

Webinar on Transfer Pricing

Understanding the new Transfer Pricing requirements in 2021

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Session 1 8 December 2020, Tuesday 2.00pm - 3.00pm





Session 2 9 December 2020, Wednesday 9.30am - 10.30am A taxpayer with related party transaction(s) had been required to comply with the arm's length principle and prepare transfer pricing ("TP") documentation since 2009. For preparation of TP documentation, the taxpayer has the option to prepare either a full or simplified version, depending on the amount of gross income and total related party transactions. Failure to prepare a comprehensive TP documentation may result in additional taxes and penalties if the taxpayer is not able to justify that its related party transactions are conducted at arm's length.

The proposals in the recent Finance Bill 2020 introduced enhanced penalties and measures. These indicates the IRB's seriousness in ensuring a taxpayer's compliance with the TP requirements. The proposed changes are as follows:

- Failure of the taxpayer to furnish its TP documentation to the IRB within 30 days will result in a penalty of RM20,000 to RM100,000 or 6 months jail term, or both
- The penalty structure has been changed to 5% of TP adjustment instead of 50% or 30% of additional tax payable
- The DG has the power to disregard the structure of a related party transaction that is not commercially justifiable



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