

### **Dato' Yeo Boon Leong, JP**

Dato' Yeo, aged 52, is a prominent corporate and public figure in Malaysia. He holds a Bachelor of Commerce Degree from Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand. He is an entrepreneur, started as a Sale Manager in Denko Industrial Bhd in early 1995. From there, he ventured into retail, distribution and manufacturing of household and industrial products, logistics and warehouse management, property development and construction, energy & power plant concessionaire and multimedia technology. Presently, he is an Executive Chairman with controlling stakes in Asia Poly Holdings Bhd and Ta Win Holdings Bhd ("Ta Win").

Dato' Yeo is also the Managing Director in various other private companies in Malaysia such as Gere Industries (M) Sdn Bhd ("Gere"), renowned for manufacturing, assembly and packaging of door lock & handle and other household DIY hardware based in Puchong, High Reserve Marketing Sdn Bhd. Complementary, an exclusive marketer for Gere's Products for export across Asia countries, and Dian Be Hardware Co. Sdn Bhd ("Dian Be"), a specialized retailer for all household hardware products based across the Peninsular States of Malaysia.

Ta Win Holdings Berhad has many parallels to Dato' Yeo's existing companies. Gere manufactures end products made of copper, hence Ta Win represents an upstream copper portfolio expansion and diversification move. Asia Poly is a highly comparable company to Ta Win, as it similarly manufactures production inputs into a diverse range of end products in a variety of industries. In addition, Ta Win is in a similar financial situation as Asia Poly was in before Dato' Yeo got involved and restructured the company into a profitable debt-free operation, which is the same turnaround story he is confidently pursuing for Ta Win.

In addition to his established business background, Dato' Yeo is also an active and vibrant social contributor to the local community services. He was awarded by DYMM Seri Paduka Baginda Yang Di Pertuan Agong Sultan Muhammad V the Justice of Peace and Datoship in 2011 and 2013 respectively.