

## STRATEGIC TRADE ACT (STA) 2010

"FACILITATING TRADE IN A SECURE TRADING **ENVIRONMENT** 

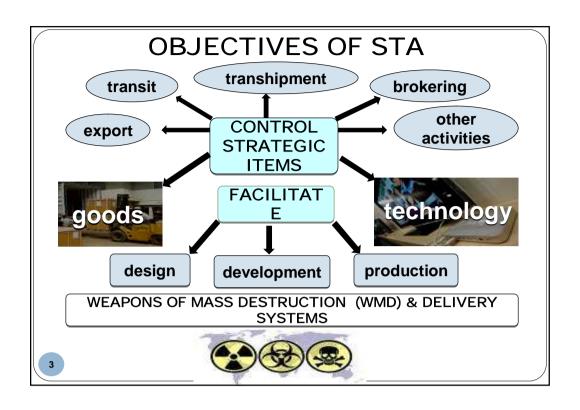


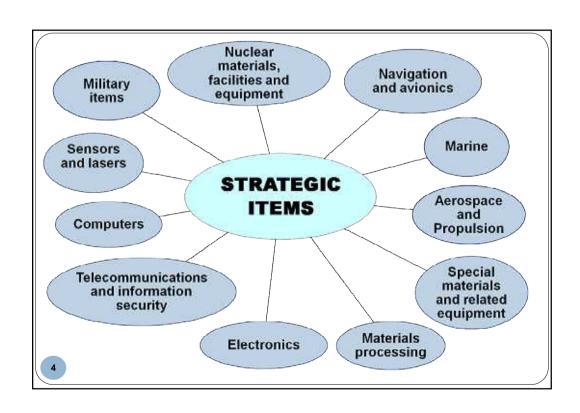
## THE ENACTMENT OF STA 2010

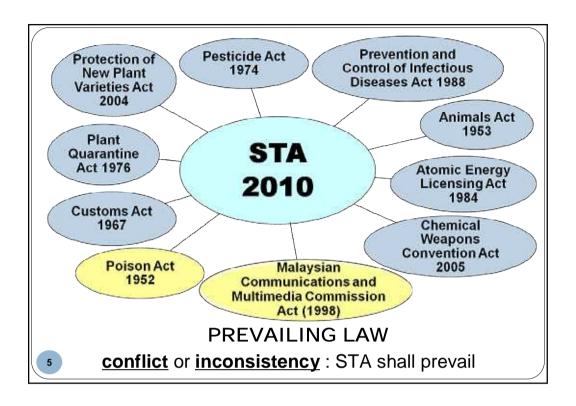
- Cabinet approval
  - 26 March 2010
- Parliament
  - 5 April 2010 (Dewan Rakyat)
  - 6 May 2010 (Dewan Negara)
- Royal Assent
  - 2 June 2010
- Gazette
  - 10 June 2010











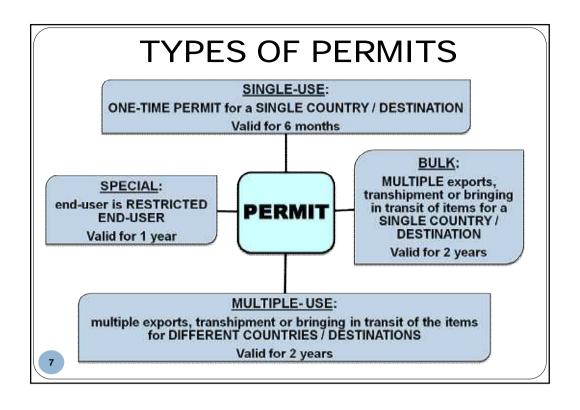
#### PARTNER AGENCIES

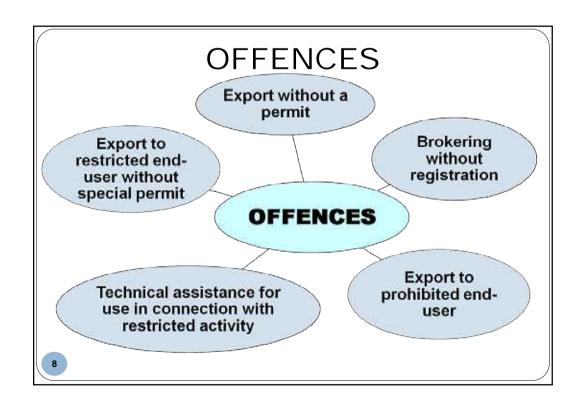
## <u>Licensing Ministry /</u> Agencies:

- •Ministry Of International Trade And Industry
- Malaysian Communication And Multimedia Commission
- •Atomic Energy Licensing Board
- Pharmaceutical Division, Ministry Of Health

#### **Enforcement Agencies:**

- Royal Malaysian Customs
- Royal Malaysian Police
- Malaysian Maritime Enforcement Agency





#### **PENALTIES**

- · the most severe penalty is:
  - · death; or
  - · life imprisonment; or
  - if such offence is committed by a body corporate, a minimum fine of RM30 million.

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### IMPORTANT DEFINITIONS

export

- to take or cause to be <u>taken</u> out of <u>Malaysia</u> any <u>items</u>\*
- · by land, sea or air
- or to place any items in a conveyance
- for the purpose of such items being taken out of Malaysia

\* "items" includes goods and technology

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#### CONTINUED...

## "INTANGIBLE TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER"

export

- to <u>transmit technology</u> by any means
- to a <u>destination outside</u> <u>Malaysia</u>
- includes any <u>oral or visual</u> transmission of technology
- · by a communication device

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#### CONTINUED...

# bring in transit

- to <u>bring items</u> from any country <u>into Malaysia</u>
- · by land, sea or air
- where the items are to be taken out from Malaysia

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- to <u>remove items</u> from the conveyance
- on which they were brought into Malaysia
- and to place the items on the <u>same or another</u> <u>conveyance</u>
- for the purpose of taking them out of Malaysia
- where these acts are carried out on a through bill of lading, through airway bill or through manifest

transhipment

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#### CONTINUED...

brokering

- the activity of a person who, either on his <u>own</u> <u>behalf</u> or acting as an <u>agent</u> on behalf of another person-
- (a) negotiates, arranges or facilitate the purchasing, financing, conveying, sale or supply of items; or
- (b) buys, sells or supplies such items

