

BOOSTING MEDIA-GOVT TIES

MPB chairman pays courtesy call on DPM

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PUTRAJAYA: Media Prima Bhd (MPB) group chairman Datuk Syed Hussian Aljunid yesterday paid a courtesy call on Deputy Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Wan Azizah Wan Ismail at her office in the Women, Family and Community Development Ministry.

He said the visit was to boost relations between the media house and the ministry, as well as to better understand its policies and best practices.

“The ministry has done many things to help people, especially underprivileged women and children. However, these activities have gone under the radar and the public is not aware of the ministry’s efforts. So we came here to see how we could help spread the word about the ministry’s efforts, in hopes that the public, too, could play their role to help their communities,” he said.

“We will have follow-up meetings with the ministry and its minister to further discuss our cooperation with them,” he said after an hour-long meeting with Dr Wan Azizah, who is also the women, family and community



Deputy Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Wan Azizah Wan Ismail, who is also the women, family and community development minister, receiving a courtesy call from Media Prima Bhd (MPB) group chairman Datuk Syed Hussian Aljunid (right) at her office in Putrajaya yesterday. With them are (from second left) MPB group executive director Datuk Iskandar Mizal Mahmood, ‘Berita Harian’ group editor Saidon Idris, ‘Harian Metro’ group editor Husain Jahit, ‘New Straits Times’ group editor Ahmad Lokman Mansor, MPB executive director (news and editorial operations) and New Straits Times Press Bhd interim chief executive officer Mustapha Kamil Mohd Janor and MPB group corporate communication department general manager Azlan Abdul Aziz. PIC BY LUQMAN HAKIM ZUBIR

development minister.

Present were MPB group executive director Datuk Iskandar Mizal Mahmood, MPB executive director (news and editorial operations) and New Straits Times Press Bhd interim chief executive officer Mustapha Kamil Mohd

Janor, MPB group corporate communication department general manager Azlan Abdul Aziz, New Straits Times group editor Ahmad Lokman Mansor, Berita Harian group editor Saidon Idris and Harian Metro group editor Husain Jahit.

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Melaka	6:12	7:23	1:26	4:48	7:25	8:38
Penang	6:15	7:33	1:33	4:55	7:28	8:41
K. Lumpur	6:16	7:25	1:28	4:50	7:26	8:39
Johor Bahru	6:04	7:16	1:20	4:42	7:20	8:32
Kuantan	6:09	7:21	1:23	4:45	7:21	8:33
Ipoh	6:20	7:29	1:31	4:53	7:27	8:40