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RHB INTRODUCES SME BANKING PORTAL, THE FIRST IN THE MARKET

Kuala Lumpur - RHB Bank Berhad ("RHB") has introduced the RHB SME Banking Portal, the first online portal that provides SME clients with quick access to information and products relevant to their businesses. The RHB's SME Banking Portal is the first of its kind in the market.

The RHB SME Banking Portal list of features include online account application, online loan/financing application, product information for SME's, an SME Knowledge Centre, and business tools to help make informed decisions. SMEs can now submit their application for a current account and loan/financing through this online platform, and also get up-to-date market insights and treasury reports, amongst other pertinent information available on the portal.

"In line with RHB's Digital Transformation, the RHB SME Banking Portal was designed for us to reach out to SMEs. With this portal, our SME clients have information at the tip of their fingers on SME products and will be able to submit their applications for a current account without the hassle of going to our branches. To encourage adoption of this new channel, RHB is offering preferential rates to clients who successfully apply for a current account online for limited time," said Datin Amy Ooi, Head of Group Business and Transaction Banking.

Amy added, "We target to have 20,000 unique visits to the RHB SME Banking Portal and 500 new clients via this portal by year end. At RHB, we continuously strive to provide our customers with simple, fast and seamless banking experiences."

To enjoy an enhanced digital banking experience, SMEs may log on to https://www.rhbgroup.com/sme

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