

PM: Ministers get 90pc score

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CABINET members under Prime Minister Datuk Seri Ismail Sabri Yaakob's leadership achieved a 90 per cent performance indicator (KPI) score for their first 100 days in office.

Ismail Sabri said the 100-day Aspirasi Keluarga Malaysia (Malaysian Family Aspiration) involved the KPI of 31 ministries with 140 targets, which are counted together with the Key Happiness Outcome, introduced by the government to monitor projects.

The KPI was evaluated based on each ministry's core services (50 per cent), minister's performance (25 per cent) and public perception (25 per cent), he said.

The KPI target performance involved 31 ministers from five clusters: senior minister, economy, social, security and infrastructure clusters, he added.

"The 100-day Malaysian Family Aspiration is based on six cores: restructuring of the economy; ensuring the nation's security and peace; improving social harmony; increasing overall infrastructure; strengthening unity; and empowering service delivery.

"The ministers' overall 100-day performance has yet to achieve the 100 per cent target, but up to now, they have reached around 90 per cent [of the KPI target].

"It is not impossible to achieve the full (100 per cent) target if all ministers and civil servants work together to give their best to the Malaysian Family by reducing bureaucracy.

"As Iban people say, 'entik begempung kitai sepanjang, entik pamar kitai dekat ngepar', which means 'united, our voices will be heard, divided, our efforts will be in vain.'"

He was speaking at the launch of the event at the Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre yesterday.

Despite the 90 per cent score, he urged ministers to continue to be humble and use this feat to perform better, especially during the global health and economic crises caused by the Covid-19 pandemic.



Prime Minister Datuk Seri Ismail Sabri Yaakob (centre) presenting a contribution from Yayasan Keluarga Malaysia to families affected by the pandemic at the launch of the 100 Days Aspirasi Keluarga Malaysia event at the Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre. Looking on is Chief Secretary to the Government Tan Sri Mohd Zuki Ali (right). BERNAMA PIC



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He expressed gratitude to the Malaysian Family for their feedback on the performance of the 31 ministries since he took the oath of office on Aug 21.

"I was informed that 190,914 members of the Malaysian Family took part in the survey by the Malaysian Administrative Modernisation and Management

Planning Unit to evaluate ministers and ministries.

"This effort is a historic start since this is the first time a 360-degree assessment was implemented to assess the government's achievements."

Under the target's first core,

restructuring of the economy, the implementation of the Covid-19 National Immunisation Programme was the main ingredient in reviving the economy as this had helped increase Malaysia's gross domestic product and reduced unemployment, he said.

As a result, he said, Malaysia had attracted RM12.8 billion in foreign investment in the third quarter of 2021, a 56 per cent increase from the RM8.2 billion in the second quarter.

To ensure the nation's security and peace, the government would continue to monitor borders from foreign threats while strengthening Malaysia's relations with neighbouring countries, he added.

"I have always given priority to Malaysia's relations with Asean countries, in line with Asean's Prosper Thy Neighbour principle, which I think is consistent with the Malaysian Family values that I want to instil in people."

On improving social harmony, he

said the wellbeing of the Malaysian Family was strengthened through the RM8.2 billion Bantuan Keluarga Malaysia cash aid allocated for 9.6 million recipients, regardless of their racial backgrounds.

Under the Malaysian Family Fund launched in October, RM25 million had been channelled to children who had lost their parents and family members due to Covid-19 and other disasters, he added.

To boost the country's infrastructure, Ismail Sabri, who is Bera member of parliament, said the Rural Development Ministry had built 800 housing units that would benefit more than 4,000 households.

He said more than 10,000 housing units would be repaired and this would benefit at least 50,000 households.

On the fifth core, to strengthen unity in the Malaysian Family, the government had established community mediation centres in six states, 300 neighbourhood centres (Rukun Tetangga), and 14 solidarity activity centres with 100 mediators nationwide to manage race and religious issues in communities, he said.

"To preserve the country's arts, culture and heritage, the Tourism, Arts and Culture Ministry and the Malaysian Handicraft agency carried out initiatives to drive the tourism sector, and craft and batik industries."

As for the sixth core, empowering service delivery, the Home Ministry had developed and expanded the online end-to-end services for the people, he said.

This included online applications for passports, which began on Nov 11 this year with 145,612 applications.

"The 100-day achievement will not stop here. In fact, we [the government] want to continue working with the people through a mid-term plan of six months and long-term plans.

"Every person's view must be heard and taken into account to improve the delivery system and government services.

"This is akin to the old proverb of 'memerah nyiur, santan diambil, hampas dibuang' (when listening to advice, take the best one and remove the bad). This is my promise to the Malaysian Family."