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Curbing growth of entertainment, games outlets

SHAH ALAM, Sun. - The Selangor Government will focus on measures to prevent the mushrooming of entertainment and gaming outlets in the State in efforts to overcome social problems among youths and promote a healthy lifestyle among the people.

Selangor Menteri Besar Tan Sri Muhammad Muhammad Taib said enforcement checks had been stepped up in all districts to ensure that the ruling on closing of entertainment and games outlets by midnight is adhered to.

"We also want to monitor closely all activities in these outlets as we want the operators to adhere to the conditions stipulated in their licence and the ruling made by the Government pertaining to the closing time," he added.

Speaking to reporters at his Hari Raya Aidilfitri open house, Muhammad said the Government was doing its best to reduce social problems among youths and the public should also co-operate.

"Without public co-operation, we cannot succeed. If the public puts its heart and mind into it, the social problem can be easily overcome."

He said this Hari Raya Aidilfitri, emphasis should be given to tackling social ills and as rightly put by Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad, everyone should help to combat the moral decline in society.

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