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FIVE WATER CATCHMENT AREAS TO BE GAZETTED - MOHAMED ISA

SEREMBAN, July 30 (Bernama) -- The State Government will gazette five water catchment areas, Menteri Besar Tan Sri Mohamed Isa Abdul Samad said today.

The dams -- in Gemencheh, Kuala Pilah, Sungai Terip, Kelinci and Talang -- would be gazetted by the Water Works Department and the Land and Mines Department.

"The gazette will make it easier for the Government and the public to be informed of the location of the water catchment areas and avoid development which could possibly destroy the area," he said after chairing the weekly State Executive Council meeting today.

The gazette is in line with the decision by the National Water Resource Council meeting, chaired by Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad, in Putrajaya yesterday, he said.

When asked to comment on disciplinary action against staff linked to the illegal Federal Special Forces of Malaysia, Mohamed Isa said he had not received any report of State Government staff being involved in the movement.

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