



## **ACASIA 85th BOD Meeting & 25 years Virtual Launch**

In January 2021, ACASIA Communications Sdn Bhd hosted its 85<sup>th</sup> Board of Directors meeting. Adapting to the new normal, the Board meeting was connected virtually between Management team and the Board of Directors from the main 7 telcos in the ASEAN region, who are ACASIA's shareholders, namely TM (Malaysia), CAT (Thailand), Indosat (Indonesia), PLDT (the Philippines), Singtel (Singapore), Nexus (Brunei) and VNPT (Vietnam).

TM is represented by Mr Amar Huzaimi Md Deris, Executive Vice President of TM WHOLESALe who is the Chairman of ACASIA, and Mr Mohd Roslan Mohd Rashidi, Vice President Sales, TM ONE. Mr Amar & Mr Roslan shared their aspiration towards the organization in supporting the ASEAN business, by leveraging on the shareholders.

### **Virtual Ceremony of ACASIA 25 Years of Camaraderie (1995-2020)**

The gathering also witnessed the first virtual launch as to commemorate the closure of ACASIA's 25 years of camaraderie in the industry. ACASIA has run many initiatives in 2020 leveraging on the new normal situation, including the success of the ACASIA ASEAN Webinar, MCO Challenge, virtual business sharing and few other programs. This success is currently continued in year 2021. This remarkable event also marks the start of the new breath of ACASIA – 2021 and beyond.

### **ACASIA - Universally Connected ASEAN Telco**

Moving forward, ACASIA aspire to be a UNIVERSALLY CONNECTED ASEAN TELCO. The company, with full support of the shareholders, people and customers will be working together in embracing the journey. Commenting on this, Chief Executive Officer of ACASIA, Mr M Satya Riayatsyah commented *"I believe ACASIA is in the right position with the right strength to address digital divide in ASEAN. By addressing this, this region will be more prosperous and economic growth will be there."*

During the meeting, ACASIA Management team contentedly deliberated on the company's 2020 positive business performance as well as the business plan for 2021 moving forward. Despite the challenging year of 2020 following the COVID-19 pandemic, the company managed to meet its performance by exploring new business opportunities since 2020, leveraging on the circumstances which now brings to the new business strategy of the company - going beyond its core connectivity business, with additional focus Digital Infrastructure and Strategic ICT Solutions. Satya added *"We are to protect our existing business and start disrupting ourselves for growth."* In 2021 beyond, ACASIA will continue to leverage on the global and domestic strengths of the shareholders.

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ACASIA 25 years of Camaraderie Launch (1995-2020)

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