

SOCIAL SECURITY ORGANIZATION (SOCSO): THE EFFECTIVENESS OF STUDYING EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE APPRAISAL SYSTEM (EPAS).

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Abstract

The effectiveness of studying Employee Performance Appraisal System (EPAS) in Social Security Organization (SOCSO) requires people with high determination to play their roles by providing a good performance in the organizations and for their own selves. Besides that, EPAS also help in building the quality employees and increase the performance level to the excellent level to achieve the goals. This determination has to be developing in SOCSO where the employees have to prepare mentally and physically during in their real job environment. Through this study, hopefully it will enhance the productivity and increase the competency on job performance. This paper will help to measure the problems that occurred in Social Security Organization (SOCSO) especially employees' problems. By using the EPAS, SOCSO will achieve their vision is to become an ideal and excellent social security leader in Malaysia.

1.0 Introduction

The Social Security Organization (SOCSO) was established in 1971 under the Human Resources Ministry to implement and administer the social security schemes under the Employees' Social Security Act 1969 (Act 4). i.e. the Employment Injury Insurance Scheme and the Invalidity Pension Scheme. Under this scheme, workers are protected against industrial accident including accident occurred while working, occupational diseases, invalidity or death due to any cause.

SOCSO's function includes registration of employer and employees, collecting contribution, processing benefit claims and makes payment to the injured worker and their dependents. SOCSO also provide vocational and physical rehabilitation benefits and enhance occupational safety and health awareness of workers.

On the 1st July 1985, SOCSO from a government department became Statutory Body. On 1st January 1992, SOCSO implemented its own remuneration scheme known as Sistem Saraan Baru PERKESO (SSBP).