



Maybank Investment Bank Berhad (15938-H)
(A Participating Organisation of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad)

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PADIBERAS NASIONAL BERHAD ("BERNAS" OR "COMPANY")

PROPOSED SELECTIVE CAPITAL REDUCTION AND REPAYMENT EXERCISE OF BERNAS ("PROPOSED SCR")

On behalf of Bernas, Maybank Investment Bank Berhad wishes to announce that the Company had on 14 February 2017 submitted an application for an extension of time to the Securities Commission Malaysia ("**SC**") pursuant to Paragraph 1.11 of Rule 1, Part A of the Rules on Take-Overs, Mergers and Compulsory Acquisitions ("**Rules**") to despatch the circular, explanatory statement by Perspective Lane (M) Sdn Bhd together with Tradewinds (M) Berhad and independent advice letter from Mercury Securities Sdn Bhd in relation to the Proposed SCR ("**Documents**"), to the shareholders of Bernas within 14 days from 16 February 2017, being the despatch date for the Documents as required under Schedule 3 of the Rules ("**Extension of Time Application**"). The SC has vide its letter dated 16 February 2017 approved the Extension of Time Application for Bernas to despatch the Documents to the shareholders of Bernas within 14 days from 16 February 2017.

Thank you.

Yours faithfully
For and on behalf of
Maybank Investment Bank Berhad

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