Training and Education for Cooperative Movement in Malaysia with Special Reference to Cooperative College of Malaysia

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ABSTRACT

This study focuses on the Cooperative Movement in Malaysia with special reference to the training and education activities organized and conducted by the three organizations namely, Cooperative Development Department (CDD), Cooperative College of Malaysia (CCM) and the Cooperative National Organization of Malaysia (ANGKASA).

Some aspects highlighted in the study include the description of the formation and development of the Cooperative Movement in Malaysia since its inception in 1922. Then the discussion focuses on the roles and functions of the three organizations responsible for the growth and development of the cooperatives. A particular attention is given to the training and education activities conducted by the three organizations, especially by the Cooperative College of Malaysia, being the one and only training institution for the cooperative movement.

Finally, the study also shows the findings of the study and the recommendations made to improve the training and education activities provided by the three organizations.
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| ANGKASA      | National Cooperative Organization of Malaysia  
               (Angkatan Koperasi Kebangsaan Malaysia) |
| CCM          | Cooperative College of Malaysia |
|              | (MKM - Maktab Kerjasama Malaysia - in Bahasa) |
| CDD          | Cooperative Development Department |
|              | (JPK - Jabatan Pembangunan Koperasi - in Bahasa) |
| CEMAS        | Cooperative Education Material Advisory Service |
| FDA          | Fishery Development Authority |
| FOA          | Farmer's Organization Authority |
| FELDA        | Federal Land Development Authority |
| FELCRA       | Federal Land Consolidation and Rehabilitation Authority |
| ICA          | International Cooperative Alliance |
| ILO          | International Labor Organization |
| INTAN        | Institute Tadbiran Negara |
| MIM          | Management Institute of Malaysian |
| MLCD         | Ministry of Land and Cooperative Development |
| MATCOM       | Materials and Techniques for Cooperative Management Training |
| MCSS         | Malaysia Cooperative Supermarket Society Ltd.  
               (KOPASAR - Koperasi Pasaraya Malaysia) |
| PSD          | Public Service Department |
| PWTC         | Putra World Trade Center |
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