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TERENGGANU ALSO WILLING TO PROVIDE LIST OF PROJECT RECIPIENTS

KUALA TERENGGANU, June 23 (Bernama) -- Terengganu is willing to release the list of recipients of state privatised projects to prove transparency of the state administration, Menteri Besar Tan Sri Wan Mokhtar Ahmad said today.

"We have no objection to issuing the list if requested," he told reporters after chairing the state executive council weekly meeting, here.

The menteri besar was asked whether the state government was prepared to release such a list, emulating the federal government.

Wan Mokhtar said releasing the list would prove that the state government had nothing to hide and dispel claims that it practised nepotism and cronyism.

At the recent Umno general assembly Prime Minister and Umno president Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad had directed that the lists of recipients of privatised projects and shares be made public in response to allegations of nepotism and cronyism in the party and government.

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