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## CONSULATE OF MALAYSIA, PONTIANAK

### New Consul of Malaysia in Pontianak



Consul paid a courtesy call on the Mayor of Pontianak

The new Consul of Malaysia in Pontianak Mr. Mohiuddin bin Ghazali, reported for duty on 27 January 2016, replacing his predecessor Mr. Khairul Nazran bin Abdul Rahman, who had served as Consul for 4 years.

Joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Malaysia in 2004 and has since served abroad in Paris from 2008 to 2011 and in Kuwait from 2011 to 2013.

The new Consul of Malaysia has a Bachelors Degree in Accountancy and Finance and a Master's in Business Administration from the International Islamic University of Malaysia.



Consul and Drs. Cornelis, MH, Governor of West Kalimantan

### Malaysian Consulate Contributes Fire Protective Suits and Helmets to Voluntary Firestation Panca Bhakti

On 28 April 2016, the Consulate of Malaysia in Pontianak handed over six fireman protective suits and helmets to Panca Bhakti Pontianak, a voluntary firemen squad.

The contribution, worth Rp52 million, is a gesture of thanks to the voluntary firemen as well as the local government and community for the cooperation and welcome they have extended to the Consulate thus far.

It is part of the Malaysian Government's efforts in forging ever closer relations with Indonesia at all levels of the community.



Group photo of Consulate staff and the voluntary firemen squad

## Tabung Strategik Hubungan Malaysia - Indonesia



Briefing on Panca Bhakti's existing equipments



The handing-over ceremony was attended by Bapak Abi Hasni Tahir, Ketua Dewan Komisaris Yayasan Pemadam Kebakaran Panca Bhakti Provinsi Kalimantan Barat

## Working Visit of the Honorable Minister of Energy, Green Technology and Water



The Honorable Datuk Seri Panglima Dr. Maximus Johnity Ongkili, Minister of Energy, Green Technology and Water of Malaysia conveying his speech to Malaysian in Pontianak

The Honorable Datuk Seri Panglima Dr. Maximus Johnity Ongkili, Minister of Energy, Green Technology and Water of Malaysia made a working visit to West Kalimantan on 10 - 12 May 2016. The purpose of the visit was to officially launch the trading of electricity between the Sarawak Energy Berhad (SEB) and Perusahaan Listrik Nasional (PLN) of Indonesia. The trading of electricity had been in operation since January 2016

of which sees SEB supplying 70MW of electricity to PLN. During the visit, the Honorable Minister led the Malaysian delegation to a bilateral meeting with the Indonesian side led by Drs. Cornelis, Governor of West Kalimantan (Kalbar) and Director General of the Ministry of Energy and Mineral Resources of Indonesia. The Honorable Minister took the opportunity to visit the Bengkayang 275kV substation which receives the electricity

from SEB before transmitting it to other areas in Kalimantan Barat.

The electricity interconnection projects between Malaysia and Indonesia were first initiated by the *Heads of ASEAN Power Utilities and Authorities (HAPUA)* 20 years ago.

Hence, the project is seen as hugely significant in enhancing the existing cooperation between the two countries.

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The Honorable Minister also chaired a meeting between PLN and the Sabah Electricity Sdn. Bhd. (SESB) to discuss the ASEAN power grid involving Malaysian States of Sabah, Sarawak and all the Kalimantan Province of Indonesia. ty to host a dinner for the Malaysians residing in West Kalimantan. Finally, the Honorable Minister visited Universitas Tanjungpura (UNTAN) and met with Prof. Thamrin, Rector of UNTAN to discuss possible collaboration in bio-energy research.

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Dinner with Malaysians in West Kalimantan