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Dear Sir,

**EQUIVALENCY OF THE LCCI INTERNATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS PROGRAMMES
BY THE EDI, UK:**

- i. Specialised Diploma in Cost Accounting**
- ii. Specialised Diploma in Managerial Accounting**
- iii. Specialised Diploma in Accounting and Finance**
- iv. Specialised Diploma in Business Management and Accounting**

I refer to the above matter.

2. I am pleased to inform you that the application for equivalency of the LCCI International Qualifications Programmes by the EDI, UK was presented at the Malaysian Qualifications Agency (MQA) Equivalency Committee Meeting on November 29, 2011.

3. The decision made by the MQA Equivalency Committee is as follows:

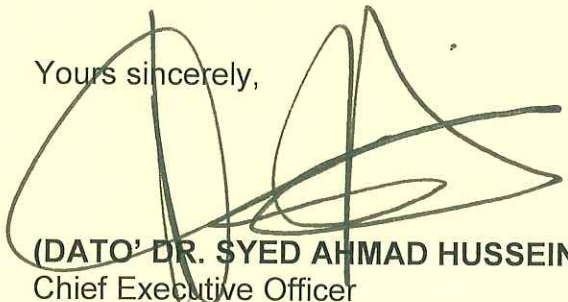
- i. The above programmes are equivalent to a Foundation level programme.
- ii. The Specialised Diploma in Cost Accounting, Specialised Diploma in Managerial Accounting and Specialised Diploma in Accounting and Finance programmes should be offered as one programme in accordance with the current policy for a broad based foundation programme.

(Sila catatkan rujukan jabatan ini apabila berhubung)

- iii. The EDI, UK and the Higher Education Providers (HEPs) in Malaysia should have a clear agreement on the offerings of these programmes in Malaysia in terms of the curriculum coverage, final assessment, certification and records of the transcripts and certificates.
- iv. Credit transfer from these programmes should not be granted for graduates who enter into a Bachelor's Degree programme or equivalent such as the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants, UK (ACCA) and the Chartered Institute of Management Accountants, UK (CIMA).
- v. The objectives of these programmes must be aligned with learning outcomes appropriate for a foundation level. The learning outcomes stated as "suitable to work independently or supervise and train others in their field of work which requires a wide range of complex tasks and situations" should be reviewed.
- vi. The course offerings need to be adjusted accordingly to mirror the programme structure as a foundation programme and the total credit value for graduation.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,



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