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PERUSAHAAN OTOMOBIL NASIONAL SDN. BHD.**

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Assalamualaikum W.B.T

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Distinguished guests,

Ladies and Gentleman,

A very good afternoon and Salam Malaysia Madani.

I am truly delighted to be standing before you today as we gather to celebrate a remarkable achievement in the world of quality assurance and laboratory competence. This is a special occasion – the MS ISO/IEC 17025:2017 Accreditation Certificate Presentation Ceremony for Proton Test Centre, Perusahaan Otomobil Nasional Sdn. Bhd, and I am honored to represent the Department of Standards Malaysia on this significant day.

Ladies and Gentleman,

ISO/IEC 17025 accreditation is the gold standard for laboratories worldwide. It embodies a commitment to technical competence, precision, and a steadfast dedication to delivering accurate and reliable results to clients and stakeholders. Achieving this accreditation is a testament to the tireless pursuit of excellence by our accredited laboratories.

The road to ISO/IEC 17025 accreditation is not an easy one. It requires laboratories to adhere to rigorous standards, maintain stringent quality control measures, and demonstrate their technical competence consistently. It is a journey that involves meticulous attention to detail, continuous improvement, and a steadfast commitment to providing the highest level of service.

Behind each accredited laboratory is a story of perseverance, resilience, and unwavering dedication. It is a story of laboratory personnel who strive for excellence in every test, who embrace the challenges presented by evolving technologies, and who continuously seek to enhance their skills and knowledge.

Furthermore, our celebration today holds an even deeper significance. We are not only acknowledging the remarkable achievements of Proton Test Centre, but we also commemorate another milestone. On the 28th of August 2023, we will mark the 27th anniversary of Standards Malaysia establishment as the national standards and accreditation body. Over the past 27 years, Standards Malaysia has been the driving force in the development of Malaysia and International standards, as well as providing a credible accreditation services. We have consistently strived to maintain quality, facilitate trade, and foster the growth of industries, and we are committed to continuing these efforts and elevate the excellence in all aspects of our work.

In closing, I extend my heartfelt congratulations to Proton Test Centre for the award of ISO/IEC 17025 accreditation. Your achievements are a testament to your unwavering dedication to quality and precision. And as we celebrate these remarkable accomplishment, let us also look forward with renewed determination to continue raising the bar, to keep pushing the boundaries of excellence, and to make a lasting impact on the industries we serve.

Thank you.