

BANK ISLAM RECOGNISED AS A 2-STAR LISTER ON UNGCMYB'S INAUGURAL ESG SELECT LIST 2025

Reinforces brand strength and long-term value creation

KUALA LUMPUR, Friday, [19 December 2025]: Bank Islam Malaysia Berhad (Bank Islam or the Bank) has been recognised on the ESG Select List 2025 by the UN Global Compact Network Malaysia & Brunei (UNGCMYB), as a 2-Star Lister for its exemplary achievements across The North Star ESG Target Setting and Future-Fit & Responsible Workforce categories.

The recognition under the North Star ESG Target Setting category reflects Bank Islam's strong and measurable progress in advancing sustainable finance. Bank Islam had initially exceeded its LEAP25 green financing target of RM4 billion by 2025 ahead of schedule. In 2024, the Bank recalibrated its 2025 sustainable finance target to RM28 billion, and as of June 2025, it had surpassed this milestone.

In parallel, Bank Islam has continued to champion its Employer of Choice agenda through initiatives such as Robotic Process Automation (RPA) BITIZEN Developer Programme, fostering a workplace culture anchored in responsibility, inclusivity and long-term talent development. These efforts contributed to the Bank's recognition under the Future-Fit & Responsible Workforce category.

The certificate of recognition was officially presented to Bank Islam Group Chief Executive Officer, Dato' Mohd Muazzam Mohamed, from the Executive Director of UNGCMYB, Faroze Nadar at Menara Bank Islam, Kuala Lumpur. This recognition reflects the Bank's continued progress in embedding responsible and future-fit practices as part of its sustainability journey.

Bank Islam Group Chief Operating Officer and Group Chief Sustainability Officer, Mohamed Iran Moriff Mohd Shariff, said the recognition reflects the Bank's position as a resilient, forward-looking institution that embeds environmental, social and governance (ESG) principles into its core strategy to deliver sustainable growth, strengthen risk management, and create long-term stakeholder value.

"Guided by Bank Islam's Sustainability Strategy and Roadmap, as well as its Five Sustainability Commitments, this recognition highlights our commitment to delivering lasting value for people, society and the environment, guided by globally recognised ESG standards. Being included on the ESG Select List affirms our focus on building a proactive organisation, nurturing a responsible workforce, and setting clear ESG targets that translate ambition into measurable outcomes."

"For Bank Islam, this recognition strengthens institutional resilience and positions us for sustainable growth in an increasingly complex financial landscape. For customers, it builds trust and provides access to responsible, innovative financial solutions backed by ethics, sustainability, Shariah principles and societal value. For employees, it fosters a culture of purpose, accountability and continuous growth; meanwhile, for communities and partners, it

reflects our steadfast commitment to creating shared values and accelerating Malaysia's transition towards a low-carbon economy," he said.

Bank Islam's inclusion on the ESG Select List signals strong governance and sustainability integration – vital factors in ensuring long-term financial performance. As Bank Islam's Sustainability Strategy and Roadmap 2025 draws to a close, the Bank is finalising its new Sustainability Strategy 2030 alongside a comprehensive Climate Transition Plan. Together, these initiatives are designed to create long-term value and deliver positive impact across the categories recognised and the overall sustainability and climate agenda.

Mohamed Iran adds, "We extend our gratitude to customers, employees, partners, and shareholders for their unwavering trust and support. Their trust and collaboration have been instrumental in driving Bank Islam toward excellence. Together, we are not only advancing our sustainability agenda but also creating meaningful impact for society and the environment, thus building a future that benefits all."

About Bank Islam Malaysia Berhad

Bank Islam is the first Islamic bank publicly listed in the main market of Bursa Malaysia. Established in July 1983, the bank has over 100 branches and over 900 self-service terminals across Malaysia. As a pure-play Islamic bank, Bank Islam provides retail banking and corporate financial solutions that strictly adhere to Shariah rules and principles. The bank is committed to sustainable prosperity and ESG values and is an official participant of the UN Global Compact Malaysia and Brunei. Bank Islam's core subsidiaries, BIMB Investment and BIMB Securities, offer various Islamic financial services, including investment and stockbroking. For more information on the Group's products and services, please visit www.bankislam.com.

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