31 August 2021

The Honourable Dato’ Sri Mustapa Bin Mohamed
Minister in the Prime Minister’s Department
Federal Government Administrative Centre
Malaysia

Excellency,

On behalf of the Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries, I have the honor to extend to Your Excellency, the Government and the People of Malaysia our sincere congratulations and best wishes on the auspicious occasion of the Independence Day of Malaysia, celebrated on 31st August.

We at OPEC are proud of our profound friendship with Malaysia and the fruitful partnership we have developed under the framework of the historic Declaration of Cooperation, signed by OPEC Member Countries and Non-OPEC Countries in December 2016. The timely and visionary decisions taken by the Countries participating in the DoC have led to the largest overproduction adjustment in the history of OPEC and in the history of the oil industry. The result of our joint efforts in the past months are now visible as we have embarked on a path of recovery.

Excellency, as we look forward to restore stability to the oil markets for the years to come, I would like to take this opportunity to express our appreciation for your continuous collaboration in the implementation of the current production adjustment agreements. I am confident that we will have the chance to pave the path for a reinforced cooperation.

I avail myself to convey to Your Excellency my sincere best wishes of good health and prosperity.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration and esteem.

Mohammad Sanusi Barkindo
Secretary General