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Agong-Pledge

PLEDGE BY TUANKU SYED SIRAJUDDIN AT HIS INSTALLATION

KUALA LUMPUR, April 25 (Bernama) -- Following is the pledge by Tuanku Syed Sirajuddin Syed Putra Jamalullail at his installation as the 12th Yang di-Pertuan Agong at the Throne Room of Istana Negara here today.

"IN THE NAME OF ALLAH, THE MOST MERCIFUL AND COMPASSIONATE.

I, TUANKU SYED SIRAJUDDIN IBNI ALMARHUM TUANKU SYED PUTRA JAMALULLAIL, AM THANKFUL TO ALLAH S.W.T., AS WITH HIS BLESSINGS, I HAVE BEEN CHOSEN AS THE YANG DI-PERTUAN AGONG.

I WILL HEREBY RULE MALAYSIA IN A FAIR MANNER, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAW AND THE COUNTRY'S CONSTITUTION, AND UPHOLD AT ALL TIMES THE RELIGION OF ISLAM AND STAND FIRM FOR A JUST GOVERNMENT AND PEACEFUL COUNTRY."

Earlier, Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad made a proclamation that Tuanku Syed Sirajuddin has been chosen by the Conference of Rulers as the Yang di-Pertuan Agong.

He said:

"IN THE NAME OF ALLAH, THE MOST MERCIFUL AND COMPASSIONATE.

THIS IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED TO EVERY CITIZEN AND PERSON RESIDENT IN MALAYSIA THAT THEIR HIGHNESSES, THE ROYAL RULERS, HAVE CHOSEN THE DULI YANG MAHA MULIA TUANKU SYED SIRAJUDDIN IBNI ALMARHUM TUANKU SYED PUTRA JAMALULLAIL TO BE THE YANG DI-PERTUAN AGONG AND FROM THIS DAY, TIME AND GLORIOUS MOMENT, HIS MAJESTY ASCENDS THE THRONE AND STANDS AS THE PILLAR OF THE COUNTRY OF MALAYSIA AND WILL BE HENCEFORTH KNOWN AS SERI PADUKA BAGINDA YANG DI-PERTUAN AGONG."

-- BERNAMA

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