

DPM launches Huawei's Asia Pacific Digital Cloud Exchange in Medini

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Deputy Prime Minister Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin visits digital cloud exchange centre after launching the Huawei's Asia Pacific Digital Cloud Exchange in Bandar Medini, Nusajaya, Johor Baru. Pix by Zulkarnain Ahmad Tajuddin

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NUSAJAYA: The Government is committed to the nation's digital economy, especially in terms of the data centre industry which is expected to grow further and contribute RM2.1 billion to the country's gross national income by 2020.

Deputy Prime Minister Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin said the Government's commitment can be seen through the numerous measures under the 11th Malaysia Plan, the Economic Transformation Programme and the Digital Malaysia and Global Technology Hub initiatives.

"The data centre industry in Malaysia recorded a strong revenue of RM795 million in 2014, surpassing a target of RM785 million. The industry has grown by 40 per cent in the last three years, surpassing the Asia Pacific growth rate of 16 per cent," said Muhyiddin.

The deputy prime minister said this in his speech at the launch of Huawei's Asia Pacific Digital Cloud Exchange in Bandar Medini here. Also present was Huawei Malaysia chief executive officer Abraham Liu.