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Pembangunan spiritual jalan asnaf keluar kemiskinan

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Keperluan asnaf yang pelbagai menjadikan Majlis Agama Islam Negeri (MAIN) lebih kreatif mencipta bantuan demi bantuan demi memastikan kelangsungan hidup kelompok sasar itu.

Kewujudan rumah zakat, sekolah zakat, tanah zakat membuktikan MAIN sentiasa berusaha memainkan peranannya menyantuni kumpulan asnaf disyariatkan Allah.

Terkini, kerjasama strategik Lembaga Zakat Negeri Kedah (LZNK) dan Bank Islam memperkenalkan Skim Pembiayaan Rumah Asnaf Bergaji bagi membantu golongan itu memiliki kediaman sendiri.

Melalui skim ini, asnaf terpilih perlu melunaskan bayaran RM260 sebulan kepada pihak bank bagi tempoh 10 tahun.

Oleh kerana kemampuan kewangan LZNK terhad, setakat ini hanya dua permohonan diluluskan, namun kediaman asnaf terbabit sudah pun siap dibina.

Menyedari bahawa keperluan asas asnaf adalah rumah kediaman, Majlis Agama Islam Negeri Johor (MAINJ) turut membina 32 unit rumah transit untuk kemudahan asnaf di Kampung Tenglu di Mersing.

Penggunaan dana zakat berjumlah RM3.5 juta itu benar-benar dimanfaatkan MAINJ.

Majlis Agama Islam Negeri Pulau Pinang (MAINPP) juga bersama UDA Holdings Berhad menyumbang dalam usaha merancang pembangunan perumahan milik asnaf.

Di atas tanah wakaf Projek Wakaf Seetee Aisah 2, pembinaan 150 unit rumah kos rendah disasarkan untuk diperuntukkan kepada golongan asnaf dan B40.

Namun, apa yang menyedihkan, usaha murni digerakkan sesetengah MAIN seolah-olah tidak dihargai asnaf.

Ibarat diberikan susu, tetapi dibalas pula dengan tuba, itu adalah perumpamaan boleh digambarkan terhadap sebuah keluarga asnaf yang dibantu MAINJ sejak 2015, dengan menempatkan mereka di sebuah rumah transit

berkonsepkan zakat.

Menyedihkan sekali apabila rumah percuma diberikan MAINJ ditinggalkan dalam keadaan kotor, berbau busuk dan mengalami banyak kerosakan.

Realitinya, cabaran dipikul pengurusan zakat bukan sekadar memastikan kelangsungan hidup asnaf, sebaliknya terpaksa juga menghadapi cemuhan dan kritikan masyarakat.

Benar bukan semua asnaf bersikap demikian. Namun, dalam meningkatkan pembangunan fizikal dalam kalangan asnaf di Malaysia, tentunya cabaran paling getir perlu dipikul institusi zakat adalah membangunkan jiwa asnaf itu sendiri.

Pembangunan spiritual yang ampuh dalam kalangan asnaf, akan menjadikan mereka insaf dan sedar akan amanah dipikul masing-masing untuk menjaga harta zakat yang menjadi tanggungjawab mereka.

Justeru, tidak timbul lagi isu kelompok asnaf tertentu menjadi penerima dana zakat berterusan untuk tiga generasi.

Melaluinya, mereka akan sedar tang-

gungjawab dalam diri untuk keluar daripada kepompong penerima zakat, sekali gus berpindah menjadi pembayar zakat pula.

Namun, untuk keluar daripada stigma penerima zakat memerlukan usaha asnaf sendiri.

Contoh terbaik, kejayaan jenama 'Cendol Borhan' terkenal milik Bumi-putera Islam yang juga pernah menerima bantuan zakat.

Perniagaan cendol diusahakan melayakkan pemilikinya dinobat ikon asnaf yang berjaya melakar sejarah terbaik Lembaga Zakat Selangor (LZS).

Hakikatnya, memahami konsep sebenar zakat akan memberi satu keharmonian dalam kalangan masyarakat.

Keharmonian ekosistem pembayar zakat, pihak pengurusan zakat dan asnaf selaku kumpulan sasar akan membantu banyak proses membangkitkan urusan zakat.

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Amirudin (tengah) bersama Aranols (dua dari kiri) pada majlis perasmian stesen transit kuarantin (QTS) COVID-19, di Shah Alam, semalam. (Foto Muhd Asyraf Sawal/BH)

Nestle sedia stesen kuarantin COVID-19

Kemudahan 100 bilik hotel tempatkan kontak rapat pesakit

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Nestle (Malaysia) Bhd menubuhkan stesen transit kuarantin (QTS) COVID-19 di Hotel Pegasus, Shah Alam, yang menawarkan sehingga 100 bilik untuk menempatkan kontak rapat pesakit virus itu.

Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif Nestle Malaysia, Juan Aranols, berkata kemudahan yang disediakan itu adalah menerusi kerjasama rapat dengan Kementerian Kesihatan (KKM) dan akan beroperasi selama dua bulan bermula semalam.

Katanya, selepas tempoh itu, Nestle akan berbincang dengan KKM dan menilai semula keper-

luan sama ada perlu melanjutkan lagi perkhidmatan QTS terbabit.

"Stesen ini ditubuhkan untuk mereka mempunyai hubungan rapat dengan pesakit COVID-19, juga dikenali sebagai orang di bawah pengawasan (PUS). Ia dibuka kepada kakitangan Nestle dan keluarga, selain kumpulan B40 dan golongan berpendapatan rendah di Selangor.

"Ia menyediakan persekitaran yang sewajarnya kepada mereka yang tidak mempunyai kemudahan sesuai untuk menjalani kuarantin di rumah, merangkumi bilik dan kemudahan hotel secara percuma serta hidangan makanan tiga kali sehari.

"Segala kos QTS ini akan ditanggung sepenuhnya oleh pihak Nestle," katanya pada sidang media selepas pelancaran kemudahan itu di Shah Alam, semalam.

QTS itu dilancarkan oleh Menteri Besar Selangor, Datuk Seri Amirudin Shari.

Sementara itu, Amirudin berkata, kerajaan negeri Selangor mengalu-alukan kerjasama

swasta dan awam dalam usaha menangani jangkitan COVID-19 di negeri itu.

"Ini adalah kerjasama pertama di antara kerajaan negeri dengan pihak swasta bagi membuka pusat transit kuarantin COVID-19 di negeri ini.

"Ia juga pusat kuarantin kedua di Selangor di bawah kerajaan negeri selepas Institut Latihan Islam Malaysia (ILIM) yang terletak di Sepang," katanya.

Beliau berkata, QTS itu akan menumpukan perkhidmatan kepada kontak rapat pesakit COVID-19 yang berada di kawasan tengah dan utara negeri itu, manakala ILIM akan memberi tumpuan kepada mereka yang berada di bahagian selatan.

"Mereka akan ditempatkan di transit ini dan sekiranya didapati positif barulah akan dihantar ke Pusat Kuarantin dan Rawatan COVID-19 Berisiko Rendah (PKRC) di Taman Ekspo Pertanian Malaysia (MAEPS), Serdang dan hospital yang berkenaan," katanya.



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Ibu Yati ditahan, didakwa

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SHAH ALAM: Wan Norhayati Wan Alias atau lebih dikenali Ibu Yati yang terpalit dengan isu ajaran sesat Agama Melayu didakwa di Mahkamah Rendah Syariah di sini hari ini.

Ibu Yati didakwa selepas ditahan Jabatan Agama Islam Selangor (JAIS) bersama tiga lagi individu termasuk dua lelaki di sebuah premis di Hulu Langat kira-kira pukul 11.20 malam semalam.

Pengarah JAIS, Datuk Mohd. Shahzihan Ahmad berkata, pihaknya telah melaksanakan tiga waran tangkap terhadap tiga orang yang disyaki dan satu waran geledah.

Menurutnya, susulan itu, JAIS menahan empat individu masing-masing dua lelaki dan wanita yang dibawa ke ibu pejabat untuk disiasat mengikut Seksyen 7, 9 dan 10 Enakmen Jenayah Syariah (Negeri Selangor) 1995.



WAN Norhayati Wan Alias atau Ibu Yati bersama tiga yang lain ditahan JAIS di sebuah premis di Hulu Langat malam semalam.

“Kes telah dibawa ke Mahkamah Rendah Syariah dan mahkamah menetapkan jaminan RM3,000 kepada dua wanita dengan jaminan seorang penja-

min dalam kalangan penjawat awam Gred 48.

“Bagi tertuduh lelaki pula, seorang daripadanya diikat jamin dengan RM1,000 dengan

penjamin dalam kalangan penjawat awam Gred 41 manakala seorang lagi dilepaskan dengan bon jamin penguat kuasa.

“Tiga daripada tertuduh diarah menyerahkan pasport antarabangsa kepada mahkamah selain perlu melaporkan diri di Pejabat Agama Islam Daerah Gombak dua minggu sekali,” katanya dalam kenyataan di sini hari ini.

Dalam pada itu, Mohd. Shahzihan berkata, dengan penangkapan keempat-empat individu itu dapat menyelesaikan kes perbuatan beberapa individu di Selangor yang disyaki menyanggah ketetapan hukum syarak atau fatwa.

“Selain itu, kes tersebut turut melibatkan penghinaan kepada al-Quran dan hadis, serta mempersenda, menghina atau menyebabkan agama Islam dipandang hina.

“Mahkamah turut menetapkan sebutan semula kes pada 28 Julai hadapan di Mahkamah Rendah Syariah Shah Alam,” ujarnya.



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Pas kingmaker...



CAKAP-CAKAP sebelah utara, selatan, pantai timur dan barat banyak mengata Pas waktu ini dok sibuk 'ratibkan' Parti Pribumi Bersatu Malaysia (Bersatu) adalah kerajaan. Kerajaan Perikatan Nasional (PN) ditunjangi Bersatu, kata Pas, memiliki jentera, wang dan apa sahajalah segalanya. Doktrin sebilangan pemimpin Pas yang berdesing-desing ialah "amat percaya apabila sudah pegang kerajaan, mudah untuk PN sapu bersih kerusi-kerusi Pilihan Raya Umum ke-15 (PRU-15)". Analoginya, jika 'kerajaan' pasti ada bajet dan *missionary*. Pendek kata, usah fikir-fikir lagi, 'kemenangan' pasti dalam tangan.

Semudah itukah bacacannya? Ini sehinggakan saya dikhabarkan dalam kalangan pemimpin kanan Pas mencanangkan satu kaji selidik dari sebuah universiti tempatan bahawa jika Pas berdua bersama UMNO dalam Muafakat Nasional (MN), paling maksimum kerusi Parlimen yang boleh dimenangi hanya 70. Tidak melepasi majoriti mudah, 112 kerusi. Dari kaji selidik itu, keputusannya berbeza sekali andai melalui kesepakatan MN + PN = 160 kerusi.

Agak cetek pandangan Pas. Terlalu *simplicistic*. Bila berkuasa buat sementara PRU-15 ini, Pas jadi 'gelang mata'. Padahal daripada pandangan publik dalam politik hari ini, *reading* sedemikian dari kaji selidik satu dua universiti - yang saya percaya data dikutip menerusi andaian dari bilik pensyarah sahaja - tidak semudah untuk mana-mana parti politik mampu meraih majoriti.

Tetapi ikut prinsip Pas era Malaysia hari ini, asalkan jadi kerajaan, cara Machiavelli pun boleh pakai. Kata Machiavelli, segalanya harus diperalat termasuk agama untuk menjayakan matlamat menghalalkan cara.

Pas masih percaya diri sebagai *kingmaker* lagi sebagai selepas PRU-15 nanti? Masih tergiang-giang lagi

Bai'ah: Segera rujuk mahkamah syariah

OM ZAMZAM
KOTA BHARU
WALAIKALAM PEKASMA. Pas segera berunding dengan Parti Pribumi Bersatu Malaysia (PPBM) mengenai perkara ini. Menteri Kanan dan Pengerusi Perikatan Nasional (PN) Datuk Seri Ismail Sabri Yaakob berketetapan untuk segera berunding dengan Parti Pribumi Bersatu Malaysia (PPBM) mengenai perkara ini. Menteri Kanan dan Pengerusi Perikatan Nasional (PN) Datuk Seri Ismail Sabri Yaakob berketetapan untuk segera berunding dengan Parti Pribumi Bersatu Malaysia (PPBM) mengenai perkara ini.



22 bekas pemimpin bukan lagi ahli Pas

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Ahli Parti Pekerja mesti lepas

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Mereka tinggalkan Pas

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di telinga saya menjelang PRU-14 lalu yang mana presiden Pas, Datuk Seri Abdul Hadi Awang menjangkakan tiada satu pun parti yang dapat membentuk kerajaan selepas pilihan raya umum itu.

Ekoran itu, Abdul Hadi menganggap Pas sebagai *kingmaker* jika parti itu menang 40 kerusi dan menjadi tempat bergantung parti lain yang mahu menubuhkan kerajaan.

Namun, pada 9 Mei itu, Pas hanya memenangi 18 kerusi parlimen. Cuma parti itu mengekalkan pentadbiran di Kelantan serta menawan Terengganu. Pas sering menguar-uarkan diri hebat tetapi realitinya, indah khabar dari rupa. Bila peluang terhidang depan mata, cepat sekali 'disakau' Pas.

Ke mana hilangnya prinsip Pas dalam isu lompat parti hari ini? Abdul Hadi sekitar September 2015 bukan main tangangnya dalam soal 'katak' ini.

Semasa berucap pada program Himpunan Harapan Semua (Harap) 3.2 di Pulau Serai, Dungun, beliau mengulangi gesaan supaya wakil rakyat Pas meletakkan jawatan jika menyertai parti lain termasuk Parti Amanah Rakyat (Amanah).

Tindakan itu perlu kerana semua calon Pas pada PRU 2013 telah melafkan bai'ah

bersumpah dan mereka akan dilaknati Allah SWT jika melanggar bai'ah itu.

Terdahulu sekitar Januari 2014, Ahli Jawatankuasa Kerja (AJK) Pas Pusat, Nasrudin Hassan membangkitkan kekecewaannya dengan tindakan wakil rakyat meletak jawatan untuk membolehkan pilihan raya kecil (PRK) diadakan bagi memberi laluan kepada seseorang yang lain.

Nasrudin menegaskan, pilihan raya adalah sebahagian daripada perjuangan bukan medan untuk pihak tertentu menggunakan peluang mencapai agenda peribadi.

"Akhirnya rakyat berkata, kami bertarung untuk hidup. Kamu bertarung sesama sendiri untuk merebut jawatan," katanya, merujuk tindakan Ahli Dewan Undangan Negeri (ADUN) Kajang, Lee Chin Cheh semasa meletak jawatannya - yang disebut-sebut bagi memberi laluan kepada seorang pemimpin PKR untuk menjadi Menteri Besar Selangor.

Hari ini, suara Presiden Pas, Nasrudin, apa lagi Datuk Seri Tuan Ibrahim Tuan Man dan Datuk Takiyuddin Hassan lenyap, membius dan membuat dalam isu tidak bermoral lompat parti? Tidak kedengaran lagi seperti nada tahun 2015 (**Rujuk keratan akhbar di atas**).

Takkanlah Pas tidak terdengar cakap-cakap yang kita sendiri pun tidak dapat membayangkan Ahli Parlimen Julau, Larry Sng sanggup terbang dari Sarawak ke Putrajaya untuk menyerahkan akuan bersumpahnya (SD) dalam menyatakan sokongan kepada kerajaan PN? Bukankah perbuatan itu dalam erti kata lain 'lompat parti' juga tanpa merujuk keizinan buat demikian daripada presiden PKR? Mungkinkah Suruhanjaya Pencegahan Rasuah Malaysia (SPRM) harus siasat motif tindak tanduk ini?

Dalam gejala lompat parti, Pas sepatutnya mentarbiah ahli-ahli parlimen Bersatu. Dulu Pas beria-ia hentam pelompat parti. Apakah sikap Pas waktu ini? Walaupun ahli parlimen Pas tidak lompat tetapi tampak bersekolong dan 'meraikan' mereka ini.

Pada masa sama, rakan seperjuangan, UMNO semasa bersama musim mengecapi kemenangan 7-0 dalam siri pilihan raya kecil 2019/2020 masih tegas prinsipnya - akan sokong kerajaan PN tetapi tidak dalam PRU-15 nanti. Jadi, jika Pas sedemikian rupa fi'ilnya untuk tetap bersama PN dalam PRU, mana hilangnya gesaan Pas dalam PRU-PRU yang lepas supaya semua parti politik tidak menggunakan jentera

kerajaan semasa kempen pilihan raya? Gelagat Pas barangkali 'lain macam' hari ini kerana beberapa kerajaan negeri pimpinan orang mereka sudah dapat projek mega. Misalnya Kelantan raih lebih bilion dalam Rancangan Malaysia Ke-12. Kedah pula dengan satu dua projek besar. Belum pernah Pas mengecap nikmat semacam ini.

Cuma dibimbangi fi'il itu akan 'melarat' ke wakil rakyat Pas pula. Minta 'simpang melaikat 44' agar tidak berlaku "kalau-kalau ada ahli parlimen yang berjawatan menteri atau timbalan menteri dari Pas sanggup membawa pelobi bisnes ke kementerian tertentu".

Naratif sekarang ialah tiada mana-mana parti yang akan dapat majoriti dalam PRU-15. Jika Pas enggan berjuang bersama UMNO sekali pun, Pas dipercayai akan bertanding solo juga. Mahu bertanding atas tiket atau platform PN, agak sukar untuk Pas kerana lambang bulan Pas sudah lama dikenali. Suatu dilema kepada Pas.

Bahkan yang Pas berkawan dengan mereka dalam PN hari ini pun sebahagian besarnya bersama-sama dengan Pakatan Harapan (PH) dahulu, yang tidak senada dengan perjuangan Pas menegakkan Islam.

Pas beringatlah! Bersatu bertanding 52 kerusi Parlimen ketika di bawah PH dalam PRU-14 tetapi menang cuma 13 sahaja.

Dan andai kata kawasan-kawasan Felda menjadi tumpuan untuk Pas meraih sokongan dalam PRU-15, inilah masa terbaik untuk bergabung dengan parti yang benar-benar mampu menaikkan sekali Pas.

Dalam dua siri PRU lepas, penguasaan parti-parti Melayu menyusut di Felda. Pada PRU-14, UMNO/BN cuma meraih 27 kerusi Parlimen. Pas (6), PKR (19) dan Warisan (12).

Ini berbeza sama sekali berbanding PRU-13 ketika UMNO/BN masih menguasai 48 kerusi, Pas (3), PKR cuma satu kerusi dan DAP (2). Peningkatan drastik buat PKR di Felda.

Masih lagi-lagi Pas mahu mencanangkan diri sebagai *kingmaker*?

Datuk Dr. Ahmad Faris Abdul Halim ialah Penganalisis Isu-isu semasa.

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Stesen Transit Kuarantin Nestle

Shah Alam: Nestle Malaysia Bhd semalam melancarkan Stesen Transit Kuarantin Nestle di Hotel Pegasus di sini, bagi menyokong usaha Kementerian Kesihatan Malaysia (KKM) dalam mengendalikan kontak rapat pesakit yang memerlukan kuarantin sendiri.

Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif Nestle Malaysia Juan Arnolds berkata, kos stesen transit itu akan ditanggung sepenuhnya oleh syarikat pengeluar makanan dan minuman itu yang akan memberi tumpuan kepada golongan B40 dan golongan berpendapatan rendah yang tidak berupaya atau tidak mempunyai kemudahan sesuai untuk menjalani kuarantin di rumah.

“Stesen itu akan menyediakan penginapan percuma serta makanan yang enak dan berkhasiat disediakan oleh Chef Maggi kami. Semestinya, prosedur

operasi ‘standard (SOP) akan dipatuhi setiap masa,” katanya kepada pemberita pada pelancaran stesen transit kuarantin itu di sini, semalam.

Beliau berkata, stesen itu memulakan operasinya semalam dan akan dibuka selama dua bulan dan Nestle akan sentiasa memantau dan menilai keperluan untuk melanjutkan tempoh operasi dari semasa ke semasa.

Sementara itu, Menteri Besar Selangor Datuk Seri Amirudin Shari yang turut hadir pada pelancaran itu berkata kerajaan negeri mengalu-alukan kerjasama swasta dan awam dalam usaha menangani jangkitan Covid-19 di Selangor.

“Ini adalah kerjasama yang pertama terjalin antara kerajaan negeri Selangor dengan pihak swasta bagi membuka pusat transit kuarantin Covid-19 di negeri ini,” katanya.



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4 ditahan terbabit ajaran meragukan

Shah Alam: Jabatan Agama Islam Selangor (Jais) menahan empat individu termasuk dua wanita di sebuah premis di Hulu Langat kelmarin selepas dipercayai terbabit dengan ajaran yang meragukan.

Pengarah Jais, Dato Mohd Shahzihan Ahmad berkata, jabatan itu melaksanakan tiga waran tangkap terhadap tiga yang disyaki dan satu waran geledah premis pada jam 11.20 malam.

“Berikutan dengan itu, Jais menahan empat individu iaitu dua lelaki dan dua

wanita serta menyita beberapa bahan bukti dari premis dan individu terbabit.

“Semua ditahan dibawa ke Ibu Pejabat Jais untuk siasatan lanjut mengikut Seksyen 7, 9 dan 10 Enakmen Jenayah Syariah (Negeri Selangor) Tahun 1995,” katanya, semalam.

Beliau berkata, kes berkenaan disebut di Mahkamah Rendah Syariah Shah Alam, semalam.

Menurutnya, sebutan semula kes ditetapkan 28 Julai depan di Mahkamah Rendah Syariah Shah Alam.



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Cara Amin tangani isu Sajat digemari

Kuala Lumpur: Pendekatan berhemah pengacara dan penceramah motivasi, Amin Idris, 40, berkenaan kontroversi usahawan kosmetik popular, Nur Sajat yang dikatakan mahu keluar Islam mendapat pujian netizen.

Kata-kata nasihatnya di Instagram TV (IGTV) kepada masyarakat berkenaan hukuman murtad mendapat komen positif.

Amin berkata, semua pihak perlu berhati-hati menilai isu ini kerana ada orang mahu keluar Islam kerana benci pada Islam atau benci dan memberontak kepada pemerintah Islam.

“Ada segelintir pihak mahu keluar Islam kerana nak selamatkan diri daripada pihak berkuasa Islam. Enakmen Jenayah Syariah Selangor 1995 bahagian

kedua, berkaitan dengan kesalahan berhubung akidah, Seksyen 5 menyebut, ada mendakwa bukan orang Islam untuk mengelak tindakan,” katanya.

Menurutnya, Sajat sering mengelak apabila dipanggil ke mahkamah dan kemudian menghilangkan diri serta akhirnya tampil dengan kenyataan mahu keluar Islam.

Amin berkata, sebagai orang Islam, apabila tidak setuju dengan perkara tidak berakhlak, masyarakat jangan guna pendekatan tidak berakhlak juga dengan mengecam dan menghina.

“Tidak kurang juga yang memurtadkan dia walaupun dia menyebut perkataan nak keluar Islam. Kita pendakwah yang mengajak, bukan hakim yang menghukum,” katanya.



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Nestle tubuh QTS tempatkan PUS

SHAH ALAM – Pengeluar makanan dan minuman terbesar dunia, Nestle Malaysia Bhd. (Nestle) menubuhkan Stesen Transit Kuarantin (QTS) yang berfungsi menempatkan individu yang mempunyai kontak rapat dengan pesakit atau Orang Di Bawah Pengawasan (PUS).

Ketua Pengarah Eksekutif Nestle, Juan Aranols berkata, Hotel Pegasus, Seksyen 15 di sini, yang meliputi sebanyak 100 bilik hotel dijadikan lokasi kuarantin itu dan akan beroperasi selama dua bulan bermula semalam.

Menurut beliau, pusat kuarantin itu membantu PUS yang menghadapi kekangan kuarantin sendiri di rumah untuk mengasingkan diri dengan lebih selesa dan selamat.

“Mereka dikehendaki mematuhi prosedur operasi standard (SOP) ketat termasuk penggunaan pintu masuk dan lif kuarantin khas serta dapur berasingan.

“Semua individu itu akan dipantau pihak berkuasa termasuk Angkatan Pertahanan Awam Malaysia (APM), Pejabat Kerajaan Daerah Petaling dan Jabatan Ke-



ARANOLS (kiri) menerangkan tentang QTS Nestle kepada Amirudin (tengah) di Hotel Pegasus, Shah Alam semalam.

sihatan Negeri Selangor,” katanya pada sidang akhbar selepas pelancaran QTS Nestle semalam.

Pusat kuarantin pertama yang ditubuhkan oleh pihak swasta di Selangor itu dirasmikan Menteri Besar, Datuk Seri Amirudin Shari.

Turut hadir, Setiausaha Kerajaan Negeri, Datuk Nor Azmie Diron dan Pengerusi Jawatankuasa Tetap Kesihatan Awam, Perpaduan, Pembangunan Wanita dan

Keluarga negeri, Dr. Siti Mariah Mahmud.

Tambah Aranols, penubuhan QTS itu membuktikan komitmen pihaknya untuk membantu rakyat yang sedang menempuh detik getir mendepani Covid-19.

Sementara itu, Amirudin berkata, kerajaan negeri amat mengalu-alukan kerjasama semua pihak termasuk swasta dalam usaha mengekang penularan pandemik berkenaan.



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JAIS cekup Ibu Yati kes agama Melayu

SHAH ALAM – Bekas wartawan, Wan Norhayati Wan Alias atau lebih dikenali sebagai Ibu Yati ditahan berhubung isu dakwaan ajaran agama Melayu di sebuah premis di Hulu Langat, kelmarin.

Dalam serbuan kira-kira pukul 11.20 malam oleh Jabatan Agama Islam Selangor (JAIS) turut menahan tiga lagi individu masing-masing seorang wanita dan dua lelaki.

Pengarah JAIS, Datuk Mohd. Shahzihan Ahmad berkata, dalam serbuan itu juga turut menyita beberapa bahan bukti dari premis dan individu yang terlibat sebelum dibawa ke Ibu Pejabat JAIS untuk siasatan lanjut mengikut Seksyen 7, 9 dan 10 Enakmen Jenayah Syariah (Negeri Selangor) Tahun 1995.

Katanya, menerusi penangkapan keempat-empat suspek itu dijangka dapat menyelesaikan kes melibatkan perbuatan be-

berapa individu di Selangor yang disyaki menyanggahi ketetapan hukum syarak atau fatwa.

Selain itu, penahanan itu melibatkan penghinaan kepada al-Quran dan hadis serta mempersenda, menghina atau menyebabkan agama Islam dipandang hina.

"Kes terhadap kesemua mereka telah disebut di Mahkamah Rendah Syariah Shah Alam hari ini (semalam) dengan dua tertuduh wanita diikat jamin RM3,000 bersama seorang penjamin dalam kalangan penjawat awam Gred 48.

"Bagi seorang tertuduh lelaki diikat jamin dengan RM1,000 dengan penjamin dalam kalangan penjawat awam Gred 41, manakala seorang lagi dilepaskan dengan bon jamin penguat kuasa," katanya dalam kenyataan di sini semalam.

Tambahnya, tiga daripada ter-

tuduh juga perlu menyerahkan pasport antarabangsa kepada mahkamah selain perlu melapor diri di Pejabat Agama Islam Daerah Gombak dua minggu sekali.

Mohd. Shahzihan turut menjelaskan sebutan semula kes ditetapkan pada 28 Julai depan di mahkamah sama.

Kosmo/ sebelum ini melaporkan Yayasan Dakwah Islamiah Malaysia menasihatkan orang ramai agar tidak terpengaruh dengan ajaran baharu dikenali 'Agama Melayu' yang didakwa sebagai sesat lagi menyesatkan.

Ekoran kejadian itu, Ibu Yati kemudiannya dipanggil memberikan keterangan lebih dua jam di JAIS pada 3 Februari lalu.

Ibu Yati mendakwa video tersebut telah dimanipulasi dengan pelbagai andaian tanpa sebarang usul periksa memandangkan video itu lebih bersifat dokumentari berkaitan gong.



IBU YATI memegang sebuah buku berkenaan Melayu selepas disoal siasat oleh JAIS pada 3 Februari lalu.



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 PENGARANG BERITA

Kisah Sajat, Acap dan misteri Jho Low

DALAM peribahasa Melayu, ada ungkapan popular berbunyi bagai ayam disambar helang, yang membawa maksud orang yang hilang secara tiba-tiba.

Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka (DBP) pula mentafsirkan hilang sebagai sesuatu atau seseorang yang tidak diketahui tempatnya, tidak kelihatan, ghaib ataupun telah lenyap.

Malaysia sebenarnya sarat dengan kisah-kisah orang hilang. Ada yang hilang asbab jenayah dan bencana, namun ramai juga yang hilang dengan sengaja.

Sejak kebelakangan ini, kecoh pula mengenai usaha Jabatan Agama Islam Selangor (JAIS) untuk mengesan seorang usahawan kosmetik, Nur Sajat atau nama sebenarnya Muhammad Sajjad Kamaruzzaman.

Ketika artikel ini ditulis, individu berusia 36 tahun itu yang dikenakan waran tangkap oleh Mahkamah Tinggi Syariah Shah Alam sejak 24 Februari lalu masih belum ditemui.

Tiada siapa tahu di mana Nur Sajat berada. Malah, timbul pelbagai persoalan sama ada Nur Sajat sengaja menyembunyikan diri ataupun sedang disembunyikan.

Hakikatnya, Nur Sajat bukanlah 'samseng' seperti mana Bob Mah Sing yang sebelum ini tular dengan aksi beraninya bersama Proton Waja ketika melarikan diri daripada polis.

Nur Sajat juga bukanlah sehebat 'penjenayah' berbahaya' seperti Mat Komando yang pernah menjadi buruan polis Malaysia selama lebih 200 hari.

Nur Sajat hanya dikenakan waran tangkap selepas dia gagal hadir bagi satu prosiding mahkamah. Ia adalah berkaitan pertuduhan ke atasnya di Mahkamah Tinggi Syariah Shah Alam kerana berpakaian menyerupai wanita sehingga menyebabkan agama Islam dipandang hina.

Cumannya, nama Nur Sajat terlalu besar untuk cerita-cerita sebegini. Sehingga setiap usaha dan pergerakan pihak berkuasa menjadi bahan utama surat khabar.

Berbeza dengan kisah yang menimpa Mohammad Ashraf Hassan, 29, atau lebih dikenali dengan panggilan Acap. Individu ini pernah menggemparkan Malaysia apabila kisah kehilangannya ketika mengikuti acara larian Gopeng Ultra Trail di kawasan Gua Tempurung, Kampar menjadi tular di media sosial.

Pada 24 Mac 2021 ini, maka genaplah tiga tahun kehilangan Acap, dan dalam tempoh itu, tiada seorang pun yang tahu apa yang terjadi pada lelaki ini.

Ramai yang mengaitkan kehilangan Acap dengan perbuatan makhluk halus, namun ada juga pihak yang mendakwa Acap sebenarnya tidak hilang! Sehingga kini kisah Acap masih menjadi misteri.

Selain Sajat dan Acap, ada satu lagi 'kehilangan' yang sangat-sangat menggemparkan negara. Ia berkisar tentang ahli perniagaan bertaraf antarabangsa, Jho Low. Berbeza dengan Acap, Jho Low disahkan masih hidup, namun keberadaan anak Pulau Pinang ini masih belum disahkan oleh mana-mana pihak berkuasa.

Jho Low sebenarnya sengaja menghilangkan diri. Kisah pemburuannya ekoran skandal rasuah IMDB telah dibuat sejak tahun 2015, namun sehingga kini, tanda-tanda kepada penangkapan Jho Low masih samar.

Benar, sebagai rakyat kita hanya mengharapkan kepada sebuah penyelesaian dan jawapan berfakta. Seperti kata orang-orang tua, jika sudah tiada, tunjukkan kuburnya dan jika masih hidup, perlihatkan orangnya.



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JAIS tahan empat individu disyaki terlibat ajaran meragukan

SHAH ALAM - Jabatan Agama Islam Selangor (JAIS) menahan empat individu yang disyaki terlibat dengan ajaran meragukan di sebuah premis sekitar Hulu Langat.

Pengarahnya, Mohd Shahzihan Ahmad berkata, keempat-empat individu berkenaan telah dibawa ke Ibu Pejabat JAIS sebelum ini bagi menjalani siasatan lanjut di bawah Seksyen 7, 9 dan 10 Enakmen Jenayah Syariah (Negeri Selangor) Tahun 1995.

Beliau berkata, JAIS turut mengelu-

arkan tiga waran tangkap dan waran geledah premis ke atas individu berkenaan.

“Suspek turut dibawa ke Mahkamah Rendah Syariah, Shah Alam pada hari ini bagi sebutan kes,” katanya dalam satu kenyataan pada Khamis.

Beliau berkata, mahkamah turut menetapkan jaminan sebanyak RM3,000 buat setiap tertuduh dengan seorang penjamin.

Selain itu, katanya, suspek terlibat juga perlu menyerahkan pasport anta-

rabangsa kepada mahkamah dan melaporkan diri di Pejabat Agama Islam Daerah Gombak dua kali seminggu.

“Seorang lagi suspek telah dilepaskan dengan Bon Jamin Penguat kuasa. Sebutan semula kes ditetapkan mahkamah pada 28 Julai depan,” katanya.

Tambahnya, penahanan empat individu terbabit dapat menyelesaikan kes melibatkan perbuatan beberapa individu di negeri ini yang menyalahi hukum syarak atau fatwa yang membawa penghinaan kepada al-Quran serta hadis.



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COUNCIL MATTERS

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> Ampang Jaya Municipal Council (MPAJ) has extended the deadline for online business licence renewal to March 31. Business owners can renew their licences at icomm.mpaj.gov.my. For details; call 03-4285 7324.

> Ipoh City Council is holding a public exhibition on proposed amendments to its local plan at its lobby until March 10, from 9am to 4pm daily. For details, visit <http://www.mbi.gov.my>



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Building a green corridor

TheStar Exclusive

A bold proposal to provide ecological connectivity between existing recreational parks, communal spaces and community gardens in Lembah Jaya, Selangor, is awaiting approval from the authorities. **SHALINI RAVINDRAN** finds out the details of the RM2mil project expected to kick off by year end. > 2&3




Recreational parks such as this one in Taman Bukit Indah, Ampang, are well maintained. — Photos: GLENN GUAN and LOW BOON TAT/The Star

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THERE is an ambitious plan to create a continuous open space in the form of a linear park in Lembah Jaya, Selangor, which will help transform the lives of the communities in the area by giving them access to recreational facilities.

Its project proponents say the proposed plans to create the green corridor would provide ecological connectivity between existing green spaces in the area, which covers a part of Ampang Jaya.

Should the project go through, it would effectively create a 7.7km walking and cycling loop incorporating the area's natural treasures.

The plan is being spearheaded by Lembah Jaya assemblyman Haniza Talha, with support from Housing and Local Government Ministry (KPKT) and Ampang Jaya Municipal Council (MPAJ).

Apart from the walking and cycling loop, it will also connect what is now separate recreational parks, communal spaces and community gardens to make them much more accessible to a broader population.

"The aim is to carry out the project in phases, with the possibility of extending the route in the future," said Haniza.

She said it would cost an estimated RM2mil, which would be funded by KPKT. Work is expected to start by the end of this year.

"The green corridor would incorporate biophilic design, which would hopefully ensure the sustainability of the park."

She explained that the biophilic

Linear park 'will be a boon to residents'

Plans include a 7.77km walking and cycling loop incorporating Ampang Jaya's natural treasures



Lembah Jaya assemblyman Haniza is spearheading the project.

design would incorporate green landscape features and other elements within residential and commercial spaces and blend the built environment with nature.

"There are not many empty areas left in Ampang, so we should be looking at optimising existing facilities."

"This will also help to make use of spaces that are currently left idle,

Proposed Lembah Jaya Green Corridor

- 7.77 km of linear walking and cycling pathways
- 6 Communal spaces
- 3 Recreational parks
- 2 Community gardens
- 20 Green walls



TheStar graphics

"One such area is riverbanks, which we can spruce up with pathways as well as landscaping and help to develop walking routes," she said.

Another aspect of the green corridor involves beautifying some of the elevated highway pillars which cut through the area.

"With two elevated highways being built, it can seem like a concrete jungle. Instead, these pillars can become attractions by themselves by creating vertical gardens or painting murals on them," Haniza highlighted.

The challenge, she said, would be to bring together the various stakeholders before the project could kick off.

"We have had discussions with the resident communities, the ministry, MPAJ as well as the highway developers."

"The feedback has been positive overall, but we still need serious commitment to execute the project," she added.

Ampang Jaya is spread over



Azmi showing some of the vegetables that are grown in the Bukit Indah Community Garden, which is popular with residents and visitors.



The proposed Lembah Jaya Green Corridor will incorporate existing bicycle lanes in Ampang to create connectivity between parks and other green sites.



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PETALING Jaya City Council (MBPJ) only allows selected gates at Pasar Besar Jalan Othman to be opened as part of crowd control measures and to ensure compliance with Covid-19 standard operating procedures.

"MBPJ assessed the market before deciding what time and which gates should be opened," said an MBPJ spokesperson.

"We set delivery and unloading time from 4am to 6am. Between 7am and noon, only one gate is open to customers on weekdays and two gates on weekends."

"Thermometers, QR codes and logbooks for customer registration are available at the market's entrance and volunteers are stationed there to ensure visitors comply with the SOP before entering," he said in a statement.

He disclosed that MBPJ received an application from the Pasar Besar Jalan Othman Traders Association, through the area's local councillor, requesting permission to open a middle gate at the back of the market as additional access for customers.

"The request was approved, on condition that the association had a Rela officer or volunteer stationed at that entrance. However, based on our observation, the association did not fulfil that condition," he said.

MBPJ's statement came after StarMetro highlighted issues faced by customers and traders at Pasar Besar Jalan Othman, better known as PJ Old Town Market.

Some of the issues included limited gate access, increased rental rate, worker shortage and traders' representation at meetings.

"The revised market rental rate started in August 2020. MBPJ decided that the market's maintenance cost would be borne by tenants (traders) and that it would be included in the rental rate to be

MBPJ: Limited gates open at Old Town market for crowd control



For many months, this gate facing Jalan Othman 4/40 served as the only entry/exit to the market, forcing customers to take a longer route and delivery trucks to wait longer.

paid by tenants," said the spokesperson.

"Before the revision, traders only paid for the rental of their trading lots. MBPJ bore the maintenance cost and didn't pass this on to them."

"Based on 2021 records, MBPJ's Valuation and Property Management Department data showed that about 70% tenants made their rental payments. This is

a positive indicator that the average trader is still able to pay rent," he said, adding that MBPJ gave a two-month rental waiver last year as a form of assistance to the traders.

On charges for freezer units, MBPJ said it was a fee imposed on traders who placed the freezers in common areas and had been enforced at other public markets owned by other local councils.



StarMetro's report on March 2.

No charges are imposed if the freezers are placed within a trading lot.

As for the ban on slaughtering chicken at the market, "it is in line with a letter from Housing and Local Government Ministry, dated April 2006 and citing the Local Government Act, that all poultry slaughtering activities are not allowed at markets under local councils," said the spokesperson.

"The Selangor Menteri Besar issued a similar statement on the ban in May 2020. As such, MBPJ issued a notice in June 2020 disallowing chicken slaughtering and processing at public markets."

"This is in line with Section 21 (5) of the Market By-law (MBPJ) 2007 and Section 101 (V) of the Local Government Act 1976 (Act 171)."

On whether there could be some flexibility on the hiring of foreign workers, the spokesperson said it was not possible as per a circular

issued by the Selangor Secretary's office that foreigners could not be hired as workers or assistants under traders' licences.

"MBPJ has enforced this ban by closing stalls that employed foreigners as workers or assistants. A total of 53 stalls were ordered to close last year for committing this offence," he said.

The spokesperson also said the management of a wet market involved several departments handling different aspects.

"They include Valuation and Property Management Department for lot/stall rental; Solid Waste and Public Cleaning Department for cleaning and garbage collection; Licensing Department for business licence; Engineering Department for building repair and maintenance work; and Health Services and Environment Department for enforcing public health regulations."



The children's playground in Taman Bukit Indah recreational park. The park, which is part of the proposed corridor, is verdant, spacious and popular with the surrounding community.

14,350ha, but almost 50% of its land is made up of forest reserves.

Lembah Jaya is the Selangor state constituency which covers a significant part of the municipality.

At present, the proposed plan will connect areas such as Taman Kosas, Taman Bukit Indah, Bukit Kembara and Bukit Belacan.

Popular spots in these areas include the Bukit Kembara hiking trail, Bukit Indah bicycle trek, Taman Bukit Indah recreational park, Dusun Bandar Taman Kosas and Taman Rimba Ampang.

Residents welcome plans

Bukit Indah Community Garden committee chairman Major (Retd) Azmi Mohamad said the greening project would be a boon to residents and visitors.

"Many of the neighbourhoods in Ampang are matured with a high density of residents.

"This also means that there are not many green areas within these housing areas, or they are limited to neighbourhood parks.

"The lack of accessible green spaces is one of the reasons why community gardens like ours draw many visitors," he said.

The community garden, set up in 2015, is popular with residents and visitors alike.

The 1.3ha garden boasts fruit trees and vegetables that are often-times sold to the public as a way to keep the garden self-sustainable.

Azmi said the green corridor project would help to bring awareness about how gardens like these could be beneficial to the community.



"Any green space we have left is a real strength and we must use it in the best way we can, so that people can get real benefit and enjoyment," he added.

Taman Bukit Indah resident Janet Chew, 56, welcomed the proposed plans as it would expand the current green spaces in her neighbourhood.

"I usually jog around the recreational park here, but it has become quite crowded in recent years as more people have taken up

outdoor activities.

"Also, recreational and amenity spaces are more in demand than ever with the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic."

"A connected route that is safe is a good idea," she agreed.

Meanwhile, MPAJ press relations officer Norhayati Ahmad said the local council would have no objections in giving the project the green light.

"There have been discussions with Haniza about the project and

even a site visit with MPAJ president Mohd Fauzi Mohd Yatim recently.

"There are still some aspects of the project that need to be looked into, as it will be funded by KPKT. "But we have no objections to approving it once the plans are submitted," she said when contacted by StarMetro.

She added that if it got the go-ahead, the project would be beneficial to residents with long-term positive impact.



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MBSJ sends 100 festive meals to B40 families

(From second left) Wong, Noraini and Mohd Zulkurnain at the flag-off ceremony for food delivery riders to send 'poon choy' to selected B40 families.



SUBANG Jaya City Council (MBSJ) brought some festive cheer to selected underprivileged families by distributing *poon choy* (festive meal in a pot) in conjunction with Chinese New Year.

In lieu of organising a celebration during the movement control order period, MBSJ had the *poon choy* sent through food delivery riders to B40 families living within the city council's administrative area.

Subang Jaya mayor Noraini Roslan, deputy mayor and secretary Mohd Zulkurnain Che Ali and Subang MP Wong Chen flagged off the delivery riders at Arena MBSJ on Chap Goh Meh, the last day of Chinese New Year.

Also present were MBSJ council-

lors Lee Jen Uyin, Thomas Low Yew Sin, George Yap Kok Weng and Mehanathan Embamurthi.

"A total of 100 pots of *poon choy* were presented to B40 families identified by MBSJ councillors within their respective zones," said MBSJ Corporate and Strategic Management Department deputy director Azfarizal Abdul Rashid in a statement.

"*Poon choy* is a traditional Chinese dish that features many ingredients in a single pot.

"It symbolises prosperity and well-being to be enjoyed by the whole family."

In addition to *poon choy* valued at RM200 per unit, he said MBSJ also gave an *ang pow* of RM68 to each recipient.



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Jamaliah, Wong and other women involved in the Wanita Memimpin campaign, including representatives from NGOs as well as associations, at the launch in Damansara Jaya.



IN CONJUNCTION with International Women's Day 2021, the Bandar Utama assemblyman's service centre is hosting a "Wanita Memimpin" (Women Lead) campaign.

The campaign will see a series of interviews with women who are serving the community, from the grassroots at non-governmental organisations to MPs.

Bandar Utama assemblyman Jamaliah Jamaluddin said the theme was "Choose to Challenge".

"We chose this theme to focus on women's leadership as we are all aware that women play an important role not only in family matters, but also leading communities and the country," she said at the launch of the campaign in Damansara Jaya.

The campaign, which runs until the end of March, will see collaboration among organi-

Women leaders featured in campaign's video series

sations and associations as well as Balakong assemblyman Wong Siew Ki and Segambut MP Hannah Yeoh, who will be featured in interviews over nine videos along with others serving the community.

"Each of them should be appreciated, which is why we have interviews with women from various backgrounds, including councillors, youth leaders, 'pusat wanita berdaya' committee members, NGOs, village heads, sportswomen and residents association members," said Jamaliah.

"Our special interview with Yeoh explores her childhood and life to show that many are from regular backgrounds and chose to be leaders in the community," she added.

Wong, who was also at the launch, said the campaign was a meaningful one, elaborating "If we don't have this series of videos, we may overlook many individuals who serve in our community.

"I hope that the series will inspire others." The recorded sessions as well as live interviews can be viewed on www.facebook.com/



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Get the job to end the nightmare

Across the world, there is a growing pro-vaccination stand as countries and people realise that the only way to beat Covid-19 is to be vaccinated.

AS we approach March 18, the one-year anniversary of Malaysia's first Covid-19 lockdown, common sense is a commodity that seems in short supply in the country.

The pandemic has turned our world upside down. Lives were lost, businesses ruined and families devastated. And yet, just as there is renewed hope that the worst is over, there are still Malaysians who are opposed to vaccination and in fact refuse to believe that vaccines are the answer to ending this year-long nightmare.

Misinformation is the main reason behind why only about 7% have thus far registered for vaccinations via the MySejahtera app. This slow pace among Malaysians to register their interest in getting vaccinated against Covid-19 is concerning and points to a lack of clarity and awareness as well as scepticism about the vaccines.

But the misinformation by "anti-vaxxers" who say taking the vaccine is a waste of time could soon be drowned out by a slew of legislation and initiatives as part of the government's efforts to reopen all economic sectors and hasten the end of the pandemic.

Health Minister Datuk Seri Dr Adham Baba has announced that five new provisions under the Emergency (Prevention and Control of Infectious Diseases) (Amendment) Ordinance 2021 will come into force



In the clear: Frontliner Rainie Leong showing off her 'I have been vaccinated' badge. — Bernama

on March 11. These include a mandatory order for Covid-19 patients or people who have close contact with positive cases to wear a tracking device.

These new legal provisions are not merely a form of punishment but also a preventive measure against the spread of Covid-19 in the country.

A day before this announcement, Inspector-General of Police Tan Sri Abdul Hamid Bador said action can

be taken under the Sedition Act 1948 against individuals who spread fake news and instigate people not to take the Covid-19 vaccine.

There is no law against scepticism, and as of now, there isn't any law to compel you to take the vaccine, but let us hope that these measures or rather the threat of punitive action will see the dialling back of anti-vaccine instigation.

Around the world, there is a growing pro-vaccination stand.

From the United States to Europe to China, countries and people have accepted that the only way to end the pandemic is to be vaccinated.

Some countries have even resorted to new laws to make vaccination compulsory. Our neighbour Indonesia is a case in point.

Elsewhere, Israel, which has administered jabs to more than half its population, has introduced a green pass app that shows whether people have been fully inoculated against the coronavirus or if they have presumed immunity after contracting the disease. Malls and museums have reopened for all, but green pass holders get exclusive access to gyms, hotels, theatres, concerts, and indoor dining in restaurants and bars, albeit with some limits.

And in news that is sure to send reverberations around the Muslim world, Saudi Arabia's health ministry has ruled that only people who have been vaccinated against Covid-19 will be allowed to perform the Hajj this year.

The importance of this new ruling cannot be underestimated as tens of millions of pilgrims will now have to produce vaccination certificates to fulfil conditions to visit Mecca.

Closer to home, Asean economic ministers have proposed a common digital vaccine certificate to speed up the reopening of the hardest-hit sectors such as tourism.

Even though International Trade

and Industry Minister Datuk Seri Mohamed Azmin Ali did not specify a timeline for when this can take place, it is a welcomed initiative.

An Asean-wide travel pass or immunisation passport will definitely help facilitate movement among member countries and, more importantly, allow the tourism sector, among the worst hit industries, to bounce back.

I believe Malaysia should take the lead and push for an immunisation passport for Asean. For a start, though, we should join forces with Thailand and Singapore, countries that are heavily reliant on tourism. Both countries have already embarked on a full-scale vaccination programme.

The magic figure of 80% of our population being immunised is frequently brought up when referring to herd immunity. No disrespect to our medical experts, but realistically, we cannot wait for next February for this target to be reached.

If a common digital vaccine certificate can be agreed upon by Malaysia and her neighbours, borders should be open for business and tourism, even if only 50% of the country's population are vaccinated.

If half the country is immunised and Covid-19 numbers have stabilised to a low point, waiting any longer for our borders to reopen would be counter-productive.



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Nod for face-to-face 'akad nikah' in Selangor from Monday

SHAH ALAM: The Selangor Religious Department (Jais) will allow face-to-face *akad nikah* from March 8.

A statement on the department's Facebook page said the decision was made in light of the implementation of the Conditional Movement Control Order in the state starting today.

Jais said there would be limits on the number of attendees allowed at *akad nikah*, with only 15 people allowed for ceremonies at

mosques and surau.

For *akad nikah* held at home or at paid venues, Jais said only 20 people were allowed, while for ceremonies at district religious offices or at Jais, only six people were allowed.

During the Movement Control Order (MCO), marriage solemnisation ceremonies were held via video conferencing.

Virtual ceremonies were introduced on April 20 last year during the first MCO.



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BETRAYAL OF FRONTLINERS

Expert: Queue-jumpers could harm immunisation plan rollout

KUALA LUMPUR: Queue-jumping in the Covid-19 National Immunisation Programme (NIP) is a betrayal of the frontliners who have been battling the pandemic for more than a year.

Recent claims by health practitioners that some people got vaccinated ahead of their group had prompted the Science, Technology and Innovation Ministry (Mosti) to launch a probe into the matter through the newly-formed Covid-19 Immunisation Task Force (CITF).

Fines are being mulled against those found queue-jumping in the vaccination exercise.

Associate Professor Dr Malina Osman, an epidemiologist and biostatistician from Universiti Putra Malaysia, said frontliners were placed in the first phase of the NIP as they were the ones with a higher risk of getting infected with Covid-19 compared with the other groups.

"If frontliners are skipped (un-

able to be vaccinated adequately), it would expose them and other patients in the hospitals to the risk of infection.

"This situation is unfair to frontliners who have struggled since the pandemic emerged more than a year ago.

"Queue-jumpers could demotivate those who were given or promised an earlier date but were denied the vaccine."

She said those affected might feel uncomfortable and possibly would not turn up at the rescheduled date.

"Sources (frontliners) revealed that they felt betrayed (by such an act).

"Indirectly, acts of queue-jumpers might reduce the par-

icipation of those who deserve the vaccine and might affect the target of the NIP."

Dr Malina said while there was a provision for those who obstructed efforts to prevent the disease under the Prevention and Control of Infectious Diseases Act 1988, there was still a need for a proper and detailed mechanism on how to execute it.

She suggested that the list of names who had registered be made available on a specific dedicated website linked to the MySejahtera app to ensure a transparent registration process.

"Perhaps the process can be



Associate Professor Dr Malina Osman

similar to the registration for the general election — based on MyKad or passport numbers — so that we can easily track any 'abnormal' registration."

Environmental health expert Professor Dr Jamal Hisham Hashim said queue-jumping could cause delays in the NIP and jeopardise its rollout for the entire population.

"It might also disrupt the availability of a second vaccine dose for those who have already received the first dose.

"Both health and non-health frontliners must be vaccinated first due to the high-risk nature of their jobs.

"They risk getting infected and also transmitting it to others. If they are not well protected, those who work with them as well as the public might be affected.

"Vaccinating them first should be the top priority," said the Universiti Selangor visiting pro-

fessor of environmental health, who is also a member of the Public Health Advocacy Alliance.

A Mosti spokesman said the ministry viewed the matter seriously and was working with the Health Ministry through CITF in investigating allegations.

Up to 11am on Wednesday, it had received 199 complaints and upon checks, almost 70 per cent of them had no proof, he said.

Claims about vaccination queue-jumpers continued on social media with the latest alleging drivers and maids of prominent figures had jumped queues for their doses.

MedTweetMY chairman Dr Khairul Hafidz Alkhair Khairul Amin had said the coalition of doctors and health workers had received complaints on queue-jumpers and forwarded them to Mosti for further action. **By Nuradzimmah Daim**



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NESTLE OPENS QUARANTINE TRANSIT STATION

Centre is the first collaboration between Selangor govt and private sector, says MB

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NESTLE (M) Bhd has opened the Nestle Quarantine Transit Station (QTS) in Pegasus Hotel to ease the burden on healthcare facilities, here, and in nearby areas.

Nestle chief executive officer Juan Aranols said the QTS was established in collaboration with the Health Ministry and the Selangor government for close contacts of Covid-19 patients who were required to self-quarantine.

He said the centre provided an appropriate setting for those who did not have the means nor suitable facilities for at-home quarantine.

The Nestle QTS provides free accommodation, amenities and three meals a day.

"QTS is open to Nestle employees and their families, as well as the Bottom 40 per cent group (B40) and lower-income communities in Selangor. The costs will be fully borne by Nestle.

"Our quarantine centre enables persons under surveillance who lack the capacity for effective home quarantine to self-isolate



Nestle (M) Bhd chief executive officer Juan Aranols (left) briefing Selangor Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Amirudin Shari (centre) about the company's Covid-19 pandemic relief efforts after the launch of the Nestle Quarantine Transit Station in Shah Alam yesterday.

comfortably and safely. This will be especially beneficial for vulnerable communities," he said at the opening of the Nestle QTS yesterday.

Selangor Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Amirudin Shari said this was the first collaboration between the state government and the private sector in opening a Covid-19 quarantine centre.

"As such, and in line with the government's efforts to set up more Covid-19 quarantine transit centres, we welcome private-

public sector collaborations to ensure that we can continue to protect the health and wellbeing of the rakyat," he said.

Nestle said Pegasus Hotel was selected as a quarantine centre by the National Disaster Management Agency last year.

Through the initiative, 100 hotel rooms are reserved by Nestle that can accommodate single or family groups.

"Those under quarantine are required to observe the strict standard operating procedure to

protect the hotel staff and other guests, with a process flow designed by the hotel and validated by the health authorities. This includes a dedicated quarantine entrance and elevator, as well as a separate kitchen that will prepare their meals.

"Upon checking in, a 'Nestle Cares' care kit will be provided and it contains a selection of essential Nestle products for the duration of their stay. Those under quarantine will also be monitored by the authorities," it said.



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Transit station for B40 group launched

SHAH ALAM: Covid-19 patients from the B40 group who do not have space at home for self-quarantine can now check in at the quarantine transit station at the Pegasus Hotel.

Nestle Malaysia Bhd, which launched the centre yesterday, will bear all costs incurred to house such individuals.

"They will be given free

accommodation and delicious and nutritious meals," said Nestle Malaysia chief executive officer Juan Aranols.

"Those in the B40 group may not have the facilities for home quarantine. This is our way to support the Health Ministry's efforts to prevent close contact with them," he said at the launch of the Nestle Quarantine Transit Station initiative by Selangor

Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Amirudin Shari yesterday.

"Standard operating procedures will be strictly adhered to at all times," Aranols said, adding that the station will operate for two months, after which Nestle will assess the situation to see if an extension is needed.

Amirudin said the state government welcomed cooperation

between the private and public sectors to address the Covid situation in Selangor.

He said the transit station at Pegasus Hotel would meet the needs of those from the central and northern parts of Selangor and another transit centre at the Islamic Training Institute of Malaysia will cater to those from the southern part of the state. - Bernama



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Nestle Malaysia opens quarantine transit station in Shah Alam

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Nestle (Malaysia) Bhd has launched Nestle Quarantine Transit Station (QTS) in Pegasus Hotel to ease some of the burden on healthcare facilities especially in Shah Alam and nearby areas. -fotoBERNAMA (2021) HAK CIPTA TERPELHABAS

SHAH ALAM: Nestle (Malaysia) Bhd has launched Nestle Quarantine Transit Station (QTS) in Pegasus Hotel to ease some of the burden on healthcare facilities especially in Shah Alam and nearby areas.

Nestle Malaysia chief executive officer, Juan Aranzola said Nestle QTS had been established through collaboration with the Ministry of Health (MoH) and Selangor state government to support "close contact" Covid-19 patients who require self-quarantine.

Aranzola said Nestle QTS provides an appropriate setting for those who do not have the means or suitable facilities for at-home quarantine.

This will include free hotel room accommodation and amenities, three nutritious meals a day, specially designed by Maggi Chefs, with adherence to safety standard operating procedure (SOP) protocols advised by the MoH.

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"QTS will be open to Nestle employees and their families, as well as B40 and lower-income communities in Selangor. The costs of the facilities will be fully borne by Nestle.

"Our quarantine centre enables person(s) under surveillance (PUS) who may lack the capacity for effective home quarantine, to self-isolate comfortably and most importantly, safely. This will be especially beneficial for vulnerable communities, including B40 families and lower-income groups," he told the media at the launch of Nestle QTS today.

Selangor Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Aminudin Shari said this was the first collaboration between the state government and private sector to open a Covid-19 quarantine transit centre.

"As such and in line with the government's efforts to set up more Covid-19 quarantine transit centres, we welcome private-public collaborations to ensure that we can continue to protect the health and wellbeing of the rakyat," said Aminudin.

Nestle Malaysia said Pegasus Hotel was selected as a quarantine centre by the National Disaster Management Agency (NADMA) in 2020, with proven capabilities and strict compliance to SOPs in handling quarantine cases.

Through the initiative, 100 hotel rooms are reserved as quarantine rooms by Nestle, comprising a range of options to accommodate either single or family groups.

"Those under quarantine are required to observe strict SOPs to protect the hotel staff and other guests, with a process flow designed by the hotel and validated by the health authorities. This includes utilising a dedicated quarantine entrance and elevator, as well as a separate kitchen which provides three nourishing meals a day developed by Nestle.

"Upon checking in, a 'Nestle Cares' Care Kit will be provided, containing a selection of essential Nestle products for the duration of their stay. Those under quarantine will also be monitored by the authorities, including the Malaysia Civil Defence Force, Petaling District office and the Selangor State Health Department," it said.

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Selangor launches 1st quarantine transit centre

The centre provides an appropriate setting for those who do not have the means or suitable facilities for at-home quarantine

by LYDIA NATHAN

THE Selangor state government together with Nestlé (M) Bhd and Health Ministry introduced the Nestlé Quarantine Transit Station (QTS), the first public-private sector collaboration to launch a Covid-19 quarantine centre, aiming to support people that have come into close contact with Covid-19 positive patients.

The 100-room QTS, located at Pegasus Hotel in Shah Alam, Selangor, is fully paid for by Nestlé and it is available for Nestlé employees and the public.

Pegasus Hotel was selected as a quarantine centre by the National Disaster Management Agency (NADMA) in 2020 with proven capabilities and strict compliance in handling quarantine cases.

Selangor Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Amirudin Shari said Selangor is one of the most affected states due to its population density, while



Aranols (left) briefing Amirudin (centre) on some of the facilities and services that are available for those undergoing quarantine at Pegasus Hotel

healthcare workers and facilities have already been stretched at full capacity.

He said the idea for the quarantine centre first came about when the number of cases soared

between 2,000 to 3,000 daily, which led to the discussion of opening a centre to help curb the spread of the virus.

"The Nestlé QTS will provide an appropriate setting for those who do

not have the means or suitable facilities for at-home quarantine. This will include free accommodation, amenities, three nutritious meals a day while adhering to the strict standard operating procedures at all times," he told reporters at the launch of the centre yesterday.

"The QTS will likely be for patients in stage 1 and 2. This will also free up some space at MAEPS, as healthcare workers are also using the facility for quarantine," he said.

Amirudin added that relevant bodies that will work together for this initiative include Malaysia Civil Defence Force (APM), the Malaysian Armed Forces (MAF) and the Covid-19 Assessment Centre (CAC).

"Nestlé has had a 0.001% of infection at its factory from the first Movement Control Order and has a good record at handling the pandemic so far. There is a station set up at the hotel already for the MAF and APM forces. They have been trained and have also had the experience since last year in handling the transits and management of positive tested patients."

"Since Nestlé has had such a low infection rate, the centre will be

predominantly for the public. We will leave it up to CAC and other bodies to access," Amirudin added.

Meanwhile, Nestlé CEO Juan Aranols said the company has taken a stance from the beginning of the outbreak of the virus with an aim to support the communities, keep people safe and ensure adequate supply of food across the nation.

According to Aranols, QTS will remain open for two months, but the company will adapt to the situation and trend of cases.

"We will see what is needed in two months' time and if we need to continue. Hopefully, we won't need to scale up. I cannot comment on the amount invested but it is significant," he said.

Aranols also said this effort will look at helping the hotel industry since it has been badly hit since the pandemic outbreak.

"It has definitely been hard times for many hotels so we want to put Pegasus Hotel to good use and help support the community. Last year Nestlé channelled RM15 million to pandemic relief efforts and we will continue to do this year with our wide range of initiatives," he said.



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(沙亚南4日讯) 马来西亚雀巢 (Nestle Malaysia) 发动冠病人道救援精神, 携手卫生部和雪州政府, 在沙亚南Pegasus酒店启动雀巢“隔离中心”(QTS), 以免提供冠病患者和密切接触者进行隔离。

助舒缓雪医疗系统

雪州大臣拿督斯里阿米鲁丁指出, 这是私人企业首次与州政府合作设隔离中心, 有助于舒缓雪州的医疗系统。

他今早为雀巢隔离中心推介后, 召开新闻发布会说, 冠病高峰期, 雪州多家政府医院的床位都严重爆满, 超出负荷, 惟雪州现阶段的确确诊冠病有明显下降趋势, 维持在三位数, 但不能担保接下来是否会反弹, 做好准备才是上策。

他披露, 沙登的MAEPS低风险冠病隔离与治疗中心可收第一期到第四期的病患者, 而雀巢的隔离中心预计会接收第一期或第二期的确诊患者。

“雀巢将租下100间酒店房间作为隔离房间, 而入住的病患者将由雪州卫生局和冠病评估中心(CAC)核定和指派。”

他补充, 隔离的工作将会交给拥有丰富经验的民防部队负责, 确保隔离的病患者都遵守标准作业程序。

另外, 他也赞扬雀巢公司在防疫工作上表现良好, 尤其该厂从去年到至今的冠病感染率只有0.01%, 可见该公司严格遵守作业标准作业程序。

租100間酒店房間 雀巢“隔離中心”啓動



病者在雀巢隔离中心下隔离, 每日三餐都是由雀巢的MAGGI厨师特别准备。左起为阿米鲁丁和郎阿拉诺斯。

阿米鲁丁：不代表疫情受控 民衆接種後仍需守SOP

阿米鲁丁稍早前致词时表示, 尽管如今已经开始接种疫苗, 但并不代表疫情会在一瞬间消失或受控制, 相反大众如今还是得继续作好防疫标准作业程序。

他说, 即便疫情受控后, 大家也要检视疫情期间带来的启发, 包括许多工厂爆发感染群, 其实都与空气流通、住宿与工作环境不良有关。

他披露, 无论是贸工部、人力资源部、州政府或地方政府都应该审视上述的情况, 并介入改善劳工环境。



郎阿拉诺斯(左一)向阿米鲁丁(中)解释雀巢隔离中心的作业方式。

去年撥1500萬支援防疫 雀巢再接再厲幫助社區

另外, 马来西亚雀巢有限公司首席执行官郎阿拉诺斯表示, 大马雀巢于去年疫情期间, 共拨出1500万令吉投入社区服务和支援工作, 今年会再接再厉投入更多资源帮助社区。

他披露, 该公司是于两个月前开始启动设立隔离中心计划, 加上了解到如今许多酒店在疫情期间经营上面对困境, 所以才会选择租下酒店房间, 作为隔离中心。

“我们除了提供住隔离的房间, 也为隔离者提供1天三餐。”

他补充, 入住隔离的人士必须严格遵守SOP, 按照卫生部所定下的标准作业程序, 以保护酒店员工和其他客人。

隔离人士入住期间, 也将受到马来西亚民防部队、八打灵县土地局和雪州卫生局官员的监管。

出席今日推介礼嘉宾包括雪州秘书拿督诺阿兹米、雪州行政议员西蒂玛丽亚, 以及大马雀巢执行董事拿督阿南。



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大道工程屢傳意外 民衆駛經工地 恐懼

報道 ▽ 陳詩蕙、鍾可婷

(八打灵再也3日讯) 施工中的大道工程多次直接或间接出现安全隐患, 令途经工地的驾驶人士不免产生恐惧感!

新街场-淡江大道 (SUKE) 高架天桥靠近吉隆坡迪沙拉萨地区的工程昨晚发生意外事故, 一辆运载吊机的罗里撞向修建中的高架天桥, 导致局部建筑坍塌, 并压到一辆工厂货车, 导致2死3伤惨剧。

尽管此事件中涉及的拖格罗里不属于工程使用的交通工具, 但大道工地数次传出的意外事故, 已让民众在途经时, 忧心忡忡。



羅里撞塌修建中高架橋 客貨車被壓2死3獲救



根据李明康行车记录仪拍摄的画面, 可见一辆罗里在没有置放障碍物的情况下, 停在快速车道工作; 工作人员也未穿上反光衣, 驾驶者难以注意到他们。

黃思漢: 派員突擊檢查

雪州行政議員黃思漢受訪時指出, 這類情況頻頻發生, 大家已是非常害怕和恐懼。
 “其實這種疏忽是不被允許的, 因為這類大型工程有很多不同等級的工程顧問和稽查等, 意外事故不該發生。”
 他提及, 除了大型基建工程, 其實就算是房屋建築、裝修等小型工程, 地方政府都會派員進行突擊檢查; 儘管如此, 工程的安全責任仍在于承包商和工程顧問, 所以後者必須定期檢查。
 “州政府很重視工程安全, 我們不會忽略這些, 因為幸運的話, 沒有人命傷亡; 但不可能每次都那麼幸運。”
 他說, 在雪州方面, 這類意外事故也曾發生, 州政府當時就第一時間發出停工准證, 爾後再召開行政會議, 指示相關單位馬上改善。
 “我們有把承包商叫到經濟行動理事會上, 要他們給出滿意的解釋, 否則不允許重新開工。”



施工路障太近道路

黃思漢也針對大道等大型工程的施工路障與道路太近, 並形成阻礙一事無奈指出, 這是有城市規劃的整體缺點, 畢竟許多新的大道計劃都不在原本的規劃內, 惟工程也需要一些空間來施工, 却又不能完全封路。
 “這就是大型工程所面對的難處; 在雪州的工程, 如輕快鐵路工程, 我們試過全面封路, 或是只允許在晚上時段動工, 或盡可能改道, 雖然這會對當地社區帶來短暫困擾, 但工程相關部分卻能更安全和快速地完成。”

李明康: 入夜施工未置障礙物

另一方面, 工作人員在入夜後施工並未置放障礙物及身穿反光衣, 險些釀成意外!
 行動黨武吉免登國會議員方俊明李康接受《大都會》社區版記者電訪時表示, 他於本月1日晚10時12分從大城堡返回吉隆坡方向, 路經第二中環公路靠近吉隆坡南湖鎮綜合交通終站的路段時, 發現一輛羅里停泊在快速車道, 工作人員則在施工。
 他說, 相關地點附近路段於昨日傍晚6時就發生了拖格羅里撞向修建中的高



李霖泰: 避免意外發生 各方應遵守交通安全

區安全聯盟主席丹斯里李霖泰認為, 倘若各方面都有遵守交通安全法令和時刻關注安全文化, 昨日“吊機撞施工中高架橋”的死亡意外事故就不會發生。
 他提醒各方面, 例如施工方、工人或公眾人士都必須關注安全措施, 避免意外發生; 同時, 任何工作地點都須讓民眾的安全, 切勿讓大眾對任何施工中的建築產生一種恐懼感。
 他今日發表文告促請有關當局徹底調查

架天橋意外, 並壓倒一輛工廠貨車, 以致2人身亡。
 “當時, 羅里停泊的位置前, 並沒有置放任何障礙物作為提醒, 而在羅里上的工作人員也沒有穿上反光衣。”

前方車亮煞車燈才注意到
 根據他的行车记录仪拍摄到画面, 他原本在快速车道行驶, 直到前方的汽车亮起煞车灯, 他才注意到前方有一辆罗里。
 “当时我的行驶时速为70公里, 我在看到罗里后, 即刻亮起讯号灯, 并确定后方及隔壁车道没有车辆后, 左转至隔壁车道。”
 他说, 罗里停泊的路段恰好是转弯处, 加上该路段只有临时路灯照明, 道路

显得昏暗, 所幸当时他并没有高速行驶及注意到前方汽车亮煞车灯, 才没撞上该罗里, 酿成意外。

网友: 曾险撞快车道障碍物
 另一名网友说, 她在清晨时分路经该处时, 红白色的障碍物横挡在快速车道, 她差点撞上该障碍物, 所幸当时行驶的车辆不多, 她还能紧急切换车道。
 “我提醒道路使用者要格外小心, 避免在快速车道行驶。同时, 我也希望承包商在入夜后施工时, 必须增设警示牌, 避免酿成意外。”

“重要的, 我们需要从每次事件中吸取教训, 并努力提升安全措施。我们必须遵守SOP, 如有必要, 可以研究和改进更加创新的SOP。”

车辆路线, 以及有效的障碍物。”

重型车辆操作员应研究路线

他说, 即使是道路使用者, 尤其是重型车辆操作员 (HGV), 也需要通过研究行驶路线、车辆负载等来提高其安全SOP, 以降低事故的风险和影响。

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丘應權: 免意外重演

各執法單位須調查交待

(吉隆坡4日讯) 马六甲拉薩區區主席曾督丘應權要求相關當局針對新街場-淡江大道 (SUKE) 高架天橋再一次發生事故展開調查, 除了追查涉案羅里司機的背景, 也調查工地的封路、安全措施等, 是否符合安全規格。
 他說, 除了地方政府、警方、陸路交通局、職業安全與衛生局等相關單位, 都必需介入調查此事, 交待來龍去脈。
 他說, 雖然目前涉案司機已被警方確認吸毒, 但是為何羅里會撞向架橋、而遭殃客貨車如何被壓到, 這些都是要展開調查的, 以免意外重演。

或出現執法漏洞

“目前, 依據法令, 高架天橋是不可以低於5.4公尺, 為何肇事羅里高度超過5.4公尺, 却可以上路? 這顯示執法單位出現的執法漏洞。”
 他指責, 陸路交通局沒有有層層執法和檢查重型交通工具, 也沒有針對這類重型交通工具進行特別檢查和批准。

他說, 職業安全與衛生局有必要定期檢查各個工地, 包括高架天橋工程安全情況, 而不是等待投訴或發生事故後才來行動。
 他說, 當局也要即刻指示工地停工, 並且展開安全評估, 確保結構安全, 以免威脅來往車輛與公眾的安全。

為何工程遲遲未竣工

他是針對周三傍晚在新街場-淡江大道 (SUKE) 高架天橋靠近迪沙拉薩地區, 一輛運載吊機鐵架的羅里撞向修建中的高架天橋, 導致局部建築坍塌, 壓毀一輛客貨車, 造成二死三傷慘劇, 發表上述談話。

他指出, 案發高架天橋工地已發生數次意外, 包括曾有巨石從高空墜下, 砸毀轎車事件, 因此當局必需加以確保其安全措施必需標準。

“案發後, 地方上居民都不滿為何該工程一直沒有竣工, 居民都非常好奇該工程的進度是否有推延。”