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THE Ministry of Science Technology and Innovation (Mosti), via its strategic agency Mimos, last Friday signed memorandum of agreements with 10 technology recipients from various industries to develop products based on Mimos technology platforms for commercialisation.

"Mimos technology platforms developed at our labs continues to gain momentum from the indigenous industries.

"The transfer of Mimos technology platforms is a testament to the value-add that they can bring to the technology recipients by enhancing their existing products and services, giving them the competitive edge in the challenging market space," Mimos president & CEO Datuk Abdul Wahab Abdullah said.

The recipients include Alam Teknokrat Sdn Bhd (Skali) and Biforst Technology Sdn Bhd, both awarded with Semantic Technology Platform v1, Bill Adam Associates Sdn Bhd (Semantic Personaliser Gear v1.0) Mutiara-Com Sdn Bhd (Knowledge Exchange for precision agriculture), InfoValley Life Sciences Sdn Bhd (Semantic On-



tology Visualisation Browser) and Pernec Integrated Network Systems Sdn Bhd (WiWi Generation 1.5).

Through Mosti's technology licensing programme, Mimos is helping to bolster the growth of globally competitive local companies and indigenous industries through its research and development in frontier technologies.

Mimos' focus is on strategic market-driven product development and advanced technology which essentially involves the development of technology platforms for commercialisation by indigenous industries.

Mimos has also signed Memorandum of Understandings with 13 local industries to gain domain for training and exposure to Mimos' technology platforms aimed at exploring possibilities of developing products for commercialisation.

The 13 potential technology recipients and technology platforms being explored include Quantum Beez Sdn Bhd (Semantic Technology), TISS MSC Sdn Bhd (Information Security), CD Solutions Sdn Bhd(MEMS Sensor and Grid Computing), Select-TV

Solutions Sdn Bhd (Advanced Informatics), Astronautic Technology (M) Sdn Bhd (Precision Agriculture) and Disability Solutions (M) Sdn Bhd (FASIH-Malay Text-to-Speech Engine).

"The primary goal of the technology transfer process is to encourage broad use of Mimos-developed technology platforms among indigenous industries and enable the integration of Mimos technology platforms into existing product lines and/or further developing the technology verticals to create new products," Wahab said.