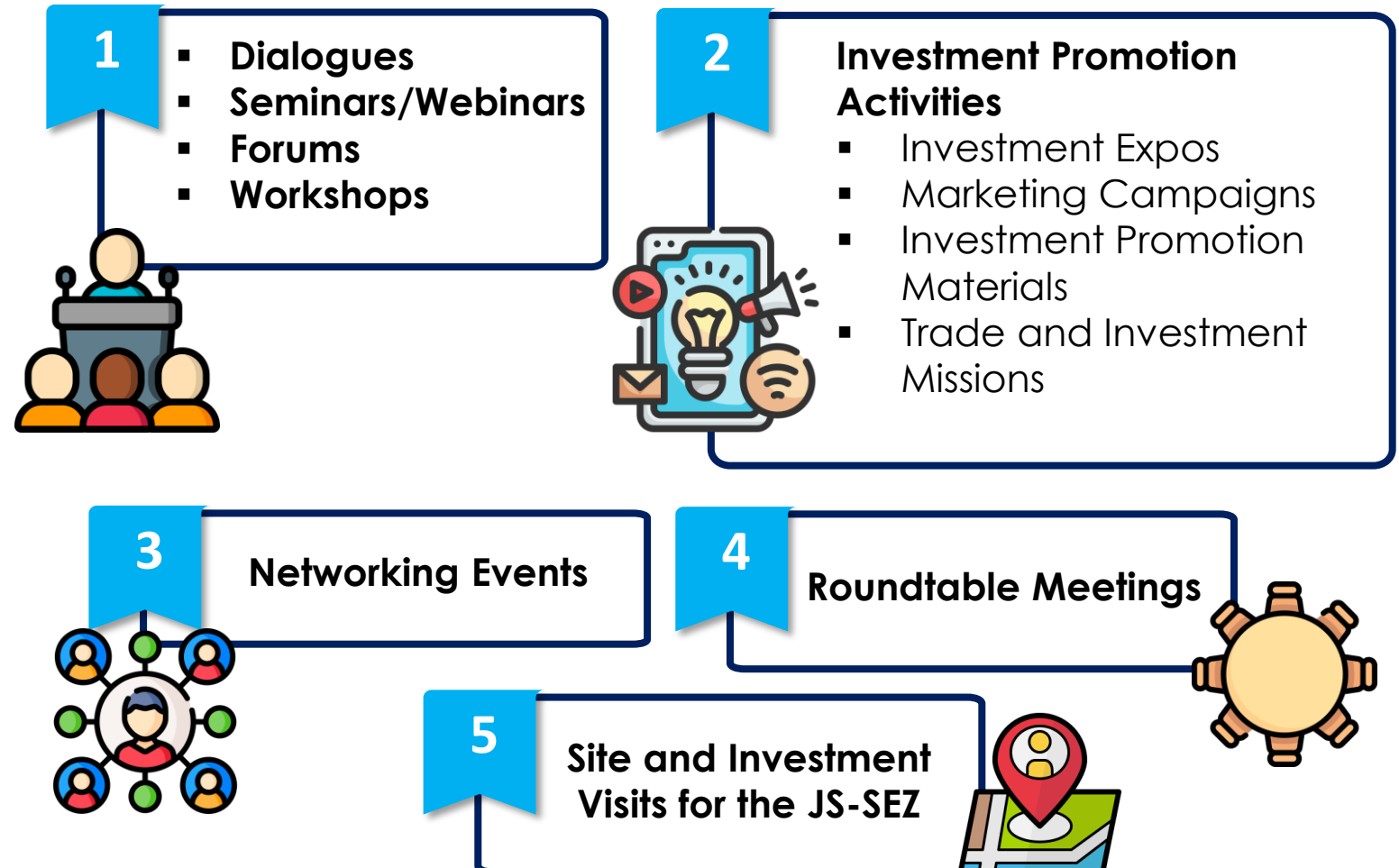
On-the-job training programs



Align curricula and training programs to industry needs

**Objective: To jointly promote and attract investments into the JS-SEZ. Potential activities include:**

<b>Initiative 2</b>	<b>Joint Investment Forum (JIF)</b>
	
<b>Commencement Date</b>	<b>TBC</b>
<b>Differentiating factor</b>	<b>Joint promotion of investments into the JS-SEZ by Malaysia &amp; Singapore</b>





# Thank You



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