

January 19, 2007

Dear Sir / Madam

Workshop on “RFID’s MUTUAL BENEFIT FOR ASEAN AND JAPAN”

MITSUBISHI RESEARCH INSTITUTE, INC.(MRI) and the Singapore branch of Center of International Cooperation for Computerization (CICC Singapore) will be organizing a workshop, which is commissioned by the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI) of Japanese government, to brief on a pilot project as entitled above. We also thank the support by Singapore National RFID Centre, Singapore.

The objective of the pilot project is to demonstrate trade facilitation, logistics efficiency and marketing effectiveness by adopting FRID for ASEAN and Japan. In this pilot project, it is intended to demonstrate the effectiveness of RFID on import inspection procedure, logistics efficiency and gathering of marketing information.

Therefore we would like to invite you to join the workshop and the particulars are as below: The agenda is attached in next page.

Date: 1st February, 2007 (Thursday)
Time: 9:30 a.m – 12:30 p.m.
Venue: Pacific 3, Level 1, Pan Pacific Singapore
7 Raffles Boulevard, Marina Square

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the following in charge. And your attendance should be informed by sending an email to the following.

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Your attendance is highly appreciated and we look forward to see you.

Thank You.

Yours Sincerely,

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Overview of the workshop

- Date: 1st of February 9:30-12:30 (Thursday)
- Venue: Pacific 3, Level 1, Pan Pacific Singapore, 7 Raffles Boulevard, Marina Square
- Purpose
 - ✓ To foster the understanding on the ASEAN=JAPAN RFID trial project
 - ✓ To gain the understanding of the Japanese and Singapore initiatives of RFID
- Agenda
 - ✓ 9:00 Reception / Registration
 - ✓ 9:30-9:45 Opening Remarks (Mr. Morita; Assistant Director, Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry)
 - ✓ 9:45-10:00 Opening Remarks (Mr. Boon Swan Foo, Executive Chairman, Exploit Technology Pte Ltd, A*STAR)
 - ✓ 10:00-10:20 Japanese initiatives of RFID (Mr. Yamauchi; CICC Singapore)
 - ✓ 10:20-10:45 Introduction of the Japan=ASEAN trial project (MRI)
 - ✓ 10:45-11:00 Coffee Break
 - ✓ 11:00-11:45 Some initiatives of RFID in Japanese companies (Panasonic, Hitachi, and MRI)
 - ✓ 11:45-12:30 Some initiatives in Singapore RFID companies (A*STAR, SMARTID, SINGULAR ID)
 - ✓ 12:30-13:00 Q&A session
- Master of Ceremony
 - ✓ MRI / CICC Singapore
- Supporting Organization
 - ✓ National RFID Centre
- No Charge