## Macro information of Green Buildings in Malaysia

- 1. The more frequently used Green building assessment rating tools adopted in Malaysia are as follow:
  - Green RE by REHDA
  - GBI by Malaysian Green Building Index
  - MyCrest by CIDB

Kindly refer to the following respectively hyperlinks for further details

Green RE - rating tool

http://greenre.org/uploads/1/0/7/1/107142097/res v3.1.pdf

http://greenre.org/uploads/1/0/7/1/107142097/nrb v3.1.pdf

http://greenre.org/uploads/1/0/7/1/107142097/enrb v3.1.pdf

GBI - rating tool

http://new.greenbuildingindex.org/Files/Resources/GBI%20Tools/GBI%20RNC%20Residential%20Tool%20V3.0.pdf

http://new.greenbuildingindex.org/Files/Resources/GBI%20Tools/GBI%20NRNC%20Non-Residential%20Tool%20V1.0.pdf

http://new.greenbuildingindex.org/Files/Resources/GBI%20Tools/GBI%20Township%20Tool%20V2. 0.pdf

MyCrest - rating tool

http://www.cidb.gov.my/index.php/en/bidang-utama/pembinaan-mampan/mycrest

- 2. Statutory requirements on the following elements of green buildings
  - Building envelope: OTTV (MS 1525 : 2014) &UBBL (Clause 38A)
  - Energy: OTTV (MS 1525: 2014) & SEDA (Sustainable Energy Development Authority, Malaysia)
  - Water: Guidelines under SPAN (National Water Services Commission) WEPLS) Water efficient product labelling Scheme.
  - Waste: Guidelines under DOE (Department of Environment under Ministry of Energy, Science, Technology, Environment & Climate Change)
  - Indoor environment quality Guidelines under DOSH (Department of Occupational, Safety, Health, Malaysia. <a href="http://www.dosh.gov.my/index.php/en/legislation/codes-of-practice/chemical-management/594-02-industry-code-of-practice-on-indoor-air-quality-2010/file">http://www.dosh.gov.my/index.php/en/legislation/codes-of-practice/chemical-management/594-02-industry-code-of-practice-on-indoor-air-quality-2010/file</a>
- 3. Government incentives to providing new green buildings and existing green buildings
  - Tax Incentive for green buildings with ITA (investment Tax Allowance & ITE (Income Tax Exemption)

http://blog.japhethlim.com/index.php/2016/11/04/new-tax-incentive-for-green-buildings-updated/

- 4. Quantity Surveyors 's involvement in green buildings
  - Whole life cycle cost appraisal
  - Advice on strategies for sustainable development
  - Verifying & certifying of GBI green incremental cost for tax incentives
  - Valuing sustainability cost benefits for property development
- 5. Useful links related to green buildings

http://www.mgbc.org.my/

6. Updated developments of green buildings

http://www.thesundaily.my/news/2018/02/12/40-new-buildings-malaysia-are-greenerhttps://cleanmalaysia.com/2015/08/28/the-rise-of-green-building-in-malaysia/