



# **INCLEMENT WEATHER**

- What is and how to claim

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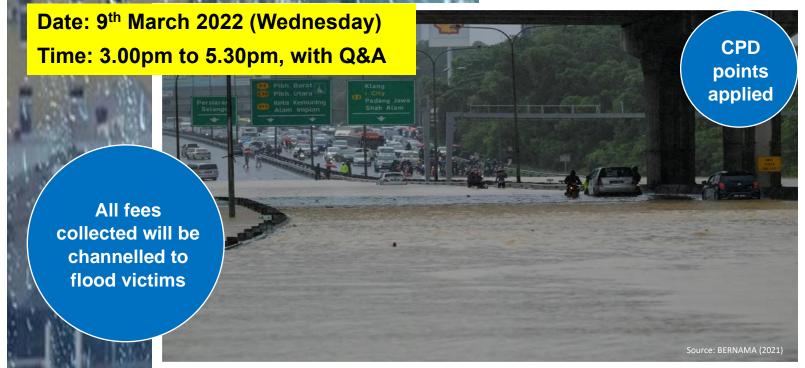
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### **OBJECTIVE**

In recent years, the weather is no longer as predictable as before owing to global warming and climate changes. In Dec 2021, many parts of Malaysia were hit hard by devastating floods from Typhon Rai/Odette rage causing significant losses and damages to infrastructure, buildings, economy, social, etc., with numerous reported fatalities and thousands have lost their home. For the construction industry, the severe flood disaster has adversely impacted many construction works progress and cost.

Inclement or adverse weather conditions have been recognized as valid ground or event for extension of time claims. However, the success rate for such claims is often rather slim due to lack of understanding and documentation to support them.

Therefore, it is critical for contracting parties, especially employers, consultants, contractors, subcontractors, suppliers, etc. to know what are the commercial and/or contractual recourse available in dealing with delays and damages resulting from the effects of inclement weather on construction work progress and productivity.

In this webinar, we aim to provide participants with an understanding and appreciation of what is "inclement" or "adverse" weather claims with reference to Malaysian and several overseas' standard forms of construction contract, supported with relevant legal cases.

We shall explore how inclement or adverse weather can be a relevant event in claiming for delay and/or loss/expense entitlements under construction contracts.

Specific emphasis is on the methodology, computation and analysis of meteorological data and its measurement to support a claim on inclement weather condition based on adversity and exceptionality in order to succeed.

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