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## **Bombardier Transportation and CanCham Thailand Renew Sustainability Partnership for 2019**

- **Partnership will continue to develop activities around workplace equality, innovation, education and leadership development**
- **As part of a new focus on health and wellness, CanCham Thailand and Bombardier will partner with Bumrungrad Hospital on a series of workplace talks**

**Bangkok, February 13, 2019** – The Thai-Canadian Chamber of Commerce (CanCham) and Bombardier Transportation have renewed their Sustainability Partnership agreement for 2019. The co-operation will continue to focus on promoting activities in areas of common interest such as workplace equality, innovation, education and leadership development.

In addition, a series of Health and Wellness talks will be held at Bombardier Transportation's Bangkok site in 2019. Organised by CanCham in cooperation with Bumrungrad Hospital, the talks will cover topics such as stress management, workplace wellbeing and women's health.

John Stevens, President of CanCham commented, "We continue to see a strong strategic alignment between Bombardier and CanCham's values. Issues such as empowering women, leadership training and coaching as well as health and wellness are core to our Sustainability and Smart Business platform, and we look forward to our member companies and partner organizations joining our calendar of initiatives throughout 2019."

Gregory Enjalbert, Managing Director Thailand and Vice President, Rail Control Solutions Asia Pacific, Bombardier Transportation, added, "With environment, education and entrepreneurship at the core of Bombardier's values, our partnership with CanCam Thailand is an important channel to drive activities for sustainable business. It is very exciting to see our joint programme expanding, including our new focus on health and wellbeing, promoting issues that are important for Bombardier and Thailand's future."

These activities will fall under the banner of a Sustainability and Smart Business Platform which serves as the focal point for organisations to engage and collaborate on topics including workplace equality, innovation and education. The first initiative under this banner sees Bombardier participating as a key partner in CanCham Thailand's Women in Leadership Forum on February 13, in Bangkok, which will be attended and supported by H.E. Donica Pottie, Canadian Ambassador to Thailand, Cambodia and Laos and H.E. Diedrah Kelly, Canadian Ambassador to the Association of Southeast Asian Nations.

Since establishing its Bangkok site in 1997, Bombardier has grown its highly-skilled local team of over 620 employees at its Regional Hub and Engineering Centre working on rail signalling, vehicle and system integration projects for Asia Pacific and globally.

### **About the CanCham Thailand**

CanCham Thailand was officially registered in 1991. Our objectives are to provide a forum to promote the exchange of ideas, information and opportunities for our individual and corporate members with an interest in commercial relations between Canada and Thailand. We also actively foster the expansion of business links between the two countries, while providing social and business networking opportunities here in Bangkok.

### **About Bombardier Transportation**

Bombardier Transportation is a global leader in rail technology and offers the broadest portfolio in the industry. It covers the full spectrum of rail solutions, ranging from trains to sub-systems and signalling. The company also provides complete transport systems, e-mobility technology and maintenance services. As an innovation driver, Bombardier Transportation continuously breaks new ground in sustainable mobility. It provides integrated solutions that create substantial benefits for operators, passengers and the environment. Headquartered in Berlin, Germany, Bombardier Transportation employs around 39,850 people and its products and services operate in over 60 countries.

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