

## For Immediate Release

### MESINIAGA APPOINTS NEW MANAGING DIRECTOR

Subang Jaya, 13 December 2013 – The Board of Directors of Mesiniaga Berhad (“Mesiniaga”) has approved the appointment of Mohamed Fitri Abdullah as its new Managing Director (MD) which will take effect on 1 January 2014. He succeeds Fathil Ismail who will remain on the board of Mesiniaga Berhad as a Non-Independent Non-Executive Director.

Fitri, 49, has over 25 years of experience in the ICT industry in both local and international settings. Within the past 12 years of his career, he held various senior leadership positions in several companies such as Maxis Berhad (“Maxis”) and Hewlett-Packard (Malaysia) (“HP”) Sdn. Bhd. based in Malaysia. His last position before joining Mesiniaga was with Maxis as Senior Vice President and Head of Maxis Business Services where he was responsible for the Corporate, Government, SME and wholesale business for Maxis. At HP, his last position was as the Asian Regional Director for the Communications Industry for HP’s Consulting and System Integration business division and prior to that, as the overall Director for South-East-Asia for HP’s Consulting and Systems Integration business. Fitri has a Bachelor of Science degree in Computer Science from Indiana State University, a Master of Science degree in Computer Science from Arizona State University and attended the Advanced Management Program from Harvard Business School in 2011.

Datuk Wan Fusil, Chairman of the Board said, “We are pleased to welcome Fitri into the company as our new Managing Director. We strongly feel that he is the right person to lead Mesiniaga going forward because he understands our objective of being the best at ‘Driving Customer Success’ through technology, and has the necessary leadership and management experience and skills to accomplish this.”

Fitri's appointment comes at the right time as Mesiniaga is attempting to drive a higher margin business by offering more strategic and outcome-centric business solutions and services to its customers. His track record has shown that Fitri has been able to grow existing businesses in terms of revenue growth with improved profitability while starting up new ICT service businesses as new revenue and profit streams.

Datuk Wan Fusil continued, "The Board would also like to express its appreciation to Fathil Ismail for his valuable contribution during his tenure as Managing Director for the last six years from 2008 to 2013."

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## **About Mesiniaga**

Mesiniaga is a listed company on Bursa Securities and one of Malaysia's leading, bumiputera ICT solutions providers and integrators. Initially established in 1981 to serve as IBM's sole agent and dealer, the company has now evolved into a multi-platform business solutions provider with a paid-up capital of RM60.4 million. Mesiniaga provides a range of IT solutions and services and is supported by many internationally renowned technology companies. These innovative solutions are able to provide the building blocks, management capabilities and security for any IT infrastructure. They are also best of breed business answers meant to empower client's productivity, competitive advantage and profitability. The company's mission is to help customers succeed. As such, technology is used as an enabler in improving business performance and the company's main aim is to maximise customer's returns on IT investments. For more information please go to <http://www.mesiniaga.com.my>

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