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Forum Session 1:

Minimum Wage Policy in Malaysia : Its Impact and The Readiness of Employers

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YBhg. Professor Emeritus Tan Sri Anuwar Ali is one of the leading figures in Malaysian academia. He was the President/Vice-Chancellor of Open University Malaysia (OUM) and Chief Executive Officer of Multimedia Technology Enhancement Operations Sdn Bhd (METEOR), the holding company of OUM. Professor Emeritus Tan Sri Anuwar graduated with a Degree in BSc (Economics) from the Queen's University in Belfast, Northern Ireland, in 1970. He furthered his studies and obtained his Masters and PhD from the University of Leicester and University of Kent, Canterbury, United Kingdom.



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