

## MODEL WORKER

### **Sulaiman Ismail Batri**

Senior Technician 3

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*Nominated by the Singapore Industrial & Services Employees' Union*

Sulaiman Ismail Batri has been working in Goodrich Aerostructures Service Center – Asia Pte Ltd since 2001 as a ground technician. He has been exemplary in upskilling over the years, obtaining different certifications and skills relating to workplace safety, so that he can complement his work involving the making of aircraft parts. These training include working at heights, operating boom and scissor lifts, and occupational first aid. Some of these skills have been useful in enabling him to take on higher roles.

In his 14 years as a union leader, Brother Sulaiman has actively participated in wage and welfare negotiations with management to benefit his workers. Currently the branch chairman, he brings up workers' concerns actively to the attention of the union and the management, and he ensures a collaborative and concerted effort to ensure they are appropriately addressed. Brother Sulaiman has completed the Certificated IR Series Level 3 certification by the Ong Teng Cheong Labour Leadership Institute and has taken short courses in industrial relations to ensure a strong foundation in assisting workers.