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Civil Aviation Department upgrades MMSS-GTS

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THE Department of Civil Aviation, Ministry of Communications signed a contract with a local enterprise, Rennovo Solutions Sdn Bhd on Tuesday to upgrade their existing system with a robust and up-to-date Meteorological Message Switching System.

The department, in a press release issued yesterday, included cost effectiveness, fast reception and efficient services as being some of the "intended tangible benefits".

The contract signing was for "The Supply, Delivery, Installation, Integration, Configuration, Training, Testing and Commissioning for Upgrading Meteorological Message Switching System – Global Telecommunication System (MMSS-GTS) for the Department of Civil Aviation".

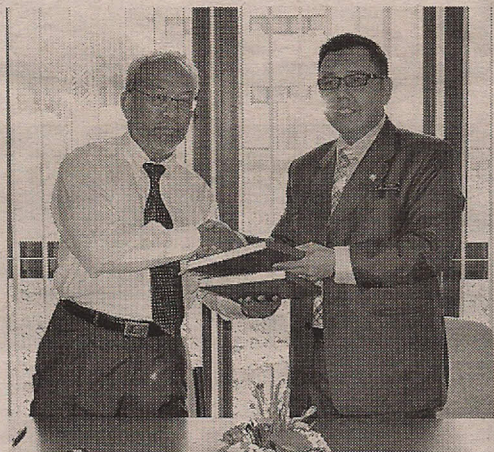
Signing the contract on behalf of His Majesty's Government was the Director of Civil Aviation, Hj Omarali Hj Mohd Ja'afar, whereas Rennovo Solutions Sdn Bhd was presented by its Chairman, Hj Sapawi Bolhassan.

Acting Chief Meteorological Officer, Dr Hj Sidup Hj Sirabaha and Project Manager of Rennovo Solutions, Firdausi Zainidi witnessed the signing.

MMSS-GTS is a system that collects data and information from World Meteorological Organisation (WMO) Global Telecommunication System.

It is able to receive local and remote distribution of all types of meteorological data and products, including graphical products and pre-flight briefing for pilot. - *Rasidah HAB*

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Director of Civil Aviation, Hj Omarali (R) exchanging documents with Hj Sapawi (L), chairman of Rennovo Solutions Sdn Bhd during the contract signing ceremony. *Picture: Courtesy of Department of Civil Aviation*