PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

25 October 2018

1. Project Code 18-RP-44-GE-DON-C-03

2. Title Strengthening the Programs of the Center of Excellence (COE) on Green Productivity (GP)

3. Project Activity Enhancing the Capacity of the COE on GP

4. Timing and Duration 12–16 November 2018

5. Venue Malaysia

6. Objectives
   a. To strengthen the capability of the COE on GP to identify emerging needs and new initiatives in GP-related areas in the region; and
   b. To support the COE on GP to become a leading regional organization in the areas of resource recycling, green energy, green factories, green buildings, agro-innovation, and other priority areas.

7. Background

The APO COE on GP spearheaded by the China Productivity Center supports the APO in promoting and implementing GP-related activities and publicizes valuable examples of GP practices in the Asia-Pacific region. COE on GP activities focus on resource recycling, green energy, green factories, and eco-innovation. The ultimate goal of focusing on these four areas is to treat waste as a resource by transforming it into part of sustainable systems to bring value to businesses, institutions, and communities; enhance the environment and quality of life; and generate power while minimizing both waste and pollution to reduce the impact of energy production and use on the environment. The COE on GP has helped member countries develop and strengthen their national GP initiatives, especially in capacity building and knowledge dissemination. To upgrade the capability and expertise of the COE on GP, the APO will continue its support to identify emerging needs and new initiatives in GP-related areas in the region.

8. Scope and Methodology

The COE on GP will assign ROC experts to study new initiatives and identify emerging needs in GP-related areas in Malaysia.

The tentative schedule of this project is given below:

**Date/ Time**  
Mon., 12 November  

**Activity**  
Arrival of experts in Malaysia

Visit: EcoLean Consultancy Sdn. Bhd.
Topic: GP Implementation Success Stories in Malaysia
Tues., 13 November  
Visit: Environment and Natural Resources Economic Section, Economic Planning Unit (EPU), Prime Minister’s Department (JPM)  
Topic: The Environment and Natural Resources in Malaysia  
Visit: GreenTech Malaysia/government agencies in charge of the National Green Technology Policy  
Topic: National Green Technology Policy, Need Assessment, and Policy Implementation

Wed., 14 November  
Visit: Malaysia Green Building Confederation  
Topic: Sustainably Built Environment in Malaysia  
Visit: Malaysian Investment Development Authority (MIDA)  
Topic: Malaysian Foreign Investment Policy

Thurs., 15 November  
Visit: Malaysia Productivity Corporation  
Topic: Discussions on possible collaboration for future projects  
Visit: Brahim SATS Airline Caterer Services  
Topic: Halal Food Security and Sustainability

Fri., 16 November  
Departure of expert team from Malaysia

9. **Financial Arrangements**

**To be borne by the APO**  
All assignment costs of up to two assigned COE experts

**To be borne by the participating countries**  
All local implementation costs including costs for meetings and local surface transportation during the assignment in the country.

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