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TNB'S ETCON26 CONCLUDES WITH STRONG INDUSTRY SUPPORT, ADVANCING PARTNERSHIPS FOR INCLUSIVE ENERGY TRANSITION

More than 4,000 delegates from across ASEAN and key global markets came together at **Tenaga Nasional Berhad's (TNB)** flagship convention, the Energy Transition Conference 2026 (ETCon26), which concluded today with a strong emphasis on translating dialogues and conversations into concrete implementation.

The three-day conference saw the formation of key strategic partnerships and agreements, policy alignments and investment-driven collaborations, reinforcing ETCon26 as a catalyst for actionable outcomes that advance Malaysia's and ASEAN's energy transition agenda.

Bringing together policymakers, government agencies, industry leaders, financial and global partners, the conference reflected growing regional momentum towards accelerating clean energy deployment, strengthening cross-border cooperation and building a more resilient, future-ready energy ecosystem that is aligned with the aspirations of the National Energy Transition Roadmap (NETR).

ETCon26 received strong support from across the global energy ecosystem, with participation from 42 key strategic partners encompassing multiple sectors. The conference also welcomed participants from over 60 countries, alongside approximately 80 speakers comprising policymakers, industry leaders, investors, technology experts and academics from around the world — reflecting the growing international significance of ETCon26 as a regional platform driving meaningful energy transition conversations, partnerships and solutions.

Key Partnerships Driving Implementation

ETCon26 saw the formalisation of 15 strategic partnerships and agreements across renewable energy, cross-border power, grid development, gas infrastructure and capability building.

These partnerships were formed to accelerate clean and renewable energy deployment, enable cross-border green power initiatives, strengthen grid infrastructure and build local capabilities to support long-term energy transition ambitions. Together, they signal growing momentum to move projects from planning into concrete implementation.

The agreements were witnessed by key national leaders across the three-day programme, including the Prime Minister, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Energy Transition and Water Transformation (PETRA), Deputy Minister of PETRA, Minister and Deputy Minister of Economy, and Minister of Natural Resources and Environmental Sustainability, indicating strong institutional commitment and policy support towards advancing Malaysia's sustainable energy agenda.

These partnerships include hybrid hydro floating solar and ground mounted solar projects with battery storage, cross-border renewable energy initiatives, rooftop solar deployments, gas infrastructure development, grid modernisation collaborations, and capability-building programmes under the Energy Transition & Sustainability Academy (ETSA).

Driving ASEAN's Energy Transition Forward

Key discussions throughout the three-day conference centred on the growing urgency to accelerate ASEAN's energy transition amid rising electricity demand driven by artificial intelligence (AI), digitalisation and the rapid expansion of data centres. Conversations also focused on clean energy security, strengthening grid resilience, scaling renewable energy deployment and advancing cross-border energy connectivity through initiatives such as the ASEAN Power Grid.

Across plenaries, ministerial dialogues and technical sessions, participants emphasised the need for stronger alignment between policy, industry and investment to ensure the region remains competitive, secure and sustainable in an increasingly complex global landscape.

Importantly, the conference reinforced the importance of ensuring the energy transition remains inclusive and people-centric, with continued focus on workforce development, local industry participation, SME empowerment and the creation of new economic opportunities within the green and digital economy.

Powering the Next Phase of Energy Transition

As the convenor, TNB brought together stakeholders to foster collaboration and enable project delivery. The conference reflected TNB's position not only as a utility, but also as a driver and enabler of partnerships and implementation across Malaysia's evolving energy landscape.

"ETCon26 has demonstrated that Malaysia possesses the policy frameworks, the industrial partnerships, the technical expertise, and the institutional will to advance the energy transition at a pace and scale commensurate with the challenge," said TNB President/Chief Executive Officer, Datuk Ir. Ts. Shamsul Ahmad.

"The conclusion of ETCon26 marks the start of the next phase, as agreements and partnerships formed over the past three days move forward with stronger coordination across Malaysia and the ASEAN region," he added.

As ASEAN's energy and digital demands continue to grow, ETCon26 laid the groundwork for stronger regional connectivity, cleaner growth and more resilient energy systems, supporting Malaysia's role in shaping a more sustainable and integrated energy future.

About ETCon26

Organised by TNB, ETCon26 serves as a regional platform that convenes policymakers, industry leaders, investors, academics and innovators to accelerate collaboration and actionable outcomes in the energy transition agenda. The conference brings together approximately 80 speakers from Malaysia and around the world, representing diverse sectors including energy, technology, finance, policy and infrastructure. Centred on the theme Energy & AI: The Synergy for Energy Transition, ETCon26 is anchored on three content pillars, namely Energy for AI, AI for Energy and Energy Transition for People.

About Tenaga Nasional Berhad (TNB)

Tenaga Nasional Berhad (www.tnb.com.my) is a leading Malaysian utility company in Asia with an international presence in the United Kingdom (UK), Ireland, Australia, Turkiye, Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Pakistan, and Cambodia. Within the renewable energy space, TNB has a total gross portfolio of 3.3 Gigawatts (GW) in Peninsular Malaysia (including 2.5GW of large hydro) and 1.3GW across the UK, Ireland, Australia, and Turkiye, comprising mainly solar, wind, and hydro energy generation assets. In addition to being the nation's primary electricity generation enterprise, TNB also transmits and distributes electricity across Peninsular Malaysia, Sabah, and the Federal Territory of Labuan. As of 31 March 2026, TNB supplies electricity to over 11 million customers.

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On 4 June 2026, **Tenaga Nasional Berhad's (TNB)** Energy Transition Conference 2026 (ETCon26) marked a significant milestone as Prime Minister, Dato' Seri Anwar Ibrahim, officially launched the conference, reaffirming Malaysia's commitment towards advancing a sustainable, resilient and future-ready energy ecosystem.

ETCon26 continued the momentum of the inaugural conference in 2023, which saw the launch of the National Energy Transition Roadmap (NETR) by the Prime Minister.

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Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Energy Transition and Water Transformation, Datuk Amar Fadillah Yusof, accompanied by TNB senior management, toured the TNB Immersive Tunnel following the opening ceremony of the Energy Transition Conference 2026 (ETCon26) at the Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre on 3 June 2026.

The TNB Immersive Tunnel presents an interactive experience showcasing Malaysia's energy landscape aspirations and direction over the next 25 years, covering renewable energy technologies, battery energy storage, hydrogen technologies, and carbon capture initiatives towards a more sustainable and resilient energy system.

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TNB President/Chief Executive Officer Datuk Ir. Ts. Shamsul Ahmad delivered the welcoming address at the Energy Transition Conference 2026 (ETCon26) held at the Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre on 3 June 2026.

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Prime Minister, Dato' Seri Anwar Ibrahim (centre) witnessed the exchange of documents for a Bilateral Energy Supply Contract (BESC) under the Corporate Renewable Energy Supply Scheme (CRESS) between TNB and DayOne. The documents were exchanged between TNB President/Chief Executive Officer, Datuk Ir. Ts. Shamsul Ahmad and DayOne Chief Executive Officer, Jamie Khoo.

Also witnessing the ceremony were the Energy Transition and Water Transformation (PETRA) Deputy Minister, Dato' Sri Abdul Rahman Mohamad (second from left), TNB Chairman, Tan Sri Abdul Razak Abdul Majid (second from right), DayOne Chairman, Lim Ah Doo (far left), and Energy Commission Chairman, Datuk Seri Asri Hamidon (far right).

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Delegates attended various knowledge-sharing sessions and strategic discussions at the Energy Transition Conference 2026 (ETCon26), which brought together ministers, policymakers, industry leaders, investors, technology experts, academics and thought leaders from Malaysia and abroad.

Over the three-day conference, ETCon26 featured plenary sessions, ministerial dialogues, breakout sessions and pocket talks covering key topics including energy transition, artificial intelligence (AI), energy security, renewable energy development, digitalisation, and cross-border collaboration to accelerate the energy transition agenda in Malaysia and ASEAN.

PHOTO 6



Visitors engaged with demonstrations of artificial intelligence (AI)-driven technologies and digital solutions showcased during the Energy Transition Conference 2026 (ETCon26).