

## International Arbiter Norm Report Form

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Arbiter's last name: <b>A. Yusuf</b>	First name: <b>Sophian</b>	Code (if any): <b>5727642</b>
Date of birth: <b>1974/12/27</b>	Place of birth: <b>Kota Kinabalu, Sabah, Malaysia</b>	Federation: <b>MAS</b>
Federation, where event took place: <b>MAS</b>	Event: <b>15th Dato' Arthur Tan Malaysian Open 2018</b>	
Dates: <b>2018/08/20 - 08/26</b>	Venue: <b>Cititel Midvalley, Kuala Lumpur</b>	type of event: <b>SS</b>
Number of players: <b>153</b>	Number of FIDE Rated players: <b>150</b>	Number of rounds: <b>9</b>
Number of federations represented: <b>18</b>		

Confidential Report: (Comments of Chief Arbiter, failing that Organizer)

These should refer to the Arbiter's knowledge of the Laws, the Pairing Rules used and other regulations. Also his/her objectivity, ability to cope with any incidents that arose and consideration for the protection of players from disturbance and distraction.

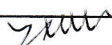
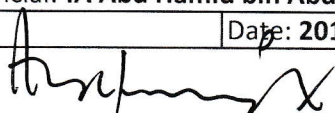
**A. Yusuf, Sophian is a dedicated arbiter. He managed to control the event well and is well versed in the Laws of Chess. He is strongly recommended to be an International Arbiter.**

Recommendation: (Delete one of the following statements).

The Arbiter's performance

(1) was of the required standard for a International Arbiter.

~~(2) was fairly good but s/he still needs to gain more experience.~~

Name: <b>IA Cheong, Kok Love (5716802)</b>	Signature 
Position: <b>Chief Arbiter</b>	Federation: <b>MAS</b> Date: <b>2018/08/24</b>
Name of Authenticating Federation official: <b>IA Abd Hamid bin Abd Majid (5707021)</b>	
Signature 	Date: <b>2018/08/24</b>

The organizer is responsible for providing the above certificate to each Arbiter who in the opinion of the Chief Arbiter has qualified for an international FIDE Arbiter norm and who requests it before the end of the tournament. If the certificate is for the Chief Arbiter it should be based on the judgment of a previously authorized official who should, if possible, be an International Arbiter, failing that a FIDE Arbiter.

When applying for the IA title, the applicant's federation must attach to this form the Tournament Report form (IT3) and a copy of any appeals decisions.