

## PROFILE OF DAVID DENNIS

David Dennis has been Managing Director of Econsult Sdn Bhd since the company was formed in mid 1985. He is an Australian with a Bachelor of Commerce degree and a Masters in Economics.

Before coming to Malaysia, David had worked as a Senior Economist in Papua New Guinea from 1971 to 1976 and again from 1979 to 1985. In that period he worked for the Government in the Department of Labour and Industry, the Department of Finance and the National Planning Office. He provided advice on economic policy issues generally and on human resource

development, manpower planning and training issues in particular.

In 1983 David became a full time consultant and since that time his clients have included the World Bank, the Asian Development Bank (ADB), the Australian Development Assistance Bureau, and the Papua New Guinea Institute of Applied Social and Economic Research. In addition he has had a wide range of private and public sector clients in Papua New Guinea, Australia, Malaysia and Indonesia.

David first came to Malaysia in 1984 as Manpower Specialist on the World Bank funded Industry Training Scheme study for the Ministry of Labour. In 1985 he returned as Manpower, and Economic consultant on the Malaysian Industry Master Plan conducted by the United Nations Industrial Development Organisation (UNIDO). The most recent of his international agency work was in October - December 1988 when he was Labour Force and Economic Planning Specialist on the ADB's Second Vocational Education Sector Project in Indonesia. This project was to assess the proposal for a US\$150 million loan for the vocational education system.

David also has a strong background in market research and is responsible Director for the Market Entry Strategy Programme conducted by Econsult in Malaysia since 1986 for the Victorian Department of Industry, Technology and Resources.





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## DIRECTORS AWARD FOR ROBERT KUOK

SCG was invited by the Malaysain Institute of Directors to congratulate business magnate - Mr Robert Kuok on being conferred a Fellow by the Institute.

In his Keyhote Address, Mr Kuok outlined the relaitonship between the Government and the corporate sector, the current state of corporate activity, the economy's conditions, and the factors needed for Malaysia's economic success.