



Halal Development
Corporation



HALMAS HALAL PARK INCENTIVES

WHAT IS HALMAS INCENTIVE?

- ✓ HALMAS status is an accreditation given to the Halal Park Operators who have complied with the requirements under the HDC Designated Halal Park Development Guidelines.
- ✓ With the HALMAS status, the Operators, Industry Players and Logistics Operators can enjoy incentives provided by HDC in Halal Industry.



**HALAL
PARKS (HP)**
Powered by HDC

List of 14 HALMAS-Accredited Halal Parks



Benefits of Operating in Halal Parks:

- Easy access to skilled and productive halal workforce.
- Attractive halal industry tax incentives.
- Easy accessibility to halal raw ingredients.
- Facilitation of the halal certification application.

Halal Parks at a Glance



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Halal Industry Players

- 100% tax exemption on capital expenditure for a period of 10 years; **or** Income tax exemption on export sales for a period of 5 years.
- Exemption on import duty and sales tax on raw materials used for the development production of halal promoted products.
and
- Two-times deduction on expenses incurred in obtaining international quality standards such as HACCP, GMP, Codex Alimentarius (food standard guidelines of FAO and WHO), Sanitation Standard Operating Procedures and regulations on export markets compliance.

Halal Logistic Operators

- Full income tax exemption for a period of 5 years **or** 100% income tax exemption on capital expenditure for a period of 5 years
and
- Exemption on import duty and sales tax on equipment, components and machinery used directly in the Cold Room Operations in accordance to prevailing policies

Halal Park Operator

- Full income tax exemption for a period of 10 years **or** 100% income tax exemption on capital expenditure for a period of 5 years
and
- Exemption on import duty and sales tax on equipment, components and machinery used directly in the Cold Room Operations in accordance to prevailing policies. Operators should always comply to HDC's standards and guidelines for Halal Park

HALMAS QUALIFYING CRITERIA FOR INDUSTRY PLAYERS

1. Halal Industry Player must be involved in the following four (4) industry sectors only :-
 - Specialty Processed Food
 - Cosmetics/Healthcare/ Personal Care Products & Pharmaceutical
 - Halal Ingredients
 - Livestock and Meat Products
2. Employment of high value knowledge workers with a minimum of 15% of the total workforce including at least two (2) Halal Compliance Officers
3. Located in HDC Designated Halal Parks and Logistics Cold Hubs approved by HDC
4. Must not be involved in trading and consultancy activities
5. Must always comply with prescribed quality, hygiene and environmental guidelines
6. Must always comply with all laws, regulations and licensing requirements where applicable
7. Must comply with HDC's Halal Integrity criteria with tests from accredited laboratories in determining the credibility of the promoted halal products; and
8. Must be involved in new business activities related to Halal and must incorporate a new legal entity in Malaysia



HDC Services

HDC launches its four services to help drive the Malaysian Halal economy, with a focus on offering solutions to important aspects of the ecosystem and facilitating the companies and businesses that are the industry's participants and drivers.



Commercialising halal parks in Malaysia via FDI and DDI growth

- Trade Facilitation
- Investment Facilitation
- HALMAS Incentives
- New Halal industrial park development



Consultancy and Auditing services for halal industry

- Halal certification assistance and support
- Halal assurance advisory to ensure sustainable Halal practices
- Halal framework developments which extends not just for companies, but governments.



Halal training programmes are designed to suit the current business needs and is continuously updated to synchronise with the changes in the market. It offers from fundamental courses to complete Halal Executives programmes.



An online platform that connects and enable Halal industry players in the halal economy; with access to global Halal players as well as government agencies, certification and other professional bodies in leveraging the Halal economy reach for your business



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