

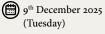




PDPA Compliance, DPO Readiness and Effectiveness Training

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CPD Course













About This Course

This one-day programme is designed to enhance participants' awareness and understanding of Malaysia's Personal Data Protection Act (PDPA) 2010 & 2024 (Amendment) and the roles and responsibilities of Data Protection Officers (DPOs).

It focuses on the legal, organisational and practical aspects of data-protection compliance, supported by case-based learning and hands-on activities to reinforce effective implementation.

Learning Methodologies

Lectures and tutorials

Reference articles and Malaysian PDPA materials

Case studies and case laws

Worksheet activities

Group discussion

feedback session

Target Participants

Suitable for:

- Data Protection Officers (DPOs)
- Compliance and Risk Managers
- Legal Advisers and In-House Counsel
- HR Managers
- IT Managers
- Anyone involved in handling personal data

Training Objectives

- Understand the key principles and obligations under the Malaysian PDPA.
- Recognise the legal, ethical and operational responsibilities of a DPO.
- Identify compliance gaps and recommend strategies for improvement.
- Apply practical tools and frameworks for data-protection management.
- Analyse local case laws to contextualise enforcement and consequences.

Learning Outcomes

Upon completion, participants will be able to:

- ☑ Explain the seven Personal Data Protection Principles.
- ☑ Describe the scope and territorial application of the PDPA.
- Assess the DPO's role in governance, policy development and breach response.
- ☑ Conduct a basic data audit and risk assessment.
- ☑ Review and critique PDPA-related enforcement cases in Malaysia.

Course Content

Module 1	
Introduction to PDPA 2010 & 2024 (Amendment)	Background and objectives of the PDPA Key definitions and regulatory scope
Module 2	
The Seven PDPA Principles	General, Notice and Choice, Disclosure, Security, Retention, Data Integrity and Access Principles
Module 3	
The Role of a Data Protection Officer (DPO)	 Accountability, responsibilities and statutory obligations Organisational governance and compliance oversight
Module 4	
Rights of Data Subjects and Consent Management	Individual rights and organisational duties Valid consent requirements and limitations
Module 5	
Data Breach Notification and Enforcement	Incident response obligations Reporting requirements and penalties
Module 6	
Best Practices and Tools for Compliance	Frameworks, templates and audit tools Strategies for continuous improvement
Module 7	
Cross-Border Data Transfer and Global Comparison	Transfers outside MalaysiaComparison with GDPR and other international standards

About the Instructor

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- HRD Corp Certified Trainer
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