

IJN PRIVATISATION

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by Dr. Mahathir Mohamad

1. I have always been for privatisation. In fact privatisation started during my time. People know all about the Government companies, departments and functions which were privatised. Some were successful, some were not. But I don't think people know about privatisation proposals which had been rejected. I know about them because the proposals were studied carefully before they were rejected. There were reasons of course but there was no necessity to make public the rejections or the reasons.

2. With regard to the Institut Jantung Negara, I must say I have a personal attachment to it. I don't think I need to explain why. The IJN is really the institution that is physically closest to my heart.

3. IJN is a unique institution. It started as a Government department but the Government felt that it was unfair to put the staff on Government pay scheme. So it was corporatised. As a corporate body it has been successful in giving the people good service. It is one institution that has not been subjected to criticisms and vilifications by the press or the public as most other institutions have been. We often hear of its many "firsts" and we are proud of them.

4. The doctors and nurses are very well trained and efficient. During the 50 days I was hospitalised there I never heard them complain about their salary or how they have been treated. They seem to me to be a happy lot. They are not mercenary, thinking only of their pay. I think they love their work; they love to see their patients recover and go back to normal, especially their transplant patients.

5. The service they provide is excellent. People usually complain about their personal grouses to me. But not a single patient, rich or poor that I have met has voiced complaints to me or to the people I know about their bad experience with IJN.

6. Maybe I am biased because I owe my life to IJN. But I think as a corporatised institution the IJN has done extremely well.

7. If it is going to give the same service to civil servants and pensioners the Government will have to pay out the same amount of money after privatisation. How does the Government gain? Besides if the poor are going to be charged the same low fees and charges how does Sime Darby make money? Or will the Government continue to subsidise an ever growing bill for treatment of the poor? If so why is there a need to privatise? How does Sime Darby, a business entity make money when 80 per cent of the patients are poor?

8. Some of the major surgeries performed there are so costly that the IJN lost money on them. Will Sime Darby shoulder these losses?

9. There are far too many questions about this privatisation which need to be answered. Some I think cannot be answered.

10. I seldom oppose privatisation but this is one instant when I feel privatisation is the wrong thing to do.

11. Leave this institution as it is. It is our pride and it is doing a good job as it is.

12. The Barisan Nasional Government is not too popular today. Why do something that may give the opposition another issue to belabour the Government.

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By Manusia Biasa on December 19, 2008 4:16 PM

YAB Tun,

The management says that it would extend their Corporate Social Responsibility which yet to be proved but I don't think they want to suffer losses. As you said 80% of the patient is from the poor families. It is difficult at this time unless they really wanted to leave it as charity.

I'm with you.

"Berani Berubah"

By ghondoruwo on December 19, 2008 4:20 PM

This IJN Privatisation is a corporate finance exercise. Someone would have to do the documentations and be paid for it - handsomely that is. This is all money driven. Is MOF so dried out that they need to sell their stake in IJN??? There is no need for IJN Privatisation - it is already a good corporate entity. All the conditions & promises are just to soften the protest. Now that the government do not have to pay a single sen on oil subsidies, use all these excess monies on IJN instead.

By sambapati07 on December 19, 2008 4:24 PM

Dear Tun,

you rock!corporatized is when you leave the asset and liability alone and gain through income vs expense.privatization is when you include control of the asset and liabilities.
so whats goin on guys?
follow counsel of the elder...leave it alone!!

joe,

off kings rd.

By Sheela on December 19, 2008 4:24 PM

Dearest Tun,

When I read the news about Sime Darby proposal to privatize IJN, I was sad. IJN will be better off without Sime Dardy. The doctors, nurses and operational staffs are not complaining about benefits and salaries. In a statement signed by 33 of the 35 medical consultants working for IJN, they stressed that the proposed privatization was not a response towards their demands for better pay. I hope the current government will seriously rethink about this proposal. I believe such ideas would have not even discussed during your leadership TUN.

By giantneversayno on December 19, 2008 4:26 PM

Yes Tun;

Totally agree with you, my dad is a pensioneer and he benefits a lot from IJN. We didn't come from a rich family and rely totaly on public services, IJN have helped our family a lot.

I feel something's not right with the take over proposal, i'm working with one of the MNC and the aim of the organisation is to minimise the cost and maximise the profit. no profit oriented company is willing to take additional cost and reduce profit, let alone in our current economic situation.I just failed to see the rational behind this action.

Just giving my two cent

By Sheela on December 19, 2008 4:27 PM

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By -islander- on December 19, 2008 4:27 PM

salam Tun,

makin lama, makin parah. kebelakangan ini kerajaan banyak ambil tindakan yg merugikan, baik di pihak rakyat mahu pun kerajaan sendiri. kadang2 sy tertanya2, sy makin bijak menilai atau kerajaan makin bodoh. bila badut2 memerintah.....tangan2 yg kotor menyentuh urusan pentabiran negara.....ni la jadinya...jgn sampai IJN jd Pantai sudah. kerajaan mempunyai tabiat baru agaknya.jual kepentingan negara.

By WalxyerAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 4:37 PM

Malaysians should be smart. We should stop doing things that can cause us to go to IJN (heart problems). Eat smart, exercise, stop smoking. By the way, I found this website at Wikipedia. Malaysians who smoke should take a look at it.

<http://smoking-calculator.com>

By kak ani on December 19, 2008 4:39 PM

Dear beloved Tun, you are so right in voicing your concern on our government misdoing. Please continue to do so we are behind you. Yes like someone else wrote the other day can you please give your public appearance or talk schedule on this site so we all can attend. Salam, may Allah bless you.

By jadi on December 19, 2008 4:39 PM

Dear Tun,

After read your article, i went to look more infor at The Star Online. Syukur alhamdulillah, Cabinet has defer the decision. Thanks to you also for your quick response to oppose this unnecessary privatization.

My uncle has been a patient there at IJN. We are from middle class society. The treatment of IJN according to my uncle is 1st Class. I salute all the doctors and staff in IJN.

Semuga Allah membalas kebaikan budi pekerti mereka.

By longjaafar on December 19, 2008 4:43 PM

IJN should never be privatised. As it is, it is already making RM20million of profit a year. In fact even if the govt has to subsidise RM20million, it still must remain as it is.

If Sime Darby is so noble, then set up hospitals in the rural areas and treat it as their corporate social responsibility.

To the management of Sime Darby, please do something original and not ape Johore Corporation which is very successful in the medical business. If ever IJN is to be privatised, then it should go to Johore Corp, as that would make them stronger and be able to internationalise their business. Now instead of creating one strong company, the govt proposes to have two, which will dilute their strength.

This proposal is definitely not well thought out and smacks of strong lobbying, which is a shame, during these times.

Actually Sime Darby lacks focus, and is involved in too many sectors. It bought a bank not too long ago and sold it for a RM700million loss. It is losing in some of the motorcar business, as it has gobbled up more than one agency (BMW, Alfa and Ford) and now finds it too much to chew. It even had a smallish

corrugated carton plant and now has sold it; and now, after having been classified as 'the biggest listed plantation company in the world, it finds that the selling price of palm oil may go down below it's cost of production. It also lost a bidding war to IOI a few years ago and had to retreat by selling off the shares. All these points to lack of focus and diligent study and preparation. Most Malaysians are "shareholders" of Sime through direct shares or by way of PNB's unit trusts, and we expect world class management and we expect the board of directors to have vision and be mindful of their responsibilities to the millions of shareholders. (Sorry to digress, but IJN is also very close to my heart)
By demak_merdeka on December 19, 2008 4:45 PM

...yes Tun! I truly support your thots on this issue.

> dah tak de benda lain nak buat ker??..ni tak dak kerja lain, nak cari nama saja la...at our cost pulak tu.

> privatising a good entity is an easy job and a sure success. If one wants to prove himself, try doing so on a failed entity instead. Govt has lots of agencies which bleed money rather than generating it.

> i don't believe govt can control/regulate the fees and operations of IJN once it is privatised. Even if so, why privatise then when you want to control everything???

- these are all gula2 talks to make us feel comfortable and feel secure. mark my words, the lower and middle income earners like us will be marginalise by this move.

your last two points just spot on!

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By tukang_dok_peghatiAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 4:45 PM

ASSALAMUALAIKUM dan SALAM SEJAHTERA..

Tun, saya dah JANGKA ada sebab tersembunyi kenapa IJN menjadi sasaran kali ini.. Saya syak ada 'BROKER' yang memainkan peranan sama seperti kes MV Augusta dijual kepada Gevi SPA dan Penjualan saham Pantai Holdings kepada TEMASEK.. Sedikit komen dari Blog saya..

<http://sensecredaccountability.blogspot.com/2008/12/sakit-jantung-kerana-ijn-siapa-yang.html>

Tun, kalau tak ade orang yang 'AKAN KENYANG', takkan adanya usaha sebegini!

Wallahualam..

By Jamal on December 19, 2008 4:46 PM

Dear Tun,

I think the government needs to come out and give a rational for their decision to sell IJN to Sime Darby!

The public deserve an explanation.

Else we must register out protest to this dubious move.

Well Anwar, show us you leadership in opposing this move. After all that's what opposition are for.

Whatever changes that are made must benefit Malaysia and Malaysians as a whole!

Two by-pass and still going strong.

By Zorro on December 19, 2008 4:46 PM

Assalamualaikum Tun,

Saya mengucapkan Selamat Hari Jadi. Moga Allah panjangkan usia Tun dan keluarga dengan penuh kesihatan, murahkan rezeki dan jauhi dari malapetaka. Walaupun saya komen darihal Tun, perjuangan sama dengan Datuk saya S.M. Zainul Abidin (yang kawan karib dengan ayah Tun). Juga harap Tun Siti Hasmah tidak lupa dengan kumpulan Hawaiiian Quintet dan dan Zainal Alam.

Satu setuju dengan Tun dimana IJN sepatutnya dibiarkan statusnya. Sime Darby ada masalahnya tersendiri. Tukar logo pun berjuta habis hanya untuk beberapa bulan. Macam nyanyok orang tua. Nanti harga IJN pun ditukar untuk menyusahkan pesakit. Hanya nak buat duit nanti dengan menekan orang yang sakit (tak ada daya nak elak kerana dah sakit) untuk disubsidise ke tempat lain. Mana tahu, kalau dah terlepas privatisation, mungkin ini sementara (holding in proxy) untuk orang-orang tertentu. Tun mengetahuinya dan Allah Lebih mengetahuinya.

By orang perak on December 19, 2008 4:47 PM

Good evening Tun, may god bless you with good health

This first time writing a comment here. Before this I just read the comments posted here. And this issue on IJN has pulled me in to give few words.

First of all, we public have no idea why suddenly government wanted to get some business minded ppl into IJN. Isn't the present leaders should just said "NO" to Sime Darby at the initial stage rather than wait till to date. It show how the present government showing their social responsibility to rakyat. As Tun said, they (BN) just creating another path for Oppositions find a story and hentam bagui-bagui.

My late dad received a treatment from IJN. He use to say "IJN is his GOD". he believe the doctors, nurses and the staff there is fully responsible for him to survive for sometime at cost of RM1. And now, if the privatization taking place as per plan, I guess we need to add extra 00 next to the RM1 or don't know how may zeros.

To present government, please do not uses the IJN staff to make someone else became rich and the rakyat tertindas.

Thanks Tun for making a fast comment on this issue. We owe you for that. Thanks

By presetz on December 19, 2008 4:48 PM

Salam Tun, Harap dlm keadaan yg sihat...

mengapa harus IJN di swastakan...mungkin agak keterlaluan jika saya katakan bahwa selepas ini ramai pesakit jantung yg berpendapatan rendah akan bnyk kehilangan nyawa kerana tidak mempunyai dana. Umum mengetahui operasi jantung bukanlah memakan kos yg rendah...ianya melibatkan berpuluh-puluh ribu ringgit. Dan saya amat hairan dengan sikap YAB Pal Lah membenarkan ianya di swastakan...dengan alasan syarat yg tertentu. ape syarat2 nye tu?...sebuah bdn korporat mengambil alih IJN...sudah tentu mengharapkan keuntungan daripadanya. Harga ubat semakin mahal..tenaga doktor juga mahal..saya pasti Melalui IJN Sime Darby akan membuat keuntungan tanpa mengira siapa pesakitnya..ada duit...ade pembedahan...x de duit..tunggu la tang tuu....kesiaaannn

By selAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 4:49 PM

aswt YAB TUN,

U r absolutely right. Well anticipated the future constrains and challenges factors that hit back our own people. IJN is our pride for rich & poor.

TQ V.V MUCH TUN.

LUV U DULU, KINI & SELAMANYA

WASSALLAM

Dr Sel

By AloQStaQAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 4:49 PM

Assalamualaikum Tun Ayahanda kami tersayang ...

Semoga Tun berdua kini sihat walafiat dan dipermudahkan Allah dalam segala urusan.

Saya juga rasa kurang jelas kenapa IJN di"kongsi" dengan Sime Darby tu, adakah ianya untuk menambahbaik sesuatu yang memang sedia baik atau menambah buruk?

Walhal IJN rasanya lebih baik dan bagus jika beroperasi seperti dulu. Tanpa sebarang perkongsian (yang pastinya sedikit sebanyak "keuntungan" MUNGKIN lebih dipentingkan, berbanding "amal jariah", sebab perkongsian "pintar" ini dengan sebuah gergasi perniagaan!)

IJN adalah satu simbol kekuatan dan "aset modal" politik BN untuk digambarkan kepada rakyat bahawa salah satu amal jariah yang jelas kepada rakyat adalah melalui perawatan di IJN. Tanpa IJN, tanpa Kerajaan BN yang bertanggungjawab menubuhkan IJN, tanpa idea hebat Kerajaan BN mewujudkan IJN, demi kesejahteraan rakyat, sudah pasti rakyat tidak dapat menerima faedah baik selama ini. Inilah yang patut dikekalkan diminda rakyat.

Dikatakan selepas "perkongsian" IJN ini, ianya akan tetap beroperasi seperti sedia kala seperti dulu. Rakyat hanya mampu mengharap ianya benar. Nak yakin? Tak berani.

Semoga segalanya terbaik untuk rakyat Malaysia. Jangan sampai IJN jadi satu lagi "modal" pembangkang melunyai BN pada pilihanraya yang akan-akan-akan datang

Salam sayang untuk Tun berdua!

Tun berdua jaga kesihatan elok-elok ... OK!

AloQStaQ

<http://AloQStaQBlog.blogspot.com>

<http://www.MyKMUtara.net>

By mohd haiziAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 4:52 PM

Assalamualaikum wbt..

Tun sekeluarga yang saya kasihi dan hormati..

Walaupun saya tidak pernah berhutang nyawa dengan IJN sekalipun, sebagai orang awam yang duduk di kelas pertengahan, saya dan keluarga sangat tidak setuju bila mendengar IJN mahu "dibeli" oleh Sime Darby.. Sime Darby adalah making profit company dan tidak mustahil, satu hari nanti, matlamat Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Sime Darby akan berubah..

Nak tak nak, mereka mesti nak untung.. bila nak untung...macam caj laa yang akan keluar dalam patient's bill... nah!!! bil meningkat!! macam mana orang awam yang kurang berkemampuan nak masuk... jangankan nak buat rawatan, nak masuk jejak kaki nanti pun takut..

Pada pihak kerajaan...jangan lah teruskan niat mereka.. dalam situasi ini, kebajikan rakyat lah yang harus diutamakan dan bukan ekuiti pemilikan..

plz remain IJN as it is...

-Salam Hormat-

Mohd Haizi@mtm///20081219

By Iraman Hj KarimAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 4:57 PM

Tuan, Salam.

Macam ini lah statement yang saya harap-harapkan dari seorang yang bergelar Mantan PM Malaysiaku. Kenapa tak ada komen mengenai Sekolah Vernakular dihapuskan?
By AnthonyLeong on December 19, 2008 4:58 PM

Salam Tun,

You are certainly right, Tun. Like people said : Tak ada hal pergi buat hal. Tak adakah hal-hal yang lebih penting untuk mereka yang perlu segera buat ke? Adakah tindakan 'privatisation' ini boleh memajukan ekonomi negara yang dihadapi sekarang?? Tolonglah sikit, Kerajaan BN!. Fikirkanlah cara-cara yang lebih baik dan positif sikit untuk menarik perhatian rakyat ini.
By Dr.Siddiq AzaniAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 4:58 PM

SALAM TUN.

FOR SURE, WE DONT WANT THIS INSTITUTION TO BE PRIVATISED.

SOMEHOW THE GOVERNMENT NEEDS TO CONCERNTRATE ON THE SO-CALLED NEGARA KEBAJIKAN, SERIOUSLY.

SIME DARBY, ENOUGH IS ENOUGH. IJN WILL NOT BECOME THE SECOND SJMC.

WHICH PROVIDES PLACE TO TAN SRI, DATO AND VIPS.

<http://writtenbyhim.wordpress.com/>
By ujang_pilot on December 19, 2008 5:01 PM

Good explanations
By tanpanamaAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 5:01 PM

Salam,
Tun..

1. agreed with your opinion
2. BN....stop doing rubbish things.
3. Sime Darby : focus on your business.Find other company and buy shares, so you may control these companies...but STRICTLY not IJN !..Where is your creative team? Business development team? Ask them to quit...if not, come out with bright ideas.Bring changes!

By azly on December 19, 2008 5:02 PM

Tun

Nampaknya Najib dah masuk perangkap Pak Lah dan keluarga.Tak ada sebab IJN patut diswastakan oleh kerajaan.

Kalau dikira keuntungan, tak banyak yang boleh diperolehi melainkan kerajaan memberi subsidi kepada IJN melalui Sime Darby. Mungkinkah ini cara Sime Darby untuk mendapatkan keuntungan yang tetap dari kerajaan????

Apa lah yang ada dalam pemikiran Najib ni???

By Lahm on December 19, 2008 5:02 PM

Agree totally. Perhaps Sime Darby should make public in answering the questions you posed.
By JediKnightUmno on December 19, 2008 5:03 PM

Assalamualaikum Tun...

Isteri saya pernahbekerja di IJN sebagai Staff Nurse di Bahagian Cath Lab.Sepanjang 7 tahun dia

bekerja di sana dia bepuas hati dgn gaji & benefit yg diperolehi di IJN. Bersama IJN dia dapat ke luar negara banyak kali. Satu peluang yg saya sendiri tak dapat. Peluang menyambung pengajian ke peringkat lebih tinggi. Saya juga diberitahu yg IJN adalah salah satu organisasi yg membayar gaji tertinggi tk Staff Nurse.

Masalah utama IJN adalah pentadbirannya. Korporatnya yg mungkin perlu di teliti. Saya ada dengar rungutan ttg pembaziran yg dilakukan korporat & sedikit sebanyak benefit yg dinikmati ditarik sedikit demi sedikit. Oleh kerana itu, beberapa org jururawat2 terlatih telah mengambil keputusan berhenti kerja & mencari rezeki di luar negara seperti di Timur Tengah. Isteri saya sendiri telah berhenti dr IJN & sekarang bekerja di Jeddah Arab Saudi.

Saya bertanya kepadanya, adalah bila dia pulang nanti, dia akan kembali ke IJN?..Dia berkata, tidak sama sekali. Dia sudah fade-up dgn management. Mungkin ramai tak berani menyuarakan rasa tak puas hati mereka pd Tun tapi saya rasa da sesuatu yg tak kena dengan Pentadbiran IJN 3 bermula 3-4 tahun yg lalu. IJN kehilangan ramai jururawat terlatih termasuk isteri saya yg mungkin takkan kembali ke IJN semula selepas tamat kontraknya bersama sebuah hospital di Arab Saudi. Bukan sebab gaji..bukan sebab kerja...tapi rasa meluat dgn pentadbiran IJN yg perlu diubah atau dikaji semula.

Saya mungkin tak tahu cerita keseluruhannya tapi itulah yg disampaikan kepada saya oleh isteri saya & rakannya di IJN. IJN sebagai sebuah institusi kerajaan harus dipertahankan & yg paling penting fungsinya sebagai sebuah badan utk masyarakat yg berpendapatan rendah harus diutamakan. Bagi saya Sime Darby hanya berminat kepada keuntungan dr industri Perubatan yg semakin meningkat naik sekarang. Kalau kita berjalan di Kotaraya KL kita boleh lihat Pusat Perubatan Swasta mcm cendawan tumbuh. Ada yg sudah menambah bangunan2 baru utk meluaskan perniagaan mereka & kos utk medical sekarang meningkat. Sama juga dgn sektor insurans y turut meningkat kerana ada permintaan tapi kita jgn alpa, adakah Pusat-pusat perubatan swasta itu boleh menyediakan kemudahan & medical fee yg rendah seperti IJN. IJN adalah harapan golongan rakyat berpendapatan rendah & sederhana. Jgn dibiarkan ia dijadikan tempat Konglomerat mencari untung saja.

Sekian.

Suami Bekas Staff IJN

By Bujang Lapok on December 19, 2008 5:05 PM

Tok Guru,

Sokong bulat bulat. Jangan jadikan Malaysia macam Amerika Syarikat dan sekutunya.

Kami ni anak Malaysia - mempertahankan maruah dan hak kami.

Si Barisan National, fikir lah Rakyat - bukan semuanya kaya-raja.

Macam satu kerani, kena rompak kat Subang - pengsan - hantar ke SJMC (Sime Darby Group). Kena bayar dua ribu lebih! Macam mana nak bayar?! Kes ni baru sahaja. Kena pinjam sini sana untuk jelaskan hutang.

By normal citizen on December 19, 2008 5:06 PM

Dear Tun,

Ask around and you would not be hard to find many people are having personal attachment to IJN. It is indeed the best heart institution in Malaysia. Rightly said,

"It is our pride and it is doing a good job as it is."

To: DS Najib,

Don't bull shit us with all the reasoning. You are really no different from a corrupted leader. How much do you get out of the deal with a business entity like Sime Darby ? I will make sure Barisan Nasional wiped out in the next election!!!

To: Datuk Liow Tiong Lai,

I am extremely disappointed with you!!! Forget about MCA.
By FazrullisAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 5:07 PM

Salam TUN,

Banyak pihak menyalahkan TUN atas dasar penswastaan semasa pemertintahan TUN. Kerajaan sekarang melihat kenapa dulu TUN boleh lakukan dan kenapa sekarang mereka tidak boleh??? adakah mereka kini ingin mencabar TUN sekarang atau mencabar seluruh rakyat Malaysia???

Banyak orang terutama pihak pembangkang menyalahkan TUN atas isu IJN ni... sekarang mereka sedar TUN bukan dalang dalam penswastaan IJN ini..

Terima kasih tun kerana posting pasai isu IJN dikala rakyat mula kelam dan gundah atas keputusan kerajaan membenarkan sebanyak 51% saham IJN dikuasai oleh SIME Darby....

Harap semua rakyat Malaysia mendapat gambaran sebenar dalam ISU IJN tersebut....

Salam mesra,

Dari blogger pembela negara...
BPN...
By Hussein Ismail on December 19, 2008 5:07 PM

Tun Mahathir,

I strongly agree to your view on this proposed privitisation of IJN.

If this level of thinking and consideraion given during the privitisation of Tenaga Nasional dan IPP during Tun's time, I think we are not in this difficult situation of paying high electricity bill every month.

This is very good instance to show that sometime people at the top, while in power, could not see its rational when making a public policy.

By Han SoloAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 5:08 PM

Dearest Tun,

I was surprised at the proposed privatisation of IJN.

If the fees charged cannot be higher what is allowed by the Govt, why privatise at all?

If after privatisation, Sime Darby is able to improve the efficiency of the methods of operations, does that mean the Govt is not being innovative enough?

I'm almost sure, after privatisation, fee charges will not remain the same. As all private hospitals, the small prints will show in big amounts.

As the saying goes, "Why fix something if it's not broken?"

Now the decision to privatise has been deferred by the Cabinet. They must have read your blog.

<http://wtfmalaysiangovernment.blogspot.com/>
By putribunian on December 19, 2008 5:09 PM

salam tun,
my thots exactly!! when it ain't broken, don't fix it!!
By ZACHARY64 on December 19, 2008 5:09 PM

SALAM SEJAHTERA TO YAB TUN

You are death right Tun. Privatization may looks good in theory but in practical may not be right for IJN as the one of the many stakeholders ;civil servants and pensioners would not be able to foot the usual high cost of the medical bills charged by the new corporate entity. The only exception is if Sime Darby were generous enough to position the IJN as their corporate responsibility service unit to the needy public, basicly 80% of the poor patients.

I wonder whether the corporate player like Sime Darby is ever willing to return its profits to the society through buying the IJN from the government.Again I have to agree wholeheartedly with you that the privatization of the IJN is unnecessary especially when the IJN is doing well all these years. Instead , Sime Darby should think to buy some of the ailing private colleges/institution and turn them around into efficient education service providers.
By artmart on December 19, 2008 5:10 PM

Tun,
U're absolutely right. I beleive it must be hidden agenda on this privatisation which only Pak Lah and Najib know. Its ok if government have to subsidised for IJN coz it benefits the majority poor people.

When it first made known to the public i try to understand why Sime Darby intend to buy IJN if they know it was not profitable institution. At the end `orang susah' will be `bertambah susah' coz Sime Darby will increase the rate to recover their losses.
By FalconAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 5:10 PM

Salam Tun,

Melihat kepada isi ini, saya bersetuju dengan Tun bahawa banyak perkara yang boleh dipersoalkan kenapa secara tiba-tiba IJN hendak diswastakan. Ya, pihak kerajaan perlu menjelaskan kepada rakyat apakah sebab langkah ini yang menjadi pilihan Kementerian Kewangan? Harap dapat jawapan selepas ini dari Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak. Wassalam.
By afif abd azizAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 5:12 PM

salam,
u always bring the brilliant idea that will i adore....

mis 10 minutes to meet u yesterday...
only met with your granddaughter...
hopefully can meet u onthe other event...
Afif Abd Aziz
=)
By membr on December 19, 2008 5:16 PM

Tun,

Itulah Malaysia perlu seorang PM yang bijak dan pintar,
pandai menilai dan membuat keputusan yang betul dan baik.

Dalam kes IJN seperti yang telah dijelaskan oleh Tun, tiada sebab yang baik untuk ianya diswastakan. Jadi, tentulah ada orang tertentu yang berminat dan menguntungkannya jika ianya diswastakan.

Orang yang berkenaan lebih mengutamakan dirinya daripada parti politik yang dia wakili.

By Kamarudin Awang on December 19, 2008 5:16 PM

Salam Hormat Tun,

I think you are right. Why need to do something that is against the people interest and be bashed. BN never learn.

Thank you

By MKM on December 19, 2008 5:16 PM

Good Day Tun,

I think the privatisation of IJN is a very wrong move for the government right now. Let it stay that way. There is a saying "the more things change the more it stays the same". I know deep down all this circus decision made by the current government some of them are being benefited by someone. I hope this crazy decision to privatise the IJN is not just somebody's political interest. The IJN have given a lot of benefit to the community, especially to the poor people. I hope Sime Darby doesn't screw things up with this circus decision.

Good Comment Tun. Your comment are always thoughtful.

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By Nasha Bin Edwin on December 19, 2008 5:17 PM

DARI SEGI DASARNYA... SIAPA PENGASASNYA SAYA MEMANG TAK TAHU MENAHU TENTANG IJN NIE... YANG SAYA TAHU IJN TEMPAT ORANG MERAWAT SAKIT JANTUNG... SEBABNYA SAYA TAK PERNAHPUN PERGI KE IJN DAN SAYA TAK MINTA... SAYA MEMOHON KEPADA TUHAN SUPAYA SAYA BUKAN SEBAHAGIAN DARI PESAKITNYA. TUN MEMANMG TAHU BENAR DENGAN IJN NIE SEBAB TUN MEMANG SELALU PERGI IJN... TAK TAHULAH SUATU HARI NANTI AHLI KELUARGA SAYA PERGI KE SANA... HARAP DIJAUHI DARI PENYAKIT BAHAYA INI. NAMUN ADA BETULNYA KOS RAWATAN PASTI MENINGKAT JIKA IJN DISWASTAKAN... SAYA RASA MASALAH EKONOMI KITA DAH MELARAT PERGI IJN..

By kolang_kaling on December 19, 2008 5:19 PM

Salam TUN!

saya pun tak faham tentang niat privatisation IJN ni. Apakah ia akan jadi satu lagi kesilapan besar kerajaan HP6 nanti?

Anyway... teruskan usaha TUN kerana kami memerlukannya and HAPPY BIRTHDAY !!

By ucap on December 19, 2008 5:19 PM

Hidup Tun

By zibag on December 19, 2008 5:20 PM

Salam buat Tun.

semoga sentiasa sihat dan panjang umur.

saya sokong 100% pendapat Tun..

IJN patut dikekalkan dlm keadaan sekarang, demi kemudahan semua lapisan masyarakat.

By ryzalahmad on December 19, 2008 5:20 PM

Assalamualaikum Tun,

I really agree with your view on this, Tun. I truly can't understand how government in the first place didn't find any problem to agree to such privatization plan by Sime Darby. Today, the cabinet said to defer the plan. Again, the flip flop from this government.

By EdwardianAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 5:22 PM

YABhg. Tun,

seperti biasa bahasa yang Tun guna sangat "simple" tetapi maknanya sungguh mendalam dan menyentuh perasaan. Walau pun saya tidak pernah menerima rawatan atau melawat pesakit di IJN tetapi melalui tulisan Tun itu sudah cukup menggambarkan keadaan di situ. Semua perkara yang Tun bangkitkan memang benar (tak ada rungutan terhadap IJN). Apa yang penting pendapat Tun selalunya tepat dan mengatasi pemikiran semua "pakar". Saya masih belum nampak siapakah yang akan dapat memberikan idea seperti Tun. Politik Malaysia tidak akan stabil 50 tahun mendatang.

By jurublogAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 5:23 PM

Tun,

You are right. The doctors and nurses at IJN are simply the best!

The proposed privatisation would only be a new bullet for the opposition to shoot at BN, in time for the Kuala Terengganu by election.

But the Malaysian Cabinet has since shelved the idea.

I hope it is not put in temporary hibernation, and I hope the proposal would not be revived soon after the by election.

<http://www.jurublog.blogspot.com>

By Ahmad Rusdi Abdul Rawi on December 19, 2008 5:24 PM

Dear Ayahanda Tun,

I 100% agreed and support you. The Government should think to do better for people (rakyat) not to burden them and yet somebody tried to make some profit from this privatisation....

Hidup Ayahanda Tun

By asam jawa on December 19, 2008 5:27 PM

Assalamualaikum YABhg Tun

Terima kasih kerana memberi pandangan mengenai langkah tidak popular kerajaan menswastakan IJN kepada Sime Darby.

YABhg Tun berhak bercakap mengenai isu ini kerana merupakan pencetus idea, pembina dan pemaju serta menjadi pesakit di institusi kebanggaan Malaysia.

Walaupun saya bukan pesakit IJN tetapi pengalaman saya berada di Wad Bunga Raya dalam tempoh rawatan YABhg Tun sudah cukup membuktikan kepada saya bahawa hampir tiada kecacatan yang mengharuskan ianya diswastakan.

Langkah drastik ini akan pasti menimbulkan pelbagai reaksi sehingga mampu memerangkap UMNO dan kerajaan yang sememangnya tenat.

Kerajaan boleh memberi pelbagai alasan tetapi mampukah mereka menghalang persepsi negatif pengundi. Kita boleh ramal keputusan pilihanraya kecil P55 nanti.

Kemungkinan inilah salah satu tindakan yang dirancang DSAAB sebelum meninggalkan kerusi panas kepada penggantinya. Ataupun dia nak sapu semua dengan senafas. Letakkan semua kekayaan dibawah satu bumbung kemudian sapu semua.

DSNTAR nampaknya sekali lagi dikambing hitamkan oleh DSAAB.

Walaupun bagaimanapun kita harap keputusan tersebut dapat dikaji kewajarannya.

Semoga YABhg Tun sekeluarga dirahmati Allah.

By WHY BEE BANGI on December 19, 2008 5:28 PM

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Habis lah, apalagi yang ada pada TANAH MELAYU!!!!!!.....

By sara on December 19, 2008 5:30 PM

As usual, you are right but your critics will not listen to you because whatever you say is not assessed on its merit but by the fact that it is your opinion.

My sister had her heart operation in 2004 at IJN. At the same time, my mother was unwell and in her last legs of colon cancer treatment. Between them, our family didnt know if we were coming or going but

knowing that my sister was well cared for in IJN by the best cardio-thoracic surgeons this country had, helped. She underwent what was a very complicated surgery, the doctors giving her a 50:50 chance to live. They told us up front that she would either die on the operation table or she will survive. She chose to go for surgery and die trying rather than die anyway, without trying. She survived. My mother died.

IJN is special to so many people. The staff are EXCELLENT, the doctors are dedicated and professional and good at their jobs. Why does the government feel it needs to fix something that isn't broken?? It is giving the opposition fodder for defeating them come the Trengganu elections. I wish them luck they are their own worst enemies and don't seem to need anybody's help to lose the elections.
By ikanbilismoh on December 19, 2008 5:34 PM

Assalamualaikum.....

TUN...MEMANG HEBAT...

SEBAB ITU SEMUA YANG MEMBACA BLOG MENDAPAT MANFAAT YG AMAT BERGUNA DAN BERINFORMASI...

GAYA PENULISAN TUN MEMANG SUKAR DITANDINGI....MEMANG TOUCHING BILA MEMBACA TULISAN TUN...ITULAH KELEBIHAN YANG TERDAPAT PADA TUN...

SAYANG SEKALI ORANG KITA TAK MENGHARGAINYA....

HARAP2 KEPIMPINAN BARU SELEPAS MAC INI TUN DAPAT DIAMBIL BERKHIDMAT UNTUK NEGARA YANG TERCINTA INI...

BUKAN KAMI TUN MEMEGANG JAWATAN...KAMI TAHU TUN TAK MAHU BERBUAT DEMIKIAN..TAPI KALU TUN SUDI KAMI SEMUA PEMBACA BLOG PASTI AMAT BERBANGGA DAN MENGHARGAINYA...

KUDRAT DAN KHIDMAT TUN YANG MIRACLE KAMI AMAT PERLUKAN LAGI SELAGI TUN TERMAMPU....

SAYANG KALAU PEMIMPIN YANG AKAN DATANG INI TAK NAMPAK SEMUA INI...

KEISTIMEWAAN DAN KEBIJAKSANAAN DAN ANUGERAH TUHAN YANG MAHA ESA BUKANNYA DATANG SELALU....JADI HARGAILAH...

HOPEFULLY TUN SIHAT SEPANJANG MASA DAN PERTIMBANGKANLAH PERMINTAAN SAYA INI UNTUK TUN BERBAKTI KEPADA NEGARA INI YANG TELAH DIMUSNAHKAN OLEH MEREKA2 YG TIDAK BERTANGGUNGJAWAB DAN MEMENTINGKAN KEPENTINGAN DIRI...

SEKIAN....

By krel on December 19, 2008 5:34 PM

A'kum Tun...

kerajaan skrg mmg bodoh.... semua keputusan buat secara spontan tanpa fikir panjang... Harap Tun terus memberi penjelasan & comment ttg cadangan2 'bernas kerajaan Pak lah'....
By Iszam on December 19, 2008 5:39 PM

Dear Tun mahathir,

Thanks Tun. Awesome to hear out from you, it releases me from the most uninspiring answer pak lah gave yesterday.

Anyway, it is a non-issue no more.

regards,
Iszam.

By kamal ahmad on December 19, 2008 5:39 PM

Salam Ayahanda Tun. An uncle of mine, a staunch PAS member went into IJN in 1999. Till he passed on a few months back of diabetes complications, he never said one negative line about IJN. I was a younger man, but I remember visiting Pak Lah when he was admitted into IJN then, and I remember how my father cried in the car on the way back. That's the first and only time I saw him cried. I remember how the place was so clean in every sense. The patients and their families that went there were one Malaysians, we exist compassionately inside the waiting areas along Dettol smelling hallways as one Malaysians. No race or religion and no politics could separate us. I remember being called at odd hours and made to run errands for newly found uncles and aunties from out stations whom my grandfather had befriended in IJN. I did all that with pleasure and I cherish all those memories till today. I remember an old Chinese man- a stranger, silently saying a prayer for my grandfather when he had a minor complication. I remember keeping vigil outside among the many regardless of day, rain or shine, race, color or religion, saying all the prayers I know while Tun was inside. That place is special Tun. I thank Allah that all of those whom I cared that went into IJN came out well again. It's so much a part to many of us here Tun. Take care, and God bless always Tun.

"For yesterday is but a dream, and tomorrow is only a vision. But today well lived makes every yesterday a dream of happiness and every tomorrow a vision of hope. Look well therefore to this day". – Sir William Osler.

By Anak Merong Mahawangsa on December 19, 2008 5:40 PM

Salam Tun berdua

I knew it would not be long before we hear from you on the IJN issue, Alhamdulillah. I hope they shelve the intention. We do not need another issue to waste our mindset on on how badly run the BN government is presently.

Take care and God bless.

By Malaysian Outsider on December 19, 2008 5:40 PM

Dear Tun,

It is now very clear how unimaginative and uncreative the current administration wrt creating economic growth for Malaysia. For any industry, reference and track record are the most valuable intangible asset. For the case of IJN, it has plenty good track record and who's who patient list which include our TDM. The standing of IJN as the iconic symbol of Malaysian medical excellence should help other Malaysia private hospitals to promote themselves regionally or globally through its association with IJN. Association such as information, experience and knowledge exchange, etc, could help an unknown private hospital in Malaysia to promote its name for regional market. The govt if has to subsidise this effort, will for sure that the money will not go to the drain. This is one of the effective way to promote "medical tourism". My friends from neighboring countries while realise the competitive medical cost in Malaysia still have some doubt wrt to quality of Malaysian private hospitals. It may due to lack of information or we are being shadowed by singapore private hospitals. Private hospitals association with well known brand will provide good perception and feel good factor to their potential customers. After all, part of the cure has to do with the mind. IJN can focus to be medical center of excellence which scope among others to set benchmark and standard for other private hospitals and it is important that IJN to be biased toward moral obligations ie for the good of mankind above financial considerations. The continuation of which could only be ensured if IJN under the control of the govt. If we need to put Malaysia as one of the country who has the world class medical facility and expertise, IJN has almost (probably already) reached that level. what need to do next is to put other Malaysian private hospitals benefiting from IJN name through association of franchise but not through acquisition. The prosper of other malaysia private hospitals will increase govt revenue through tax and other mutliplier activity such as hotel/accomodation for patient kin, visitors and

friends...

By suffianngabdullah on December 19, 2008 5:41 PM

Salam Ayah Det, mama and family,

The situation of the country as i had commented before ...it's getting from bad to worse. i totally agree with you that they should NOT privatise an institution which is doing a great job in getting recognition worldwide. I really do not know what the government is thinking. Maybe the present government should think about the rakyat and not themselves. The landslides, flooding woes, traffic conditions etc etc (it's endless) ...and yet the ruling coalition is only interested in their own personal agendas which is saddening!!!! They should be pacifying the rakyat and ensure that the coming economic downturn will have minimal effect on the country and its' population!!!! Sometimes i wished that the present government falls into pieces, but then it is a matter of who's the bigger devil ..cos what i can see these politicians are only interested in their own political survival and not what is happening to the rakyat.. i.e. the flood situation in penang should be addresses immediately and yet they harp over the languages used on the road signs...how pathetic..sometimes it makes me wonder how could malaysia be back to the malaysia we had during your rule as PM..we were a whole lot of proud malaysians!!..now it is so shameful..with the syariah courts ruling over deceased etc..why was things not done during the period when the decease was alive..jakim and all will stake claim to burying the body of the deceased...why not help them when they are still alive???..i really cannot understand all these happenings..which makes MALaysia a laughing stock globally!!..Message to the present government...BUCK UP AND BELT UP>>>OR MOVE OUT!!!!..

I have to apologise if my comments has insulted anyone but it is facts that i had mentioned. Please do address the situation before it goes beyond control - like thailand for example. we malaysians are very accomodating and tolerant BUT tolerance has a limit...

my warmest regards to you, mama and family. wasallam..suffian

By nawawimohamadAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 5:42 PM

Maybe someone in government today just want to get the cleaning contract form Sime Darby when he/she is out of office.Do you know that the cost of replacing a RM1.30 60W light bulb in the government hospitals by the present private company cost RM210.00?

By masdedon on December 19, 2008 5:42 PM

Dearest Tun,

Betapa IJN penuh sentimental value bagi kami sekeluarga golongan x berkemampuan, manakan tidak disitulah ipar saya(kakitangan kerajaan)mendapatkan rawatan(buat bypass), sehingga menghembuskan nafas terakhir(hanya tinggal beberapa hari je utk buat rawatan seterusnya selepas 10 tahun buat bypass).Pernah dia pengsan ditepi jalan(keletihan & mungkin kelaparan) ketika pulang dari IJN berjalan kaki untuk ke Medan Mara(nak balik ke Segamat naik bas)x ada yg tolong sbb org yg lalu lalang sangkakan dia adalah kutu rayau, sehinggalah petugas DBKL menemuinya dan membawanya ke HKL. Sekiranya di swastakan, apalah nasib golongan seperti kami, adakah akan hanya menunggu maut tiba sbb x mampu nak buat rawatan dimana2.

Dengarilah rintihan kami kecuali caj yg sama dipraktikkan selepas diswastakan.

By WHY BEE BANGI on December 19, 2008 5:42 PM

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By 123Author Profile Page on December 19, 2008 5:42 PM

salam tun,

saya setuju biarkan ijin seperti sekarang.pakcik -pakcik saya yang bergelar tan sri dan datuk-datuk..semuanya jantung di bedah dan di kasi jantung mechanical di ijin..setiap bulan pergi report di ijin.walaupun pencen diorang besar bekas ksu..tapi buat jantung bateri kos diorang hampr ratusan ribu.pegawai kerajaan free, ..yang kaya macam pakcik saya mengeluh,bagaimana pak cik jual nasi lemak,jual pasar malam dan juga penoreh getah.tindakan yang hanya mementingkan poket.najib,zubir sime darby dan nazir cimb dan pak lah dah nyanyuk atau hilang akal.lagi cepat bn kalah di terengganu..berapa ramai pegawai kerajaan boleh sukarela tolong kempen di terngganu untuk kalahkan bn pilihanraya ni..satu malaysia akan kempen untuk tumbangkan bn..

nazir tu walau dah berjaya satukan simedarby,golden hope dan guthrie,adakah sime darby jadi hebat?melainkan banyak orang melayu dibuang kerja.jadi nak cover kos rugi sime darby, buat short cut untuk naikkan simedarby beli ijin harga murah.kalau ye pun nak komisen dan kekalkan adward the best ceo in malaysia..prihatinlah sikit.kenapa tak dicipta produk baru,venture baru.contohnya buat kilang ubat untuk hilangkan rasa tamak tengok duit,ubat benci sogokan pemilihan umno.ubat benci rasuah,ubat anti dengki dan iri dan juga ubat anti malas.mesti boleh buat billion dollar usd kalau berjaya di eksport ke seluruh dunia.

By OrangBaruLahir on December 19, 2008 5:44 PM

Ybhg Tun dengan izin

Dibawah ini ingin diturunkan cerita hikayat lama alkisah "Paduka Raja Imam Besar Mazhab Hadhari mendapat Wahyu dari IBLIS golongan Tamak dan JIN golongan Haloba"

Menurut empunya hikayat, pada satu hari Memanda Menteri negeri Mazhab Hadhari yang berjiran dengan Malaysia, telah dipanggil mengadap oleh Tuanku Imam Besar Mazhab Hadhari, dengan serta-merta Memanda Menteri yang taat lagi setia tetapi [sedikit baghal] telah mengadap bertemu Baginda.

Kata empunya riwayat, Tuanku Imam Besar Mazhab Hadhari telah terbangun dari mimpi dimana baginda

telah mendapat wahyu dari IBLIS dari golongan TAMAK yang didampingi oleh JIN dari golongan HALOBA, menyuruh baginda menjual IJN yang memberi khidmat mencuci hati pada hamba rakyat dinegri Mazhab Hadhari.

Kata IBLIS TAMAK dan JIN HALOBA kepada paduka Tuanku Imam Hadhari, baginda harus mempercepatkan IJN, yang terlalu banyak berjasa kepada hamba rakyat negeri Mazhab Hadhari, dijual, kepada SIMM ANAK DARBI yang akan seterusnya menjual kepada kerabat dan penyembah IBLIS TAMAK dan JIN HALOBA. Kalau baginda paduka Imam Besar Mazhab Hadhari tidak berbuat demikian maka cicin sakti dijari baginda akan kehilangan kuasa dan tidak lagi berupaya memberi kekuasaan pada baginda untuk memerintah hamba rakyat negeri Mazhab Hadhari.

Alkisah sebaik saja Paduka Raja Imam Besar Mazhab Besar terbangun dari mimpi, baginda pun memerintahkan Memanda Menteri yang begitu taat lagi setia segera datang menghadap. Baginda pun menceritakan tentang wahyu yang telah baginda terima dari IBLIS TAMAK dan JIN HALOBA kepada Memanda Menteri yang begitu taat lagi setia, supaya menjual IJN.

Maka pitam lah Memanda Menteri barang seketika, apabila menerima perintah dari Paduka Raja untuk menjual IJN yang begitu berjasa kepada hamba rakyat negeri Mazhab Imam Hadhari, kerana walaupun Memanda Menteri begitu taat lagi setia, Memanda Menteri tahu jika IJN dijual akan kacau lagi bilau negeri Mazhab Hadhari. Paduka Raja Imam Besar Hadhari juga telah memerintahkan Memanda Menteri supaya tidak bercerita kepada hamba rakyat tentang wahyu dari IBLIS TAMAK dan JIN HALOBA kepada hamba rakyat sebab musabab IJN harus dijual.

Alkisah, cerdik juga akal Memanda Menteri yang cukup taat lagi setia, berbuat lupa pada perintah Paduka Raja supaya tidak memberitau mengenai wahyu dari IBLIS TAMAK dan JIN HALOBA yang diterima baginda - Memanda Menteri pun mengisytiharkan penjualan IJN kepada SIMM ANAK DARBI keseluruhan anak negeri.

Mengikut yang empunya hikayat, maka bangkitlah kesemua hamba rakyat marah kepada Memanda Menteri yang membuat angkara bercadang menjual IJN kepada SIMM ANAK DARBI, maka datanglah hamba rakyat kesemua nya menghadap Paduka Raja Imam Besar Mazhab Hadhari, yang buta datang berpimpinan, yang cacat datang berdukung, yang pekak datang berteman, dan dari semua kalangan dari yang cacat lagi cela kesemua menghadap meminta jangan dijual IJN kepada SIMM ANAK DARBI.

Maka Paduka Raja Imam Besar Mazhab Hadhari, punca sebenar angkara arahan menjual IJN pun tidak berupaya berkata sepatah tentang penjualan IJN. Hendak diperintah sula Memanda Menteri yang cukup taat lagi setia, sudah barang tentu Memanda Menteri memecah rahsia tentang wahyu Paduka Imam besar Hadhari terima dari IBLIS TAMAK dan JIN HALOBA.

Alkisah setelah menerima menghadap kesemua hamba rakyat maka terpaksa Paduka Raja Imam Besar Mazhab Hadhari membatalkan keputusan menjual IJN, maka ternyata kerana ingkar perintah IBLIS TAMAK dan JIN HALOBA, maka cincin sakti baginda pun hilang kuasa untuk memerintah negeri Mazhab Hadhari.

Demikianlah hikayat "Wahyu dari IBLIS TAMAK dan JIN HALOBA"

"Biar putih tulang jangan putih mata"

By nsrswheikAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 5:46 PM

yes TUN, please tell the UMNO men to look about the economic problems.. why do something unpopular and disturb something which is running smoothly..don't they ever look at real problems like upgrading public transport, or getting loans for genuine enterpreiters... see how pakatan talks about peoples problems..i think they have to learn a lot from anwar..

By DB on December 19, 2008 5:53 PM

Dearest Tun,

You are right on this issue. Hopefully the privatisation plan will not go thorough.

Regards,
DB

By 27th Century on December 19, 2008 5:54 PM

We don't need another 'fixing things were not broken' and destroy the IJN for sake of power and money.

Leave it as it is. IJN was great as they're without greedy peoples make a mess in there.

It's look similar attempt by peoples try to invade Petronas not long ago...

By jamilmalik on December 19, 2008 5:55 PM

Tun,

NO-ONE CAN DENY THAT YOU ARE FATHER OF PRIVATISATION IN MALAYSIA.

MANY WORKED WELL, SOME NOT SO WHILE OTHERS JUST FAILED,

ONEOF THE BEST WORKED PRIVATISATION IS THE NORTH SOUTH HIGHWAY OR PLUS IN SHORT. IT IS THE BEST HIWAY IN THE WORLD, WELL MANAGED AND MAINTAINED.

OTHERS WORKED WELL, PROVIDE EMPLOYMENT TO MANY AS WELL AS BUSINESS OPPORTINITIES.

IN A NUTSHELL, PRIVATIZE ONLY THE ONE THAT CREATE VALUE. UNLIKE IJM PRIVATASATION TO SIME DARBY, I SEE NONE AT ALL.

SO ITS WISE FOR THE GOVT OF TODAY STOP IT NOW.

THE DAMANGE IS THE FUTURE PEOPLE TO PAY IF IT IS PRIVATIZE TO SIME.

TO SIME DARBY,

WHY DO YOU NEED IJM? YOU CAN OPEN A NEW IJM WITH ALL YOUR MONEY!

PLEASE DO THE RIGHT THING, GIVE BACK TO THE PEOPLE IJM.

thank you.

JAMILMALIK88

By Lisair on December 19, 2008 5:57 PM

Salam Tun & all,

Yes, Please don't privatized IJN.

Tun have spoken!

By Kak JaynAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 6:01 PM

I cried (frm the heart) when i read abt this. My empathies goes to the poor who couldnt afford to pay their medical bill\$. Tq for sharing yr thought Tun. May Allah protect yr heart for many years more.

By DIJAM on December 19, 2008 6:03 PM

Assalamualaikum Tun,

- 1) Saya bersetuju dengan pandangan Tun mengenai IJN. Dalam keluarga kami ada ahli keluarga yang telah menerima perkhidmatan dari IJN. Sekarang IJN menjadi household name.
- 2) Saya pun berpendapat sama, mengapa Sime Darby beriya-iyanya hendak mengambil alih IJN, sedangkan IJN bukanlah institusi yang membuat keuntungan.
- 3) Sebagaimana laporan akhbar, PM dan TPM menyatakan kerajaan tidak menghalang sekiranya kebajikan orang-orang berpendapatan rendah tidak terabai.
- 4) Bolehkah Sime Darby berjanji akan menunaikan social service-nya. Adakah social service tanpa keuntungan boleh bertahan selama lima tahun atau lapan tahun, atau pun sampai bila-bila?
- 5) Tidakkah Sime Darby telah membuat researchnya? Adakah cadangannya mendapat arahan dari 'suara-suara dari langit'? Apa sebenar motifnya, kalau hendak untung carilah peluang lain, macam tak cukup keuntungan yang didapati oleh Sime Darby.
- 6) Adakah bonus Datuk Seri Ahmad Zubir Murshid dan kuncu-kuncu Sime Darby tidak cukup? Inilah manusia-manusia yang tamak, mengambil keuntungan dari kesusahan orang.
- 7) Lupakanlah, biarlah IJN berurusan sendiri. Pak Lah janganlah dengar arahan KJ untuk kali ini. Kita tahu semasa Tun Dr. Mahathir jadi PM banyak penswastaaan telah diadakan. Janganlah dah nak pencen pun nak ada juga penswastaaan, untuk mencipta nama.
- 8) Fikir-fikirlah.....

By muarif on December 19, 2008 6:03 PM

SALAM BUAT TUN SEKELUARGA.

TUN,

Perkara yang sama berlegar di dalam fikiran saya adakah IJN akan consider orang miskin macam saya selepas privatisation nanti.

Wassalam TUN.

By tpgboy on December 19, 2008 6:05 PM

allah swt selamatkan tun sekeluarga,

benar kata tun bukan semua orang mampu, bukan semua menteri atau orang ternama yang akan menyerahkan nyawa atau nasib(dengan berkat atau lindungan allah swt) ditangan anak melayu amnya.....hanya tun saja yang dapat membuktikan bahawa melaysia juga mempunyai ijn yang ternama.....so dalam keadaan sekarang BN jangan jadi bodoh buat tindakan yang boleh menjatuhkan nama @ imej yang sudah tercalar ke lembah yang hina.....pemimpin BN baik lu pikirlah dulu sebelum buat kerja bodoh.

banyak dasar pengswastaaan yang berjaya tapi janganlah hingga lupa nasib orang awam @ rakyat di kampung yang susah. Tidak ada dasar pengswastaaan yang mahu rugi dalam perniagaan.....semua caj hospital akan naik, masa tu apa kuasa kerajaan dalam memastikan harga tidak akan naik..... sebagai CTH : LIHAT TNB @ TENAGA NASIONAL BERHAD YANG SENTIASA MAHU MENGAUT KEUNTUNGAN DARI HASIL NAIKKAN TARIF.....LEPAS TU KATA PANDAI BERNIAGA & MAHU NAIKKAN GAJI CEO & KUNCU-KUNCU SETAN.....MASA NAIK BAGI TAU HARGA MINYAK NAIK.....LEPAS TU BILA HARGA MINYAK TURUN 7 KALI KATA TNB TAK PAKAI

MINYAK.....BODOH PUNYA TNB.....KALAU PANGGIL ORANG BODOH PUN BOLEH DAPAT UNTUNG NAIK TARIF NAIK UNTUNG.....KALAU TARIF ELEKTRIK TURUN SUDAH PASTI HARGA BARANG AKAN TURUN.....

so saya setuju cadangan tun jangan swastakan ijn.....

tun u the best.....

By ir_john on December 19, 2008 6:07 PM

Salam Tun,

Satu langkah yang amat kurang bijak, tidakkan tergesa-gesa. Ingatlah orang lain sama yang kurang berkemampuan. Saya bersetuju dengan pendapat Tun biarlah IJN seperti mana sekarang tambatlah hati rakyat.

By muze69 on December 19, 2008 6:13 PM

Assalamualaikum Ayahanda Tun....mungkin ada something fishy going on kot

By pemikirzamanAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 6:17 PM

salam,hehe im the first..huhu..

yup,betul tu tun,saya setuju dgn pandangan tun dalam hal ini,kebanyakan pesakit yang menerima rawatan di situ adlah glgn miskin...saya juga bersetuju dgn pandangan tun tentang layanan yg diberi oleh staf2 di situ samada doktor ataupun jururawat...adik saya pernah menjalani pembedahan di situ sewaktu berumur 5 tahun..saya dapat rasa ia sebuah pusat rawatan yang paling unggul pernah saya pergi dgn kemudahan nya canggih dan layan yang mesra serta merawat pesakit dengan begitu mesra..saya rasa bertuah pada waktu itu kerana sbg seorg daripada keluarga berpendapatn sederhana,kami layak menerima perkhidmatan di situ...jadi saya rasa penswastaan ijn untuk diambil alih oleh sime darby adalah langkah tidak tepat..walau sekuat mana jaminan yg diberi,sebuah syarikat yg beroperasi berdasarkan keuntungan masih tidak dapat diberi kepercayaan untuk meneruskan perkhidmatan cemerlang dgn kos rawatan sepertimana sekarang...mugkin perlu difikir balik

By Mustex on December 19, 2008 6:23 PM

Tun,

I fully concur with your view that IJN should not be privatised for many economic, social and political reasons.Why all of a sudden this issue arise is certainly beyond our comprehension, especially as 2008 is coming to a close and March 2009 is fast approaching!!

I am not an Accountant but whatever rationale behind this proposed privatization is highly questionable. One question that comes to mind is whether this privatization is coerced or a pure business proposal from Sime Darby. Could it be that Sime Darby wish to be a good corporate citizen via its CSR programme or maybe when it comes to the poor who seek treatment, then the bill is passed on to the government for payment!!

Whatever it is hopefully the privtization proposal was duly scrutinized thoroughly to ensure that the government do not have to bail out IJN midway!!

By Mr BelimbingAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 6:26 PM

Salam Tun,

Maybe someone need to remind our PM this,

"If It's Not Broken, Don't Fix It!"

But, knowing him as PM, he would probably fix it anyway! Lol

p.s Tun, bila memoirnya akan terbit?
By S.Abd. on December 19, 2008 6:27 PM

Salam Tun,

Can't agree more with you Tun! I have and will always respect you as every decision and every policy that you made while you were our Prime Minister is for we rakyat. I hope you will continue to help us and save our country.

Thanks and all the best to you.
By yinkcAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 6:30 PM

Dear Tun,

Thanks for giving such prominent points on this issue. I'm totally agree with your points and oppose the privatisation of IJN.

This is simply because the IJN is the "heart" of Malaysians. And our "heart" should be owned by ourselves(i.e. the government that represents the people) instead of any other companies.

In fact, it's the only affordable "heart" of Malaysian. Such situation is especially true for those poor to keep their hearts beating in their life...

Thanks.

From Yinkc
By Hanitacuta on December 19, 2008 6:32 PM

Salam Tun,
If there's a petition going against this privatisation, I'd be the FIRST to sign and I'm very sure majority of my friends will too!
By Melayu_BerdaulatAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 6:33 PM

Askum Tun..

Tahniah kemukakan tajuk ini. Kami terasa semakin dekat hati Tun pada rakyat.

Kelakuan kerajaan sekarang saya lihat lebih kepada menjatuhkan diri sendiri. Isu sebegini punya sensatif pun boleh terjadi. Bukan mencari popular atau tidak, tetapi isu sebegini lah yang membuatkan rakyat meluat pada kerajaan BN. Bukan setakat yg dah meluat. meluat lagi tapi yang tak pernah meluat akan meluat lagi.

Saya confirm BN akan kalah di Kuala Terengganu. Tahniah pada "Si Pandai @ Pandir" yang mendendangkan benda bodoh nie. Pembangkang tak payah susah-susah mainkan isu sebab ada si bodoh yang membodohkan diri sendiri.

Pada BN.. jgn biarkan rakyat yang meluat terus buang anda. Sayangilah kedudukan ada sekarang demi Negara, Bangsa dan AGAMA.

Melayu Berdaulat
Tarmizie Shahidan
By Rusli on December 19, 2008 6:38 PM

I am totally shocked to read that the Government has no objection to the Sime Darby Proposal. Whatever the terms agreed, I doubt very much the charges would remain as they are now. Afterall, the reason Sime

Darby is interested is based on the profit potential of the Institute.

Being a patient of IJN myself, I am totally happy with the services received from the doctors and staffs of IJN. They are totally professional. And I would be very unhappy if this proposal is approved ultimately, at whatever the agreed terms and conditions they might be.

How long can Sime Darby hold the lower charges? Few years probably. What will happened after that?
PLEASE DON'T PRIVATISE IJN.

By zaki_77 on December 19, 2008 6:39 PM

I think IJN's proposed privatisation stems from a greedy politician who is soon to retire. He may have a vested interest in Sime Darby, which might be planning to make money not from the poor patients, but the government who may very well subsidise their treatment (thus the balance going to SD). The soon-to-be retired politician is making ways to continue sponging off the government long after he is retired through various enterprises he and his son-in-law are part and parcel of!

By mrseah on December 19, 2008 6:43 PM

well said Tun - BN should really place the Rakyat above others.

By shah on December 19, 2008 6:45 PM

I am with you Tun. Sime Darby main objective is making money. When 80% of the patients are poor people, how can they achieve their objective. This does not make business sense unless there are more to it than what can be seen by the laymen.

Leave IJN alone. It has done a great job and the country is proud of it. Why mess it up?

By HouseWife™ on December 19, 2008 6:49 PM

Assalamualaikum Tun,

Absolutely agree with you on this Tun. People's lives are at stake and they are thinking about making profits. IJN shouldn't be privatised as it means more money must dish out of poor people's pockets.

Doesn't the government of today care for the people especially the poor who has to hide their pride to beg for money for treatment for their loved ones? Is there an agenda behind this move or someone behind will gain from this, you know like animal's food chain?

The government should take care of the well-being her rakyat not adding hardships to the rakyat who has to put up with the ever rising costs of food and medicine. Don't blame the rakyat if one day they take their dissatisfactions to the streets aggressively, to fight for their rights of living.

Yes Tun the BN government hasn't learned her lesson and is digging her own grave wider and deeper. This move will make the government more unpopular and DSN will go down, that is a fact Tun if he agrees with the move. Message from the people is already clear so listen please if you(BN) wants to go on living and do not want to have a heart attack when the people strike back.

Tun take care of yourself and May Allah Look Upon You Always.

By chongtam on December 19, 2008 6:51 PM

Saya setuju Pendapat Tun

By taurus sitara on December 19, 2008 6:51 PM

Assalamualaikum Yang Berbahgia Tun Mahathir,

If you bring up this topic then someone on 4thfloor or Najib's boys will be scuttling. Surely somebody is going to make money out of this IJN privatisation?

Sime Darby is in a bit of legal tangle with some of the former directors of the 3 companies from which it was formed today, right? Is Najib the mastermind behind the formation of the present Sime Darby? Coz if

he is then 4th floor boys get something to smear Najib then. Khairy can use this to say that he is not making any money out of this now. Or he might back Najib's plan all the way coz Najib is his future boss? In other words there is no one else, except you and us bloggers who are left to voice out disagreement with this IJN privatisation. Wassalam.
By twocents02 on December 19, 2008 6:52 PM

Dearest Dr M

...unless the unseen reason is to put BN in a negative light so that in the next election, the people will vote for the alternative party

And since this impacts the poor the most, the rural folks might just shift allegiance to the opposition.

We hope this does not happen.
By azmany on December 19, 2008 6:55 PM

I came across the IJN privatisation proposal in the papers this week and like Tun, I'm perplexed as to WHY? All I've read in the papers are pacification by the politicians but there is no single article that laid out what is the purpose of the proposed privatisation.

It's true that IJN is a highly respected healthcare institution in the country, nay..make it internationally. As a business person, I can appreciate the priceless value of the knowledge of the institution and its surgeons and staffs. But, what must be recognised that this is to a large extent is due to (a) its huge operating deficits borne by the Malaysian government as part of its social obligations (b) non-profit nature, thus the doctors and nurses first priority is welfare of patients and not the bottomline of IJN.

Our healthcare system is good as it is. Every resident in Malaysia (regardless whether they are citizens or not, connected or not) can have access to the required healthcare treatment all over the country. If you require better comfort, environment and preferential treatment, there's ample private hospitals and clinics as alternative. The actual quality is not much different, in fact it is well known among medical practitioners that many of the best doctors and equipments in the country are in the public sector.

I would encourage bloggers and visitors here to watch Michael Moore's docu-movie 'Sicko' (it is being shown on Astro and DVDs can be easily found) and I'm sure after that, you will appreciate the need to protect the system that we have today and to resist privatisation of IJN and the proposed National Healthcare Insurance scheme.
By usop latiff on December 19, 2008 6:55 PM

Saya setuju dengan pendapat tun . Soime darby tu profit base company, saya tak fikir akan kotakan janjinya mengatakan IJN as the way it is
By shuib on December 19, 2008 7:04 PM

salam buat Tun moga sihat walafiat

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siapa yang memiliki sime darby?

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yang sederhana akan mati selepas nengok bil ijn
yang miskin akan mati sebelum masuk ijn pun la !!!

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By wescraven on December 19, 2008 7:05 PM

Tun

I totally agree with you, leave this institution as it is. Every time DSN make a decision, everyone smell rotten rats. Same thing goes to valuecap capital and eurocopter. I dont thing we can see any more wise decision from our future PM for benefit of rakyat during a hard time.sigh...
By Loke Author Profile Page on December 19, 2008 7:07 PM

Dear Tun,

I fully agree with you that the government should leave IJN alone. It is really a towering institution at its current form. I was a patient in IJN in 2007 and went through a major operation. I just have one word for them - "Excellent"! My operation in IJN made me feel "very Malaysian". The team of specialist and surgeons from different ethnic background and all the nurses treat and care for everyone with the same heart. They see everyone as a human first and not their skin color. It is this spirit that made IJN great!

I hope Tun can use your influence to stop IJN from being privatized.

Best regards,

Loke Siew Fook
DAP MP for Rasah
By Prabakaran Gopalakrishnan on December 19, 2008 7:07 PM

Dear Tun
In this issue, I agree wholly and completely with you.

Privatization of IJN will be one of the biggest blunder by this present administration which is their own making and not inherited.

Regards
By chaerul on December 19, 2008 7:11 PM

Salam Nenda,

Terimakasih kerana cepat memberi komen tentang isu ini.

Its being so much attention grabbing now, especially when the leaving and future PM giving their "bright" opinion(s), supporting Sime Darby :(

Some people never listen, and never learn eh?

Theres a saying, if its not broken, dont fix it. Leave IJN alone. Sime should focus to its internal problems.
By kipoute on December 19, 2008 7:12 PM

Salam ayahnder Tun,

I smell a rat.....a near death one. Tun perasan tak, mana jer PM ni pergi mesti ade jer bende yang kengsel, nape agaknya erk? Jadi PM sepenggal...dipenggalnya jambatan bengkok tu. Haaaa....dah jam bagai nak rak sekarang ni kat tambak tu. Tengoklah nanti, atas alasan permintaan rakyat, jgn terkejut nanti tiba-tiba tau-tau dah award jer kontrak buat jambatan tu ke company lain, sudah tentunya dengan harga yang jauh lebih tinggi.

Pergi MINDEF pun gitu, postpone plok beli heli. Yg peliknya...dia yang dah jadi Menteri Pertahanan, dia yg sibuk nak postpone transaction yg dah finalise, yg menjawab jual beli tu nape harga gitu gini, Najib yg kene jawab....dia molek ade duduk sebelah dengan muka mengantuknya. Rasanya akan jadi macam kat atas gak.

Ni tak pasal-pasal nak bagi IJN ke business entity....Sime Darby pulak tu.

Satu nasihat saya...lepas ni ayahnda jgn kene bypass lagi. Takut nanti bila masuk kat sana ayahnda tak mampu pulak nak bayar kos bedah dengan pencen PM ayahnda tu. Kami rakyat marhain ni takpe, tunggu jer lah turn kat HKL ker atau Hospital Sg. Buloh. Kok tak pon tunggu turn sape dulu ke ling lahad sebab stroke.

Doa sehat sejahtera untuk ayahnde dan bonda Tun.
By Iswar on December 19, 2008 7:12 PM

Selamat hari lahir Tun!
By nusams on December 19, 2008 7:17 PM

Assalamualaikum Tun,
Absolutely agree with you Tun, 100%. I'm a medical doctor who work with the government. I can recall few extremely poor patients from rural area in Sarawak having to travel all the way to IJN for their newborns' congenital heart disease. These are extremely poor people, they live on rice and salty fish, or perhaps even less than that.

But IJN is indeed a centre of excellence and has provided these patients with great services and treatments with good outcome. I agree with all the issues you've raised. So as you rightly said, leave IJN as it is for the benefit of the people.

A concern doctor.
By kobe on December 19, 2008 7:20 PM

Dear Tun,

1. Sime Darby needs to re-think again about buying a stake in IJN which operates the national heart institute. They may think that they can attract more professional staffs such as cardiologist, surgeons, and so on by paying them a higher income but this also means the charges will be higher than before.

2. True by turning IJN into private sector, Sime Darby can expand their health business into long term profitable business due to rising affluent and health consciousness in Malaysia; they also need to comfort a lower group income and this will sure lower their profit. Sime Darby will need to pay an expensive price

of IJN's high operating expenses due to its obligations of providing first class treatment to all level of income.

3. Government must come with some restrictions such as a national interest consideration to Sime Darby if they get the 51 percent equity stake in IJN. As we know IJN has made a successful medical story such as:-

- First in Southeast Asia to perform coronary bypass surgeries and the complex thymectomy procedure on conscious or "awake" patients without general anesthesia
- First in Malaysia to perform bone marrow stem cell transplantation in patients with severe ischemic heart disease who had no other treatment options
- First in Australasia to implant the first mechanical heart assist device, a life-saving procedures for patients who are on the waiting list for human heart transplants
- First in Australasia to perform key-hole (endoscopic) surgery to treat lone atrial fibrillation
- First in the world to perform pocket incision heart surgery utilizing Heart port mitral valve repair/ replacement
(Resources from IJN's website)

4. I think a lot of lower group income will suffer due to rising charges in future. Only wealth people will get the benefit. Once again people will congrate the BN government for being such a greedy and arrogant ruler.

By shirazi on December 19, 2008 7:23 PM

Dear Tun,

Assalamualaikum Wr. Wb.

Before commenting on this issue, allow me to express my warmest regards and wishes to you on the occasion of your 83rd birthday. I raise my hands heaven high and pray that the Almighty will endow you with the best of health, happiness and vigour in Islamic spirits.

Many Malaysians have indeed benefitted from the service rendered by IJN. My mother was one of the many who underwent a bypass surgery almost 10 years ago. Coming from a middle class family, we had very little savings and we could not afford to have her surgery done at the private hospitals. IJN came as a saviour to us as even though we paid for the surgery, it was only half of what the private hospitals have quoted us. By the grace of Allah, she went through the surgery successfully and has lived through it for ten years. Many Malaysians out there would have had similar experiences like mine and I bet that those many people who have been with IJN through out the years would not agree to this idea of privatisation.

The PM and the Health Minister had said that the government would ensure that IJN would continue its services and charges at it is, but I wonder how? Once privatised, it would not be possible for IJN to maintain its current charges and the poor people would be greatly affected. Let IJN maintain its status quo.

Shiraz

By nonhadharianAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 7:27 PM

Tun

Saya rasa gelaran yang perlu dipadankan kepada Pak Lah ialah "BAPA TIKUS BAIKI LABU NEGARA".

Omputih bilang 'If it is not broken why fix it?' .

By artkawi on December 19, 2008 7:27 PM

Assalamualaikum..

Yalah..Allahyarhamah Endon dapat treatment dekat USA...and most BN leader kalau sakit dapat treatment dekat the best and most expensive hospital in the world. So..mana la diaorg tahu susah payah poor people..

The idea of IJN Privatisation is the stupidest decision can be made by the government lead by the stupidest PM and govt that we have today. Apa lah dosa rakyat Malaysia sehinga kita berkerajaan bunch of stupid people??

How on earth, a normal business entity (Sime Darby) can think other than making money in their investment. How their shareholders can part with their money without getting monetary gain back? Ada sapa2 sini yang buat business nak rugi??

Tak payahlah cerita dalam suratkhbar.. Govt will set the condition here and there before Sime Darby can takeover IJN. That for their political mileage only.

And after the privatization is done..gone all the condition and restriction..jadilah macam private medical center yang berlambak dekat m'sia ni. Baru je nak check in, deposit dulu..walhal hamba Allah tu dah separuh nyawa nak mati. No money, no treatment..

By Kadir on December 19, 2008 7:36 PM

Rakyat mengharap kerajaan yang ada, mesra pada rakyat dengan memberi rakyat kemudahan awam yang baik dengan harga minima. Inilah sepatutnya sebuah kerajaan islam yang baik. Bil letrik , air, minyak petrol, transport awam, kesihatan dan bahan asas makanan perlulah harganya murah dan mampu untuk semua orang. Sekiranya IJN diswastakan, mana rakyat mampu untuk membayar gaji CEO yang boleh mencapai ratusan ribu ringgit sebulan.Kasihani kami rakyat biasa semakin terpinggir dan dihipit kemiskinan. Gaji 1000 pun dah macam 300 aje...Kalau anak kena jantung berlubang, siapa lagi yang nak tolong. Rakyat adalah tanggungjawab kerajaan. Ini tingkat 4 punya idea ke???

BN memang nak kalah pilihanraya agaknya.

By ijn on December 19, 2008 7:37 PM

please don't give to sime darby. why ijn? why internal people did not know about this? somebody sabotage this company or the people have their own startegy to get the benefit from the ijn. i think ijn should be managed by the medical line not coperate men. exspecially from board direktor chairman till the ceo. the coporate men more think about himself not for staf and 'poor patient'.

i hope u can help us. ijn was opened because of your idea.

thanks

By Bang Charq' on December 19, 2008 7:38 PM

Salam Tun,

Correct....correct.....correct.

By Passenger on December 19, 2008 7:49 PM

tak tau la tun....

sounds funny at the moment... maybe becoz of economic downturn kot.....

but to overcharge the poorers is not the good thing to do.... dah terbalik dr matlamat IJN.....

i hope the government is doing the right thing...

By Chedet Fan on December 19, 2008 7:49 PM

I am a Sime Darby Staff and I oppose to this move. I wonder how on earth that the bosses especially Strategy & Business Development even consider the feasibility of this acquisition. Or are they just decide merely on instruction of their bosses.

People like Tun Musa Hitam who is the Chairman of Sime Darby and those sit in the Board also seemed

to loose their credibility when an utterly ridiculous decision like this being made by the management of Sime Darby.

A lot of crazy decisions being made by the top management of Sime Darby since the merger which the only explanation can be deduced from it is that one or two poacher will stand to make personal gain financially. Think! You are entrusted to public money! Reevaluate yourself and resign if you are in this frame of mind!!

By syam on December 19, 2008 7:55 PM

assalamualaikum tun yang saya hormati...

saya sentiasa menyokong tun.. teruskan usaha tun untuk selamatkan rakyat Malaysia... love u tun...

By chengho on December 19, 2008 8:02 PM

Why Najib let PakLah off the hook this initiative of privatisation was done a few month back . the announcement by Najib was not at the right time and at wrong political lanscape do not fall into AAB trap.. Shahrizat husband was there during the announcement?

By lextcs on December 19, 2008 8:04 PM

happy birthday our beloved tun....may God continue to bless you.

By johndoe on December 19, 2008 8:06 PM

Barisan Nasional govt just looking for trouble,... impact is it becomes more unpopular

By dream on December 19, 2008 8:13 PM

Hi Tun! Fully support your view on this issue. I am sure the Government has got more important issues to look at right now.

By ATShaariAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 8:15 PM

Salam Tun:

Recalling back the day that my aunt, I cannot say she is poor but neither she is rich, lower class ordinary people perhaps, she was diagnosed with multiple heart complications. She's so fragile and weak that she can't even chew five spoonful of rice without panting into deep heavy breathing. Even breathing is much too much of a struggle for her. We thought we are seeing the last of her until she was refered to IJN.

After she had undergone various procedures and a new set of valve, she is still a living testimony of professionalism and undivided attention and care shown by the prestigious Institut Jantung Negara staff members and the good thing is that we do not need to go around asking for fund to be raised in order to get her procedures carried out. It is enough with what the family members forked out collectively and the subsidised fee by the government/IJN.

Like Tun, there are so many more other people who hold IJN closed to their heart! I can't imagine the institution falls into the hand of profit oriented capitalist business entity with so much of promises that IJN will be the IJN that it is now when their shareholders are screaming for profits and dividends. Just look at Tenaga Nasional, they are looking at the burden of RM500 million losses with the oversupply of power that is not needed from the IPP. There is no hints of the IPP coming into terms with Tenaga Nasional to lessen this burden but instead there are talked that the burden will have to be absorbed by the rakyat.

It is so true that this government is the least popular of any of the previous government. Now they are the 'Less-caring Unpopular Government'. If this IJN deal did really come true, just imagine the stick from the rakyat for the PRU13.

Or is there anybody waiting and hoping for a sackload of 'commission' for this deal to come true?

By sengho on December 19, 2008 8:18 PM

exactly Tun.... leave it as it is our pride.....
By sengho on December 19, 2008 8:20 PM

exactly Tun, leave it as it is and it is our pride!!!
By Chedet Fan on December 19, 2008 8:25 PM

I am a Sime Darby Staff and I oppose to this move. I wonder how on earth that the bosses especially Strategy & Business Development even consider the feasibility of this acquisition. Or are they just decide merely on instruction of their bosses.

People like Tun Musa Hitam who is the Chairman of Sime Darby and those sit in the Board also seemed to loose their credibility when an utterly ridiculous decision like this being made by the management of Sime Darby.

A lot of crazy decisions being made by the top management of Sime Darby since the merger which the only explanation can be deduced from it is that one or two poacher will stand to make personal gain financially. Think! You are entrusted to public money! Reevaluate yourself and resign if you are in this frame of mind!!

By Oumono on December 19, 2008 8:31 PM

Tun,

pak lah makin hari makin berani buat keputusan yang melampau.kita perlu pertahankan IJN.setiap rakyat malaysia pasti memerlukan IJN.Tun, tunjukkan jalan macam mana kami sebagai rakyat nak menghalang tindakan ini.

Hidup Tun!

Hazman Abu Bakar
By taurus sitara on December 19, 2008 8:38 PM

Assalamualaikum Tun,
They postponed the decision on this IJN takeover by Sime Darby?Must be due to Kuala Terengganu's by-election?

Sime Darby is said to be so horrific and so inhumane towards their own staffs as written on Sime Darby Watch blogsite.

Is Najib a copycat of PakLah?PakLah and his 3K-Khairy/Kamalludin/Kamarudin (Oct 2003 to March 2009)but now or in the future it's Najib and his younger brother?Maybe Najib needs to move to the ground more often and feel the power of the people.

Then he may tell PakLah to tell Sime Darby not to even come close to IJN again.

Better to announce a donation of many millions to IJN from Sime Darby?every year donate to IJN-that's better for Sime Darby's image,right?Wassalam.

By Mr Benny on December 19, 2008 8:43 PM

agree with you Tun.... unless Sime Darby is turning to be philanthropist.
By CheDetFCAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 8:44 PM

Mereka seperti terlalu ghairah untuk MEROMPAK buat kali yang terakhir...
By FMZam on December 19, 2008 8:58 PM

Apalah Sime Darby, kalau kau nak sangat IJN tu, kau buat satu lagi IJN private macam private hospital lain dan takyah ganggu IJN ni, tak leh ke kau berfikir camtu? Ni kalau tak ada orang buat bising pasal penswastaaan IJN, aku gerenti Najib tentu senyap tak kan cakap nak tangguh, tau pulak kau takut ye Najib? Ni lah integriti pemimpin2 kita, bila nak buat tak pernah fikir, kalau rakyat tak bising teruskan, bila rakyat bising sanggup jatuhkan air muka arahkan tangguh, tak ada rasa malu ke pemimpin2 kita ni cakap boleh tarik2 semula?. Tangguh? bukan batal? maknanya bila dah reda teruskan semula. Aku caya kalau

Pak Tun yang buat keputusan waktu dia jadi PM dulu, kita jangan mimpi nak tengok dia tarik cakap dia balik. Tuhan tu kaya Dia masukkan Pak Tun ke IJN supaya hari ini kita dapat dengar Pak Tun tak bersetuju dengan penswastaan IJN. Kalau lah Pak tun tak masuk IJN, agak2 korang mau ke Pak Tun suarakan tentangannya dalam blog ni? sampai Najib pun gelabah like hell terus tangguhkan penswastaan IJN. Aku fikir yang patut diswastakan sekarang ni ialah seluruh kerajaan Malaysia.
By Economistkampong on December 19, 2008 9:09 PM

Y. A. Bhg Tun

If there is one thing about political ideology that you have made abundantly clear, many times in the past, it is the need and wisdom to take a pragmatic and practical approach, when it comes to matters that affect the country and Malaysians. Going by your wisdom, therefore there is no need to be ideologically pure, in this case the role of the private sector, and to take privatization to a level that hurts the governed.

I am sure the present Government knows this. It is elementary. So please unravel Tun for us what you think is the 'udang di sebalik batu' for AAB had said 'the government approved in principle' and NTR had said 'the government had no objections'. Or is the lessons, as always lost on them??
By azizi1975 on December 19, 2008 9:14 PM

Assalamualaikum ayahanda Tun, memula sekali Selamat Menyambut Hari Lahir semoga sihat sejahtera dan panjang umur disamping keluarga. Tentang IJN nak diambil oleh pihak swasta pada saya rakyat yang marhain akan menderita itu pendapat saya.
By Sheikh on December 19, 2008 9:16 PM

Satu lagi keputusan otak lembab yang dibuat.

Apabila orang yang berfikiran waras dan bijak menjadi bodoh atau terencat akal. Berhati hati lah.

Anda tidak boleh berlakun bodoh di universiti sebagaimana semasa di sekolah. Tidak ada orang bodoh di universiti. Begitu lah perumpamaannya.

Apabila membaca tajuk bodoh itu tiba tiba saja darah naik walaupun jantung saya masih sihat lagi.

Tentu Sime Darby perlu meraih keuntungan. Dia bukan syarikat kebajikan. Takkan seorang pun dalam kerajaan Barisan Nasional tidak faham ini.

Kemudian berita pada TV3 malam ini dari kenyataan Najib memperjelaskan kiasan 'masyuk' oleh Sime Darby dan mereka mereka yang masyuk.

Kerajaan akan mengekalkan IJN seperti sediakala. Ertinya mudah. Sime Darby kenakan bayaran mahal. Kerajaan keluarkan duit. Kemudian bagi bagi sesama kawan kawan.

Ini ertinya modes operandi biasa. Geram tengok duit kerajaan banyak maka cari idea supaya duit itu keluar.

Penagih dadah tepi jalan pun tau taktik ini.

Jahanam nampaknya Barisan Nasional pilihanraya sekali lagi.

Kerana nafsu.

By rozi66 on December 19, 2008 9:19 PM

Salam to Tun and all,

I really dissapointed with Najib. He keeps on making funny statements. Few months ago he said our country NOT affected by the economic crisis...he might be blind not to realise the high cost of living now and the number of workers losing their job. Now he is saying that IJN will stay the same costwise after SD

takeover. HA HA HA..... Can someone knock some sense into his skull. Very likely he is playing according to script given by some one. BUT as PM to be..he should be more sensible. Keep acting like this and next PRU will be a gone case for BN. Terengganu by election will definitely go to PAS. God bless all of us.

Rozi66

By cikgukita on December 19, 2008 9:20 PM

Tun,

saya bersetuju dengan pandangan Tun. Pada saya, badan-badan kerajaan yang begitu hampir dengan rakyat khususnya yang berkaitan dengan kesihatan (hospital/klinik), pendidikan (ekolah/universiti), sektor pertanian dan perikanan serta penternakan sepatutnya diapung menjadi lebih baik dan lebih sempurna.

rakyat kebanyakan sentiasa menanti berta baik yang bakal memberi kebaikan dan kemudahan kepada mereka dan bukannya soal penswastan yang biasanya mengundang kepada kenaikan kos, yuran baru dan sebagainya sedangkan sektor kesihatan umpamanya adalah sektor yang amat rapat dan dekat dengan rakyat.

apa lagi dengan kos rawatan di hospital swasta masa kini yang cukup tinggi.

saya rasa, semua ini akan menjadi bahan kempen pihak pembangkang khususnya semasa pilihanraya kecil Kuala Terengganu tak lama lagi.

namun jika dilihat sebaliknya, ada sebabnya mengapa isu ini dibangkitkan oleh mereka.

hendaknya dimasa hadapan, isu-isu rakyat harus dibela dan diberikan keutamaan dan bukannya berita-berita sebegini.

ampun maaf,

cikgu kita

By rozi66 on December 19, 2008 9:30 PM

Salam to Tun and all,

Medical personnel in IJN oppose such move. Bravo...I salute you all.

God bless all of us.

By dr butiq on December 19, 2008 9:34 PM

SELAMAT HARI JADI TUN SEMOGA TUN SIHAT DAN DIBERKATI ALLAH, Saya sayang Tun, hanya Tun sahaja seorang pemimpin Umno yg masih saya sayangi dan sangat saya hormati. Saya harap Tun terus menulis untuk memperbetulkan segala kesilapan yang dilakukan oleh pemimpin umno sekarang. saya lihat umno lebih menuju kehancuran. yang jelas pemimpin umno masih lagi tidak sedar diri. mereka tidak mendapat pengajaran serta iktibar dari kekalahan PRU yg lepas. Saya berani bertaruh umno/BN akan kalah pada pilihan raya kecil Kuala Terengganu yg akan dtg.

Salam Tun Pejuang bangsa yg tulin.

By 2nowAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 9:36 PM

Salam Tun,

BN government had lost its head, now it is going to lose its heart to the people. Is there any thing to be gained from this privatisation? Or is the BN government had now refuses its social obligation to the rakyat and only think of money? If Sime Darby want to do charity work, then open another IJN in the north or east Malaysia. Do not bluff the rakyat with promises that we know you cannot keep oh wahai pembesar-pembesar BN. They still do not get it...

By jizuriminAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 9:39 PM

Tun, Alhamdulillah sebagai seorang doktor kerajaan saya juga setuju dengan pendapat Tun. IJN sememangnya institut yang sepatutnya dipelihara sebagai Semi-Private/Government Hospital yang menempatkan banyak kepakaran berhubung Cardiology dan Cardiothoracic Surgery. Semua orang

mengatakan Pakar Perubatan Malaysia tamakkan gaji yang lebih tetapi dengan tersiarnya berita (mengenai pakar IJN menyatakan mereka tidak pernah minta gaji lebih)tadi, saya harap rakyat Malaysia tahu yang Doktor bukannya peguam yang cuma pentingkan duit sahaja. Saya ingin memuji pakar perubatan kerana saya tahu kalau dibandingkan gaji mereka di hospital swasta atau paling dekat di Singapura, mereka patut dihargai dan bukannya dicemuh. Saya selalu mengatakan kekalkan doktor kerajaan kerana mereka sebenarnya yang merawat rakyat dan harus mendapat taraf yang sepatutnya mereka nikmati. Untuk isu ini saya harap kerajaan BN bawah Dato Sri Najib memikirkan semula kerana insituti kesihatan hampir tidak pernah mendapat untung kecuali kalau Dato Sri mahu rakyat terpaksa ke hospital berbayar semata-mata untuk mendapatkan khidmat pakar seperti IJN- Jizurimin
By thaiso on December 19, 2008 9:40 PM

Assalamualaikum Tun.

Kelmarin ada jugak pergi tengok upset pada game grand finale.

Patut bagi brilliancy prize pada meja 4.

Tapi sampai hari ni masih tak nampak nampak apa-apa pun....checkmate ke?

Terima kasih Tun.

By eagle on December 19, 2008 9:44 PM

Kudos Dr M!

I love your comments! IJN should not be privatised. It will cause a lot of hardship to many people and it is obvious Pak Lah did not think about the consequences if IJN is privatised. I pray to God that it will not happen.

Thank You Dr M..i wished you are still our PM.

By Bukit UhudAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 9:44 PM

Assalamu'alaikum Tun,

I don't care if I'm not the first one to comment, but I do care if it happens that u urself publish my comment in ur 'Father of all blog'. For this I thank u.

Love ur Pak Man Telo- New York.. hahaha.. it made my intestine intertwined.

I think the issue with IJN is, our current Dollah used to be pampered by the Aussies back then. So he had no 'heart' for the Institute.

Somebody should ask him and Najib to watch 'Sicko' from Michael Moore.

By RamlaxAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 9:54 PM

Dear YAA Tun,

I agree with you that this institution must be protected.It must become the benchmark by which all government institutions are administered because it is the only institution that reflects the racial composition of the country.

By Nor Shahril on December 19, 2008 9:58 PM

Salam Tun,

Yes. I totally agreed with you. If this institution fall under private company, I think the death rate in Malaysia will be high. The poor will suffer...

By spendere on December 19, 2008 9:59 PM

If its perfect as it is, don't touch it then. Dear Pak lah government, do not become like "tikus membaiki labu" because we the citizen are not stupid. When the guard shouted" Luncai terjun dgn labu-labunya", we will not say "biarkan...biarkan". Stop Pak Lah! You have done enough damage to our country (financial, racial relation, international standing etc) that will take generations for us to recover. However, I think Sime Darby does have their right to acquire IJN only if they make their business planning public, so it can be scrutinized.

Wassalam. Makaseyy
By YapAhLoy on December 19, 2008 10:01 PM

Dear Tun,

I totally agree with you.

BN really dun understand how malaysia system works.

Maybe the PM and DPM & some of their boys never visited IJN before. I hope they go and visit the place and decide whether to sell it to Sime.

Will SIME play "con" mission and pay commision at the same time?? If SIME want to provide cheaper and affordable healthcare for the poor, they should consider create a new wing for the poor in SJMC and all other sime's related hospitals.

How on earth Sime will do charity work for Malaysian?? Maybe they just want good cardiologist to be siphoned to SIME hospitals and get foreign consultants from Bangladesh or India to replace IJN consultants and charge the same rate. Hmm maybe this way they can make RM 100 million profit to boost their current bottom line.

SIME will promise sky to CON BN and pay them some COMM, IJN is not SUBMARINE, DPM & PM don't play with fire. Maybe you guys will predict UMNO will fall and try to sell all Government link companies and get some pie. I strongly believe you guys are not that naive to believe these ULAR !

Wake up BN, if you guys are smart you should create more IJN to force SIME , KPJ, Pantai and the rest of the hospitals to lower their fees. Healthcare is a lucrative business, but don't put us poor people poorer. BN= Bangunlah Nyanyuk, dun fall prey to SIME proposal and put rakyat at risk.

If not because of IJN our family already spent close to RM 100,000.

Maybe the next move SIME is going to offer is Health Insurance, to all fellow Malaysian. SIME Insurance.

BN Status QUO please!!! If BN dun have CERDIK project, just stop being smart and listen to RAKYAT.

ERRRRR, geramnya saya.

WHat puzzle me most is BN will consider their proposal.

Even a layman like me will reject this proposal ! what to consider? Hire consultants? Hire more people to study this ? create a 500 pages proposal @ a price !!!

Wake up BN

YapAhLoy
By bahashah on December 19, 2008 10:02 PM

Assalamualaikum Tun,

I totally agree with you. The government should leave IJN alone. If Sime Darby want to take over IJN , they should match words with deeds. Their health flaship SJMC, has never shown real caring attitude to the patients going there.

When once I was admitted to SJMC for a chest pain this was how I was treated by SJMC:
First, they wanted an initial deposit of a few thousand dollars before giving a full treatment.
Secondly, they would not perform an investigative treatment, unless I agreed for a full treatment.
Thirdly, they would not allow me to use their ambulance to send me to another goverment hospital but

instead told me to get a private ambulance.

Lastly, they told me to pay first for the preliminary treatment that I received there before I could go to another hospital

This is my horror story and I have heard of so many horror stories from patients who have dealings with SJMC. Thus if Sime Darby could not carry out their social responsibility through their flagship SJMC, I wonder how they could do a good job in IJN.

In comparison when I was admitted to IJN at 12 midnight, they were doctors and staff who treated me kindly and admitted me without hassle. Stories that I have heard about IJN are all praise.

I agree with Tun and urge the government to reconsider in giving up IJN. This is something we should not give up. It is our life.

I am glad that Tun is leading the movement to save IJN.

Bahashah

By anti-korup on December 19, 2008 10:04 PM

Totally agreed with TDM..what about poor and low income people if IJN was privatised...but seems like DSAAB not really happy with this..only future PM show interest.

By shahrul on December 19, 2008 10:05 PM

some people just like to play as a god...sighs..

By wisdom67 on December 19, 2008 10:05 PM

Akum Tun,

BN politicians r brainless after u left, but during yr time they r brainless too.... u use yr brain for the country.....n now what they do similiar to yr timethey r still brainless....they thought by privatisation is always sucessful.

By Dr faizal on December 19, 2008 10:05 PM

Dear Tun,

This is my first time in giving a comment in your blog. I certainly agree with you. With no doubt, IJN is one of the most successful institution especially in the cardiovascular fields.

I cannot understand why the front line, ruling government had agreed to the rubbish idea :(The rakyat will warned the government in the k.terengganu parliament election that is just around the corner.

Tun,

I think, all this rubbish idea were not happened during your time. Prime MInister Abdullah and his current deputy is totally not deeply concern about the rakyat.

It makes me, one of the common rakyat, feel very sad and disappointed. Why this can be happen to our beloved nation and country.

If they cannot afford, if they are not ready and willing to help the rakyat, especially the poor, Why they are still given a chance to govern our beloved country ??? MELAYU MUDAH LUPA.

Tun,

Please held a media press conference, address a clear message to the Mr Prime Minister and his deputy,that they are not doing a wise decission as they should be. please Tun. if you can save the IJN from privatization, you already help a lot of people. With Allah's permission, only you can do this task.PLEASE.

By ,Melayu merantau on December 19, 2008 10:14 PM

Assalamuailaikum Ayahnda Tun

1. Sudah lama saya tidak menulis didalam blog Ayahnda Tun, mungkin kerana teramat sedih kerana kebiwaan kerajaan Pak Lah makin dihujung perjalanan.
2. IJN sebuah hospital jantung kebanggaan semua rakyat malaysia dari golongan miskin, sederhana, kaya,jutawan dan billionwan.
3. Apabila IJN dijual kepada Syarikat-syarikat yang kaya, sudah pasti kebanggaan rakyat sudah hilang terutama dari golongan miskin dan sederhana. Bagi mereka digelar jutawan dan billionwan mungkin mereka anggap masih murah untuk masuk IJN.
4. Apabila rakyat miskin dan sederhana sudah hilang kebanggaan dengan IJN maka rakyat miskin dan sederhana mungkin diam memprotes dengan mengundi parti lain untuk masa depan mereka.
5. Sekian lama kepercayaan mereka terhadap BN sudah hilang dan mereka mula memberontak dengan memberi undi kepada parti lawan.
6. Yang untung besar syarikat awam, kaki-kaki lobi di MOF untuk dapatkan kelulusan menjual IJN , bapak-bapak menteri yang ada kepentingan, dan Parti pembangkang.
7. Yang rugi RAKYAT MALAYSIA, MELAYU,CINA DAN INDIA menanggung tidak berlagu.

KESIAN IJN HILANG IDENTITINYA.

By azhari on December 19, 2008 10:23 PM

Salam Tun,

I am from Sarawak and this is my first time commenting in your blog. I cannot help but to respond in full support of your view in objecting to the privatisation of IJN. I have not been to IJN and I don't have any attachment to it but for the sake of the poor people of Malaysia, I also urge the Government to stop this stupid idea of privatising the IJN. Perhaps, they can tell us how Malaysians would benefit if IJN is privatised.Perhaps,they know something that Tun does not already know but from your writing above I doubt very much they could come out with anything better.

By SuperBloggerAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 10:24 PM

my thoughts...

privatisation is a proven way to improve quality of services rendered by an organisation.
however, whether it will continue to serve in the interest of public is still questionable??

i guess we just have to wait and see.

;))

By Suzaku_V on December 19, 2008 10:24 PM

Assalamualaikum TUN,

Its true what u said. Privatization can only means one thing, efficiency in profit making.

Not just the charges will go up but the working environment will to change to a corporate state of mind instead of an institution of charity.

Look at what happen in the US(i just watch the movie 'sicko' by Michael Moore). I think we better come

out something like the NHS in the UK.

Maybe you can elaborate more on why we cant do something like that.

salam sejahtere TUN and family semuga sihat walafiat.

By Sharu on December 19, 2008 10:26 PM

Dear Tun,

I certainly agree with you on this issue 100% as I can't understand the rationale behind the proposal to privatize IJN.

I mean why the government have to sell away a very well functioning and well respected institution?

Today, our future PM Datuk Seri Najib said as was reported in the papers that "it is important for Sime Darby to give high priority to social programme if the company is interested to acquire the IJN"..

My question is until when they will bare the social responsibility?

Sooner or later, like any business entity their motive would be to maximize profit, so how they are going to ensure that the poor can have the same treatment at an affordable price?

I urge and beg to the government to leave IJN alone as it is already providing an excellent service. It has what many institutions don't have, PEOPLES' FAITH.

Sharu, Port Klang.

By marakarma on December 19, 2008 10:28 PM

ASSALAMUALAIKUM TUN

HAPPY 83TH BIRTHDAY

<http://news.msn.com/article.aspx?cp-documentid=1841998&page=1>

Tun Dr Mahathir Mohamad turns 83

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GLIMPSES OF THE MAHATHIR ERA

No other name has been so closely knit into Malaysia's recent history than Tun Dr Mahathir Mohamad. Fondly called Dr M, he was Malaysia's longest serving Prime Minister, occupying that seat from 1981 to 2003. A man of all embracing vision, one can say without a doubt Malaysia's former premier always spoke his mind.

On December 20th, our 'Bapa Pemodenan' turns 83. In celebrating his birthday, we take a look back at the premiership of the much loved and often controversial Dr M.

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By YapAhLoy on December 19, 2008 10:30 PM

Dear Tun,

Just a continuation of what I wrote just now.

1. Now I have a clearer view after reading the latest update from the STAR. It seems not the doctors of IJN wants IJN to be sold.

2. IJN is under MOF , looks like some Powerful man in MOF want this deal. Hey my guess is right: to this joker, IJN = Helicopters + Submarines.

3. This guy has no mercy for Poor Rakyat

4. This guy only want commission !!!

5. Again this Powerful MOF guy want Terengganu to go to PAS.

Hurray, BN paving way for another disaster for themselves.

YapAhLoy

By kimhong on December 19, 2008 10:31 PM

Dear Tun,

I'm glad that you are at this side on this matter.

Healthcare and education are supposed to be government's two most important responsibilities. If they are all privatised, then what is left to our government to do?

By zahar on December 19, 2008 10:31 PM

my prime minister dr mahathir mohamad, you make me proud of you!

By Tembikai on December 19, 2008 10:33 PM

i smell money...

By zahar7767 on December 19, 2008 10:37 PM

Saya bersetuju dengan pendapat TUN. Kenapa perlu nak diswastakan IJN? Adakah mereka ini tak cukup lagi duit yang mereka dapat. Benda yang elok untuk rakyat hendak diambil daripada rakyat. Iaitu pihak IJN telah memberi harga yang murah untuk sesuatu treatment utk pensakit IJN. Tidak kira orang kaya atau miskin. Mereka ini masih tidak faham mengenai kebajikan rakyat yg perlu disediakan oleh mereka. Yang penting bagi mereka keuntungan yang segera diperolehi oleh org-org tertentu. Mereka ini tak fikir kebajikan rakyat. Kalau macam ini penganti Abdullah saya rasa BN akan kalah sekali lagi.

By abdullahajAuthor Profile Page on December 19, 2008 10:49 PM

dearest tun,

i doubt that sime can maintain the current price IJN is charging. Being a corporate body and answerable to its shareholders, profit is the end of the game. There are many heart patients cannot afford to be treated at IJN at the current rates what if it is privatised.

Kota Kemuning

By paan-TTDDI on December 19, 2008 10:51 PM

soalan..

kenapa sime darby?

apa track rekod sime darby ni?

1. mereka dah take over 2 syarikat perladangan terbesar di malaysia - patut jadi sangat hebat laa sekarang!?

- tapi yg sebaliknya berlaku.. Sime darby jadi lagi rugi! rugi pada urusanniaga pasaran hadapan! pelik kan?

2. Sime darby juga take over auto dealership - apa jadi kepada division auto mereka? lingkup! lepas 1

quater take over.. terus merah!

3. Sime Darby juga dah take over Subang Jaya Medical Center - dah tukar nama pun jadi Sime Darby Subang Jaya Med. Center - harga bilik dah di naikkan..! tu belum harga lain lagi tu! kos perubatan lain!

so.. secara logiknya lah..! ada ke satu syarikat awam yg berorientasikan keuntungan yg nak berniaga tak mau untung? mana ada! perolehan mesti di tambah dari satu suku ke satu suku akan datang! kalau pendapatan stagnant.. maka di katakan syarikat tidak lagi berkembang dan berdaya maju...!

apa cara Sime darby nak kaya cepat? Di malaysia ni.. punya lah ramai orang sakit jantung! semua orang pun bertumpu ke IJN! situ lah tempat terbaik utk cetak duit sekarang!

gila.. aku sakit perut baru ni masuk sunway medical center .. total bil 12,800! kalau sakit jantung berapa lah? mau 200-300 ribu!

aku melawat kawan aku kt IJN ari tu.. buat bypass .. company cover.. baru berapa eh.. puluh2 ribu jugak!

kalau dapat kt Sime darby.. abis laa! kos insuran akan jadi tinggi..! semua pun tinggi!

taken from bincang.net ...

By 1 United Bangsa Malaysia on December 19, 2008 10:52 PM

Together For 1 Nation, 1 Malaysia as 1 United Bangsa Malaysia

Privatisation of IJN

To Tun and All Malaysians,

Congratulations Tun that something dear to your heart still hurts you when taken away. Spare a thought on so many things dear to the Rakyat's hearts which were not resolved because our leaders are not issues focused. All that they are concerned is power and Mega Ringgits and KPI success is measured in Mega Ringgits as the yardstick for corporatisation. Social Responsibility and Rights of the Rakyat are the responsibility of each of us regardless of your income tax contributions at higher than corporate tax rate of 27%.

Social Responsibility under the guise of Charity; by the rich and the famous are made with mileages in mind and not from the heart. What have human race become?

Is Malaysia too small for all Malaysians to be obsessed with self gratification, pride, egos, self denials of our failings and wastages of money, resources and time? Malaysian deserved better than Ringgits and Sens when the basic needs of care and love; food and shelter are not even addressed by our master planner and tacticians.

Singapore was ours and poor at the point of split. RM1 equal to SGD1 and the new nation of Singapore depend heavily on Malaysia for trade and survival. But today at SGD1 equal to RM2.37 our poor servant is now too expensive and lord over Malaysia without any natural resources. "Tuan sudah jadi Hamba dan Hamba sudah jadi Tuan."

What have Singapore got that Malaysia is missing after 5 decades?

Together For 1 Nation, 1 Singapore as 1 United Bangsa Singapore

Bukan Melayu sahaja Mudah Lupa! Warga Negara Malaysia pun Mudah Lupa!

Bangunlah Malaysia Lupakanlah segala-gala yang tak betul. Bersatu padu, sejiwa dan sehati melaungkan Majulah Bangsa Malaysia Majulah Malaysia detik ini.

It is never too late if only we set our differences and nurture our strengths in diversities of race/religion/languages/cultures; dll. As 1 United Bangsa Malaysia. Sekelip mata sahaja with our God's endowed natural resources Together For 1 Nation, 1 Malaysia as 1 United Bangsa Malaysia surely RM1 = SGD1 is not a dream. It should even be better.

Lets not waste another 50 years as we will have to meet in heaven. Before then, we may suffer the fate of a Malaysians Condominium (MC) jointly developed by a private developer with land from the Local Council which is now managed by a Joint Management Body (JMB) formed under Act 663 with effect from April 2008 .

The JMB is Chaired by a cohesive minority group with 3 foreigners of the small traders and working class. 4 of the Joint Management Committee members are also related by marriage and blood tie. No audited accounts was presented for 1 decade since 1998. The JMB is also not able to provide any monthly accounts since April 2008 and buy time under Act 663 that the accounts will be audited in due course!

A sum of RM3.2 millions Sinking Funds billed by the developer/property manager appointed by the Local Council since Day 1 was not accounted for.

No action was taken by the JMB on the RM3.2 millions and instead JMB now intends to collect further Sinking Funds from owners although JMB have given notice on 8 May 2008 to owners that JMB waived the 7 sens psf Sinking Funds.

All these are happening with full knowledge of the Authority without any enforcement action made against the JMB to address the issues.

Surprise of surprise some of the first owners listed in MC are royalties, Tan Sris, Datuks and high ranking civil servants together with foreigners of the expatriates class.

What a fall from grace and Rakyat Malaysia continue to face shoddy maintenance and services and facilities not provided but billed for by the developer/property manager and now The JMB!

Perhaps fellow 1 Bangsa Malaysia, you may be able to assist to resolve the 1 decade old issues faced by MC?

Rakyat MC do not want a repeat of Bukit Antarabangsa when the 40 odd storey's MC lifts crashed with lost of lives.

Thank you.

Together for 1 Nation, 1 Malaysia and 1 United Bangsa Malaysia.
By JEBAT-GB on December 19, 2008 10:52 PM

YB Tun,

Mengapa BN perlu mengswastakan IJN? Adakah kerajaan tidak dapat mengendalikan IJN yang begitu penting kepada semua rakyat terutama golongan miskin. Adakah BN tidak ada perkara lain yang ingin dirombak?.

Sepatutnya BN perlu merombak isu penting seperti sistem persekolahan hari ini yang tidak dapat menyatukan rakyat menjadi "Malaysia". Lahirnya pemimpin bukan Melayu dari generasi baru yang seolah-olah begitu jahil tentang sejarah Malaysia. Anak-anak hari ini begitu terasing diantara satu sama lain berbanding dengan generasi dahulu. Ramai yang tertanya mengapa jadi begitu. Jawapannya mudah sahaja iaitu sistem persekolahan yang berpecah mengikut kaum masing-masing.

Sekiranya pemimpin Melayu terutamanya ragu-ragu untuk memainkan peranan yang penting ini, maka

Malaysia akan menghadapi masalah besar pada masa hadapan. Inilah yang diinginkan oleh puak-puak yang mempunyai agenda jahat terhadap Malaysia yang irihati melihat Malaysia diketuai oleh Melayu.

Renungkanlah...

By keris panjang on December 19, 2008 11:00 PM

Salam YABhg Tun,

Kerajaan Persekutuan yg ada sekarang memang ternyata kebodohnya..
Dalam keadaan seperti sekarang ini, sepatutnya kerajaan memikirkan langkah2 popular untuk mendapatkan semula sokongan rakyat keseluruhannya..

Alasan dan jaminan oleh kerajaan dan sime dirby tidak masuk akal..

Keputusan tidak popular ini akan menyebabkan kerajaan bertambah sukar untuk mendapatkan sokongan sebaliknya parti pembangkang akan menggunakan isu ini dengan sebaik2nya untuk political milage mereka..

By lissa on December 19, 2008 11:01 PM

Assalamualaikum Tun,

Saya setuju dengan pendapat Tun. Kerajaan perlu memperhalusi langkah untuk mengswastakan IJN. Tidak semua institusi yang ada di negara ini akan memberi menafaat yang sewajarnya kepada rakyat apabila diswastakan.

By nottingham81 on December 19, 2008 11:01 PM

Dear Tun Dr Mahathir

Happy Birthday!! May you be blessed always =)

greetings from students abroad..

By malaysiaku on December 19, 2008 11:02 PM

Salam Tun,

Sometime,I feel BN leaders should have their head examinations.

By BabyTasha on December 19, 2008 11:07 PM

Assallammualaikum Tun,

Last ke chedet.com Ucapan Hari Raya Haji daripada Tun. Agak sibuk dgn tugas dan baru balik berkursus. Org Ekonomi kursus belajar Agronomi. Kebetulan Langkawi dikatakan tempat mula2 Lada (Piper Nigrum) ditanam oleh pendatang Aceh ke Tanah Melayu. Masih adakah pekebun lada di Langkawi?

Tahniah dan terima kasih kepada Tun kerana selepas Raya Haji artikel2 Tun bagi saya sangat menarik dibaca, penuh dengan maklumat dan kurang atau tiada langsung SERANGAN POLITIK. Cuit sikit2 tu kira oklah.

Berbalik kpd tanaman lada tadi. Apa kata Tun usahakan menanam lada barang 100-200 pokok di Langkawi. Saya rasa kebun lada ni boleh dijadikan tarikan pelancong di Langkawi. Mat Salleh ramai yang tak pernah tengok pokok lada. Mungkin MPB (Malaysian Pepper Board) boleh membantu Tun kerana MPB memang bercadang memperluaskan tanaman ini ke seluruh Malaysia. Sebagai makluman Tun, pada masa ini lebih kurang 95% pengeluaran lada Malaysia datangnya dari Sarawak.

Sekian untuk kali ini Tun. Teruskan menulis.

Wassallammualaikum.

BabyTasha

Sri Aman

By btyeo on December 19, 2008 11:09 PM

Hello Dr Mahathir

I have always been a great admirer of your achievements and I agree with you totally that IJN should not be privatised simply because they are doing a wonderful job serving the people's needs. Sime Darby is a conglomerate, their main purpose is to make as much money as they can out of their investments. If they are not going to charge exorbitant fees for services rendered, how else are they going to get returns from their investments. They are not entirely planning to run IJN out of charity.

By Abangchak on December 19, 2008 11:14 PM

Assalamualaikum wrt Tun -

Harap Tun & isteri sihat2 selalu.

I think this proposal needs to be evaluated deeper. It cannot be a "typical" privatisation deal - not for an institution like this.

A while ago, I read an article by Bill Gates (I believed in Times magazine) - called Creative Capitalism. Gates suggest a new business model that involves partneship between corporations, government, NGO and people - so that everybody gains, and nobody is left behind. Perhaps Tun is familiar with this, and can share your thoughts in future blogs. If anybody can think "out-of-the-box", it is you !!

p/s We all miss you, Tun. Your famous signature is still on the back of my birth cert. (BCG immunization in the 70's at MAHA clinic)I left to work abroad in 2003 and never was in M'sia under Pak Lah' administration. Perhaps I didn't miss much !!

Salam from Houston,TX.

By Reewa on December 19, 2008 11:17 PM

Salam Tun,

Saya setuju dengan pendapat Tun 100%. IJN untuk rakyat, bukan untuk korporat.

Regards.

By HayatiN on December 19, 2008 11:17 PM

Assalamualaikum Tun,

We already have enough private hospitals charging exorbitant fees,so there's no need to add another.

Happy Birthday to you and may Allah bless you and family always.

By che set on December 19, 2008 11:20 PM

Salam sejahtera Tun sekeluarga yang dikasihi.

Nampak jelas kepimpinan Pak Lah adalah pelingkup bangsa Melayu.Inilah wajahnya apabila golongan 'warak' diberi peluang mentadbir negara.Dengar kata Mat Sabu pun teringin nak jadi Perdana Menteri Malaysia.Tolonglah!Kalau lembu kita boleh buat korban,orang-orang ni lebih rendah mertabatnya dari lembu.Sebelum berundur banyak lagi kerosakan akan dilakukan dengan niat 'membunuh' Tun Mahathir.Bab IJN ini sahaja sepatutnya sudah membolehkan Umno undi tidak percaya kepada kepimpinan Pak Lah.Gerakan Penghapusan Petualang patut dilakukan sekarang.

By zul on December 19, 2008 11:32 PM

assalamualaikum Tun yg di kasihi.....sekiranya Tun berpendapat bahawa privatise IJN adalah kurang bijak, ini bermakna yg pihak kerajaan tidak membuat kajian terperinci/sedalamnya. apa pun, semoga Tun sihat untuk terus memberi pendapat mahu pun kritikan yang membina. wslm.

By Nishan on December 19, 2008 11:35 PM

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TUN. YOU ARE MY INSPIRATION!! TAKE CARE TUN

BEST REGARDS,
NISHAN

By Arachnid Islamabad Author Profile Page on December 19, 2008 11:36 PM

Dearest Tun,

Like you, IJN has also helped my family. Although not directly but they helped us with making the necessary decisions with regards to one of my family member.

Though I do not agree with some of the things you said about IJN's efficiency when treating the poor and the rich, I do agree that the privatisation will result in more bad than good. I think there is a hint of greed when it comes to this privatisation. It might relate to the way some people are thinking at the moment - a US-like insurance based medical treatments.

It will come a time when IJN will charge people (rich or poor) an arm and a leg to do surgery on their hearts. It is up to the people to agree to pay. If they can't pay, they will have to seek aid elsewhere. And I believe that this is the true motivation for this privatisation.

By nase on December 19, 2008 11:37 PM

Salam Buat Tun,

Apakah motif sebenar pengambil-alihan ini..?

Apakah rasionalnya seorang MP 'muda' dalam akhbar Utusan Malaysia hari ini mencadangkan bukan sahaja IJN tetapi hampir keseluruhan hospital pakar jantung milik kerajaan diambil-alih oleh Sime Darby..?

Siapakah sebenarnya dibelakang urusan ini? Jika mengambil-kira sekitar 2% fee juru-runding, jika nilai IJN sekitar RM800 juta, tentu puluhan juta RM juga feenya.

Kalau betul Sime Darby ingin kembangkan pusat jantungnya, ambil sajalah beberapa hospital pakar swasta terutama milik asing yang dah amat terkenal 'nama'nya.

Harap2 penangguhan urusan ini terus kekal. Jika tidak, akan bertambahlah rayuan derma di media untuk mencukupkan perbelanjaan bedah nanti.

By atanmatsaman on December 19, 2008 11:40 PM

Che Det,

Correct correct correct.....follow your heart! You have my backing.

atan mat saman

By imran on December 19, 2008 11:40 PM

I think Pak Lah should berambus earlier is better lah. Benda mudah macam ni pun dia tak boleh pikir. Pak Najib pun 2 X 5 gak. Nampak sangat Pak Lah dengan Najib ni tak de people sense and people touch dalam jiwa depa. Dok asyik harap penasihat 24 jam.. Jenis pemimpin malas berfikir.. So silalah

blah...Whatever it is UMNO mesti kita sokong, cuma pemimpinnya yang kena blah..
By imran on December 19, 2008 11:43 PM

Kepada Pak Lah dan Najib. Tolonglah jangan buat benda2 yang memalukan UMNO dan org Melayu. Tindak tanduk tuan2 buat org Melayu/UMNO nampak bodoh. Tolong pass baton kat org Melayu yang cerdik sikit macam Rais Yatim tu.. Kita ada brain leaders tapi tak diguna. Dok harap Master of Warlords jek yang memimpin UMNO. Bilalah UMNO nak kembali pulih ni. Rasa macam menanti buah yg tak gugur2. Takkan nak tunggu kucing bertanduk kot.
By Melayu Baru on December 19, 2008 11:45 PM

Dear Tun,

Agreed with you tun..wounder what was the agenda behind this privatisation.

Moga sihat selalu tun.
By Kob Satu on December 19, 2008 11:45 PM

assalamualaikum Dato Sri,
Saya setuju 100%, jangan privatise yg ini, pasal kesihatan jangan main2. walaupun hari ini saya ada RM500 ribu, tapi saya tak mau guna utk bayar perbelanjaan IJN. Inilah duit saya utk hidup dengan isteri setelah pencen. berapa lama bolih tahan, kalau kena belanja utk kesihatan, kalau hidup 20 tahun lagi mcm mana. tak kan selepas bayar belanja IJN lepas itu saya kena minta sedekah utk makan seharian sampai mati. saya tidak akan teragak2 undi parti lain sekiranya kerajaan buat senang2 dalam hal ini. jangan lah pandang bolih jimat ratus juta sekiranya dibuat privatise, ingat sama bolih memerintah lagi atau tidak. sudahlah rakyat kena bayar mcm2, ini pun kena juga. benda lain bolih tunggu, pasal kesihatan mana bolih.
By azienmat on December 19, 2008 11:49 PM

Woww.. Woww.. Woww..
perrghhh..
By Aizad on December 19, 2008 11:49 PM

Selamat Hari Lahir ke-83..
By zana on December 19, 2008 11:57 PM

Assalamualaikum YB Tun,
1.Saya rasa seperti ada pihak yang mahu menghapuskan legasi Tun secara perlahan-lahan.Mungkin ini prasangka saya saja,saya tidak pasti.
2.Melihat saja barisan lembaga pengarahnya,mmm....salah seorangnya yang lantang mengkritik Tun.Mungkin hatinya 'sehitam' namanya.
3.Harap ditangguhkan terus cadangan penswastaaan ini.
4.Masih menyimpan keratan akhbar yang menyiarkan berita Tun menjalankan pembedahan pintasan di IJN dahulu.
5.Rasa lambat pula menunggu DSAAB turun dari 'Tahta'.

Walau bagaimanapun,Semoga Tun menjaga kesihatan Tun.Walaupun Tun tidak mengenali saya,saya dan suami sentiasa mendoakan kesejahteraan Tun dan Tun Siti Hasmah.

Semoga Tun dirahmati Allah dan ceria selalu.
ROZANNA HUSSAIN
By sitinur on December 20, 2008 12:00 AM

Asalamualaikum bapak...
ini lah perbezaan paling ketara antara kepimpinan bapak n dollah badawi....dollah hanya tau memerah keringat rakyat tapi bapak memberi inspirasi kpd rakyat utk memajukan diri....saya terasa mcm dijadikan hamba abdi oleh kepimpinan dollah badawi....segala2nya terasa kami

rakyat yg mesti menanggung kos perbelanjaan dollah n keluarga..
penat.....

By bcteh on December 20, 2008 12:00 AM

Selamat Harijadi kepada Tun!!

By Mei Lan on December 20, 2008 12:02 AM

Dear Tun,

Just want to wish you happy birthday!!

By billyboy on December 20, 2008 12:08 AM

Mr.Tun, you are not bias but is your status had made you been treated well during your treatment in IJN (i guess).

Serve the poor in the country usually is a big headache to Government and any of organization because it just increase the expense without any return. If IJN has to stop keeping loss, i think there only has two ways (of coz, is 'my' personal two ways):-

1) INCREASE the wealth of country and DECREASE the money corruption as low as well. (the stupiest answer always been forgotten by 'smart' people)

If one country rich, then only they can serve the poor without profit/loss conflict due to CSR (Corporate Social Responsibility). The government dont want to bear the loss of IJN shows that our country is poor. Got money to build 'castle' in Klang but did not serve the citizen. Pity....

so i always talk to my friends: "Malaysia is a very NICE country but the Malaysian Government not so NICE."

2) Management of IJN

There must something to able to fix the financial problem. Cut cost is usually the know well solution. According to Sin Chew Jit Poh few days ago, our country has excessive doctor and nurse trained. Of course, i dont know what to do to improve the management os IJN because im not of it, but if some organization occur losses, i guess the CEO should able to do somethings. If i talk so much here, i should able sit on his/her CEO chair and not reply comment in here.

Anyway, this is my comment. I still hope Government can support this IJN as well to save many lives. And please, no more mistake in any surgery as i saw too much that baby's hand had to cut off due to nurse's mistaken.

Doctors and nurses, your few seconds mistaken can just simply bring down a person whole life. Take note that, dont spoil your reputation as well our country, Malaysia.

billyboy

By M. Shahirasul IdrewoodsAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 12:09 AM

Now Sime Darby (?? already hold) about to have 51% controlling stake in IJN. Good for people perhaps, that the sake of rakyat health are now in the hand of some people who will become main "controller" who shall be playing God.

Is there necessary for Sime Darby to do so? Why not just open up a new private hospital specialising in its expertise area. Man, I never know that the greedy of the west has come to the east - who are willing to put money above anything else.

To them: Welcome to corporate world and enjoy enjoining multinational that are squeezing our neck by pressing it harder!

I'd like to pose one question: Do they have to squeeze local's neck in order to make rich?

And that is Malaysian culture (perhaps not all) - Jagoan kampung!

Well, dont take this the wrong way, should I make anyone feel bad, do recover quickly and read my post for christmas and new year greetings.

<http://alephprime.blogspot.com/2008/12/nollaig-chridheil-agus-bliadhna-mhath-r.html>

Shahirasul Idrewoods

Financial Article

<http://duitduakupang.blogspot.com>

Web of Debt - Ellen Brown

<http://www.bricksmind.com>

By y2yAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 12:13 AM

Does Sime Darby have the intention of making IJN part of their CSR?

Happy Birthday!

By edfazly on December 20, 2008 12:14 AM

salam

secara peribadi tidak bersetuju dgn penswastaan IJN

sekalipun sime darby tu GLC tetapi saya tidak yakin ia dpt melakukan CSR dengan baik..

Sime darby sebuah syarikat yang berdasarkan keuntungan, jadi jikalau berlaku penswastaan maka, akan berlaku peningkatan kos operasi seterusnya meningkatkan kos perubatan yang ditanggung oleh para pesakit

By Buyong on December 20, 2008 12:20 AM

Somebody is sodomizing this beloved country of mine!

By teacher on December 20, 2008 12:26 AM

HAPPY BIRTHDAY DEAREST TUN....

YOU ARE ALWAYS LOVED BY EVERYONE OF US...

YOU WILL REMAIN SPECIAL IN OUR HEART.. NO ONE CAN DENY THAT..

WE KNOW THAT YOU A HAPPIER MAN THIS YEAR ;-)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY AGAIN AND AGAIN AND AGAIN AND AGAIN...

By XBB on December 20, 2008 12:26 AM

The people who approve this privatisation is not thinking for the benefit of the people but for themselves. Simple at that. Further disappointment with the move of the government. What's next?

By ib_yusof on December 20, 2008 12:27 AM

Dear Tun,

Saya bersetuju ngan pandangan Tun, kalau diteruskan juga, Kerajaan BN seolah-olah mengundang bencana pada PU13, BN ni tak fikir ke masalah rakyat, dah la rakyat dah meluat dan menyampah, dok

buat perkara2 yang menyusahkan rakyat. Depa ni nak bagi PR memerintah agak nya.

regards

By haa33Author Profile Page on December 20, 2008 12:39 AM

dear tun,

menswastakan IJN ni kerja gila kalau diteruskan. Agreed with you totally that it should be as it is today.

Tak dapat nak dibayangkan kakitangan kerajaan macam saya ni yang sekarang dgn GL dpt bantu orang tua termasuk mertua mendapatkan rawatan utk meneruskan sisa sisa kehidupan di sana.

kalau Sime Darby dah pegang 51% dah tentu sebulan gaji saya tak dapat nak tampung kos ubat-ubatan mereka. Ni tak termasuk lagi kos rawatan kalau perlu masuk wad.

apakah rasionalnya? Sejuk sikit bila baca Najib kata ditangguhkan tapi bukan dibatalkan!!!!

lebih baik DAP memerintah kalau macam ni

By detguaqAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 12:42 AM

To the honorable TDM,

I feel so sad when at this crucial moment there still got a 'demon' likes human try to act like Dracula. They only think how to sip/suck money and as well as power from every opportunity without thinking the long run result of their action. Where they put their sense of belonging to the nation when everything they want to change it into golden eggs. And finally nor their next generation or ordinary people like me get the benefit.

For this type of people, we should not tolerate to them anymore. There should be no more chance to them to play as a role in highest political stage.

We must put the 'fullstops' to their carrier before too late to do so. All this must have a force ending to them.....

Don't think that citizen like me will let it pass and only said"" lantak kaulah labu...."

I said this because "Aku Sayang UMNO" and Malaysia.....

MasyaALLAH.....

By kaa2121 on December 20, 2008 1:07 AM

Dearest Tun,

Happy birthday and may Allah bless you always.

By Zahari S on December 20, 2008 1:10 AM

Assalammualaikum YBhg Tun Dr. Mahathir,

I totally agree with your stand on the privatisation of IJN. As you've mentioned, IJN provides safety net for heart related conditions to Malaysians from all walks of life, especially for government servants and pensioners. Without such safety net, then heart conditions treatment will be out of the reach of government servants, pensioners and the rest of Malaysians who can't afford the treatment from private hospitals.

We are aware that Sime Darby has taken over the Subang Jaya Medical Centre and the propose taking

over of IJN would complete their stable of medical facilities. What Sime Darby should have done is to build their own heart specialist facilities and complement IJN so that Malaysians would have more choice on where they want to be treated.

Anyway, the propose takeover has been shot down by the government by virtue of the announcement made by Dato' Sri Najib.

It seems to be the right thing to do but the issue of IJN's privatisation shouldn't have come up in the first place.

Lastly, our humble thank you to Tun for highlighting the IJN's privatisation issue and we are forever grateful to Tun for continuing to represent normal citizens in raising the issues that affecting citizens of Malaysia.

Regards and Wassalam

LoyalCitizen
Shah Alam
By major (r)hj.anuar abd hamid on December 20, 2008 1:15 AM

Dear Tun,

After all the blunders in which Pak lah and his half past six government did ,I think this is the worst,only morons can agree to the idea of selling IJN to Sime Darby.

Pak lah , Najib and all the Cabinet Ministers, the Rakyat will never ever forgive this stupid decision to sell IJN to Sime Darby.You and your government will be cursed forever,the RAKYAT had enough of this stupid ideas.STOP IT !
By Dr.Know on December 20, 2008 1:18 AM

Tun Che Det,
Maybe SD forecast 80% of their heart patients in the near future will come from the rich people sector.From their research they conclude that poor people will have less heart problems.
TQ.Rgds.Dr.Know
By IQIN on December 20, 2008 1:22 AM

Salam Tun,
I can see your point. I was thinking of it also. I always proud that Malaysia have such hospital and it is a government hospital. Really hope that they keep their words that we dont have to pay more.
By saidshikin on December 20, 2008 1:30 AM

Akum Tun,
Hoping you are in good health besidebeloved family. I do not know well better than you do regard the IJN but from my bottom heart agreed with you. We have so many specialist hospital at current why not the goverment contribute certain insentive to the people where they already contributed a lots while their were in well situation. Nobody instead the staff who like to serve for people would like to be admitted but heart deases was unexpected. May be the current leader being fluent by Kingdom Hospital!! Whatever TUN you comment maybe 5% affected but pls continue the critisation may be for young leader....
By HzYAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 1:34 AM

Tun,
Saya bersetuju dengan pandangan Tun. Kadangkala government telah membuat satu stigma seolah-olah semua institusi yang berkaitan dengan kerajaan akan dikaitkan dengan prestasi yang lemah. Kalu di privatise akan lebih effesien. Bagi saya ianya tak semestinya begitu walaupun sebahagian besarnya kita tidak dapat menafikan bilamana halacara pengurusan yang bersifat konvensional gagal untuk menyaingi pengurusan yang berasaskan komersil.

Tun.. sempena dengan 20 Disember.. Selamat menyambut Harilahir yang ke 83.. semoga panjang umur,beroleh kesihatan yang baik. Moga pengalaman, wisdom, instinct boleh dikongsi bersama.. ke arah Tanah Melayu yang lebih berjaya.

Hepi Birthday

HzY@SUBSSiput

By silbi_manahaj on December 20, 2008 1:39 AM

This is a real blunder if it comes true; privatization of IJN. IJN has been managed efficiently thus far, especially in providing very specialized service to heart patients who are from the low_income group. The wealthy can go elsewhere for treatment, including going overseas. The poor have only IJN to go to. Sime Darby should not be poking their nose into this institution which has done good service to the people. Why disturb IJN. If reward for the specialists, doctors and staff can be quadruply raised by Sime Darby taking over, this issue can be tackled by the Government.

Sime Darby should compete in the open market like what its SJMC doing very well now, not robbing IJN which has managed to discharge the Government's social responsibility all these years. Even a stupid man cannot accept the argument that Sime Darby can take over IJN without charging extra to the poor. This argument makes no sense. Is Sime Darby prepared to take over IJN and not making profit? Nonsense!

You are right Tun! Not only will the Opposition use this issue to lambast the Government; this is the beginning of the end of Barisan Nasional if this issue is not properly tackled.

INI SEMUA ALAMAT DAN PETANDA BARISAN NASIONAL KHASNYA UMNO YANG SEDANG KARAM AKAN TERUS TENGGELAM, NA'UZUBILLAH.

Kalau boleh diswastakan untuk faedah rakyat dan negara, sudah pasti zaman Tun lagi IJN diswastakan. INILAH BEZANYA PENGSWASTAAN BIJAK DENGAN PENGSWASTAAN TERLAJAK.

By bob on December 20, 2008 1:39 AM

Dear Tun,

Its sad to hear such prestigious institution is proposed to be taken over. The govt may be considering that its too much for them to subsidise it. But really if it is subsidising, the govt should consider applying the system to other private hospitals. I am sure there is a long waiting list at IJN. What the BN govt would gain is that it shows it cares for these patients. But turning the institution into private will benefit the rich only. Where will this poor patients turn to? Its just morally wrong!

By musso on December 20, 2008 1:47 AM

1) I think someone is trying to make money out of it.

2) Talking about money, as far as everybody's concern about money politics, it is happening now and then, even during UMNO top position candidacy nomination process, several mil of RM already changed hand, can we imagine how much the amount will be in March 2009.

By albert ch lee on December 20, 2008 1:48 AM

Dear Tun,

I hope my comments find you in excellent health and may abundant blessings be with your family.

Kindly refer:-

1) The details of IJN privatization should be released, scrutinized and should NOT to be approved unilaterally by the present administration. Already too many opaque transactions have been whisked through public scrutiny.

2) Look at the Value Cap issue.

3) Remember the merger of the 3 plantation companies, with Sime Darby involvement.

4) Hospitals, utilities and educational institutions should not be profit-centres and cash-cows to listed conglomerates. They should never leave government hands in the first place. In Sydney where I lived for 8 years, the best hospitals belonged to their government. That is where our tax-payers' money should go to. I don't wish to see my tax going to Value Cap, Sime Darby, Eurocopter deals whatsoever, as I also have no idea what GLC's that my EPF savings will be directed to next.

5) Why can't we let incompetent government-linked companies fail and let those responsible learn from their mistakes? Forget Wall St., look after Main Street. Forget the connections, focus on the people who need help.

6) My message to the present administration - if you have become so brazen that you totally disregard the voice of your citizens, if you think you are entitled to absolute power that your actions cannot be checked, your defeat is certain at the ballot box.

Pardon me for saying, Tun, if no one can come up with a feasible and intelligible plan to save our flagging economy, then they don't deserve to be in government. Reducing petrol prices 6 times is to garner the votes of simpletons, don't our administration know that deflation causes more job losses?

Vote those self-serving politicians out quickly to avoid further damage to our country.

Albert CH Lee

By Warisan Kubang pasu Author Profile Page on December 20, 2008 1:54 AM

Tun yang amat dikagumi

Assalamualaikum..didoakan moga Tun dan keluarga sentiasa di dalam lingkungan rahmatNya.Ini kali pertama saya membuat komen di ruangan ini tapi saya tak pernah terlepas mengikuti ruangan Tun ini. Saya merasa amat bersyukur kerana hidup di bumi bertuah Malaysia terutamanya semasa di bawah kepimpinan Tun. Malangnya segala kemajuan yang telah Tun lakukan selama bertahun demi kepentingan bangsa dan negara telah dihancurkan satu persatu oleh pengganti Tun dalam masa yang amat singkat.Apa yang saya perhatikan kebelakangan ini amat-amat mendukacitakan. UMNO yang ada pada hari ini makin tidak boleh diharapkan lagi menjadi payung kepada bangsa Melayu.

Tolonglah Tun..tolong pulihkan kembali keadaan.Perjuangan belum selesai..kita telah dijajah kembali..yang lebih peritnya kita dijajah oleh bangsa sendiri yang tamak haloba..

Penswastaan IJN yang dicadangkan bukan lagi untuk kepentingan kemajuan bangsa dan negara, tapi hanya untuk kepentingan individu tertentu.

Sehingga ke hari ini saya tidak nampak sebarang usaha dilakukan untuk memulihkan UMNO. Yang saya nampak hanya usaha-usaha untuk menguburkan terus UMNO.

Saya akan terus menyokong Tun, dan saya amat-amat pasti terlalu ramai yang sentiasa menyokong Tun. Kami akan sentiasa berjuang bersama-sama Tun.

Terima Kasih.

Warisan Kubang Pasu

Kampung Lantrum

Changlun

Kedah.

By Captain on December 20, 2008 2:00 AM

Assalamualaikum Ayahanda Tun,

Saya sangat setuju dengan pendapat ayahanda, saya harap kerajaan akan menghentikan skim gila ini....biarlah IJN berjasa pada rakyat Malaysia...

2. I understand Ayahanda why did you privatise the other govt project. It had to be done.

3. I always believe in whatever decision you make ayahanda because you will never make any decisions without studying it first. That what make you different from the others. You always have the 'Midas Touch' and I sincerely love you for that sir.

Please take a good care Ayahanda, we need you still, its been honour to live under your guidance.....
By m.n.a on December 20, 2008 2:04 AM

Salam Tun,

Totally agree with you Tun...Saya juga banyak persoalan yang rasanya tak terjawab tentang kerajaan ingin menswastakan IJN..
Benefit sama ke~? Untung ke Sime Darby kalau ambil alih IJN..
Of course diorang nak making profit but how kalau tak dengan charge yg bertambah...

Agaknya siapa punya idea and dalang laa disebalik keinginan Penswastakan IJN nie...aper laa motif diorang agaknya...

Tak tercapai Akalmu.. ;)

By S..Tan on December 20, 2008 2:06 AM

Dear Tun, salam mesra moga sihat sejahtera.

.....SELAMAT HARI JADI !

Happy birthday Tun Mahathir. May God bless you for the good you have done and forgive you for your human failings. Life at the peak...everything flows downwards, only arrows point skywards.

Only those with the sight, might and height reach greatness. Moga panjang usia, bahagia sentiasa , rezeki berpanjangan, hidup penuh aman.

Dari Anak Malaysia (My dad is about your age Tun. He was a poor sawmill worker till he retired. No complaints here.)

By Nizam Rahman on December 20, 2008 2:08 AM

Assalamualaikum Y.A.Bhg Tun,

Di kesempatan ini saya ingin mengucapkan Selamat Hari Lahir buat Tun yang ke 83, semoga Allah akan panjangkan usia Tun dan dilimpahkan kesihatan dan kesejahteraan yang berpanjangan. Wassalam
Nizam Rahman

By mustafa aziz on December 20, 2008 2:17 AM

Tun, kalau tun kata hati tun dekat dengan IJN, saya pun begitu juga kerana saya salah seorang patient IJN tahun 1996, sebak rasa bila kata nak diswastakan. Kerajaan mesti adil dalam perkara ini, dah banyak yang kerajaan dah untung, takkanlah IJN pun nak buat untung?Akhirnya rakyat yang susah.

By raz126 on December 20, 2008 2:19 AM

salam Tun,

saya sangat setuju dengan Tun....

diorang ni buat keputusan ikut senang diorang

duit masyuk (untung diri sendiri).. sampai lupa

org2 yg tidak berkemampuan kt bawah ni...

anyway saya mengambil kesempatan untuk mengucapkan terima kasih

atas jasa dan sumbangan Tun kepada Malaysia di mana saya adalah

salah seorang yang merasai nikmat nya....

dan hingga saat ini sy percaya Malaysia masih memerlukan Tun....

tq

By kpmTemiang on December 20, 2008 2:20 AM

Assalamualaikom Y Bhg Tun,

Memang betul apa yang Y Bhg Tun kata tu, saya setuju 100%,tak ada logiknya langsung untuk diprivatkan. Si bodoh manalah yang nak buat bisnes rugi. Kadang2 kita pun tak faham dengan depa tu, banyak hal termasuk yang lain juga kalau orang biasa pun boleh nampak tak betul apa yang depa nak buat kenapa agaknya depa buat juga ya. Nak kata bodoh ...pandai.. tapi kalau pandai ngapa gitu??????

By kamaluddinAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 2:27 AM

Mengapa tiba-tiba hendak diswastakan IJN.

Mereka yang hendakkan angsa berteluremar itu tidak pernah memikirkan masalah politik yang melanda. Kalau boleh angsa itu hendak disembelihnya.

Apakah kerajaan telah bersedia menerima kritikan dari rakyat yang memerlukan perkhidmatan IJN demi kepentingan puak tertentu?

Bila mata sudah kelabu akal tidak boleh berfungsi dengan baik.

By Zolkifli Jaffar on December 20, 2008 3:06 AM

From what I gather among my peers, most are fed up with the current attitude of the BN led government. The BN government seems to be deaf and are not having their ears on the ground "that people are really fed up" with the current happening. After losing much ground in the last election, BN government seems to carry on with their business as usual, thats " Penswastan ". SSM information service counter is the latest and now they are looking into IJN.

Petty thieving, car break in and house break is happening every where. If you note in most housing "Taman" are having their own security despite the police claiming our crime rates is one of the lowest in the region.

You cant help but notice where ever you go in Malaysia, even to remote villages. You meet Indonesians, Negros, Myanmar and etc. Many Taxis and buses are driven by this people. Some of them are selling carpets, clothes, ice creams and personal accessories openly in our kampongs and tamans. Our City, Bandar, Kampong and street are not safe anymore but the police still claim our crime rates is one of the lowest in the region.

Now this orang asing are daring enough even to beat our locals. This matters have been raise by our

locals in the papers with police reports and even our wakil rakyat have raise the matters in Parlimen. However I and my peers fail to note any positive action taken by the BN Government on this matters.

I am going point blank here, I and many of my peers don't like PKR, DAP or PAS for reasons of our own. But if the current situation does not change for the better, we only have two choices.

One is to pray to Allah Lord of the Universe that the same suffering affecting our daily life. Allah The Almighty should divert most of the adversity to all our Ministers and top government officials and may be some of it to their spouses, children and relatives, may be only then positive action are taken to erase our grouses.

Two at the next election leaving us with no choice may be we have to vote for the Monkey instead.

By jahaberdeenAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 3:11 AM

Tun Sir,

Salam. I totally agree. IJN should be left alone. I was shocked to read that corporatised IJN was going to be privatised. I was even more shocked to read that private sector Sime Darby has some peculiar economic knowledge that will enable them to maintain the current charges! I am not such a believer to accept that corporatised rates will equal private sector rates. You are right, privatisation of IJN will certainly raise many eyebrows because many in the "business side of the heart" know how profitable it can be once left to the market forces. So, why give it to the market forces? This move must be resisted.

Salam.

By raj Kota Samarahan on December 20, 2008 3:26 AM

Dear Tun,

I agree with you on the privatisation of IJN in not a good move but what is the reason to privatise it in the first place? One day i hope i can shake your hands as it has been one of my dreams since 1999.

By captainAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 3:56 AM

Dear Sir, It's so funny why a business cooperation like sime darby wants to take over IJN when the bottom line is there is no money. I am sure there,s money to be made or they will adjust the system so that they make money and in the process make IJN as any other private hospitals in the country. Sime Darby owns Subang Jaya Medical Centre (SJMC) and they are aware how lucrative medical business is and therefore they are getting IJN because they will never run out of patient. I believe almost 80% to 90% of patient with heart related disease in the country are treated there, so all the poor people who hope that they have a cheaper treatment is in for a suprise. What is wrong with these people, why disturb something that is running well and without any problems. I guess IJN's problem just started and they will successfully mess it up and be happy about it. God Bless.

By Bersyukur on December 20, 2008 4:05 AM

Yang Berbahagia Tun,

Moga moga dalam sihat dan sentiasa diberkati Allah.

To me, privatising IJN is the same as privatisong the government hospitals. If Sime Darby wants to have something like IJN in their fold, create one. Pusat Perubatan Johor owns many provate hospitals. Follow their footsteps.

Really wonder why the Government sort of agreed to privatise IJN. Many people disagree.

Apa nak jadi ???

By Azadin Jaafar on December 20, 2008 4:08 AM

Salam sejahtera Tun,

This is not about power. Neither is this about control. My simple belief is, this is all about pure greed and jealousy. Two of the most heinous of deadly sins. "Agama, bangsa dan tanahair" are just a sing-along rhetorical slogan being overused for this purpose. I am deeply saddened by these latest development. To me, IJN is one of the many government created bodies which is sacrosanct to the normal citizens of this country especially the un-"rich" or "privileged".

Somehow or rather, the "puppetmaster" who is orchestrating this sick "shadowplay" has no quibbles, let alone any sense of humanity in even pushing this so called "brilliant" idea forward. How sad, if this person's only agenda is "V" for vendetta even after 20 years..

Semaga Allah sentiasa Melindungi diri Tun berdua.

Sincerely,
Azadin Jaafar
By pujangga7Author Profile Page on December 20, 2008 4:13 AM

Dear Tun,

I totally agree with your point# 12 "The Barisan Nasional Government is not too popular today. Why do something that may give the opposition another issue to belabour the Government".

I wonder what cross the minds of the 2 leaders when they are considering privatisation for IJN. Once privatised, the government cannot expect Sime Darby to stop making profit. As a GLC, they have "scorecard" in performance and if became liability, the CEO will be replaced.

My message to PM & TPM, leave IJN alone!. Rakyat has already suffer under those 2 leadership, don't bring more suffering to rakyat. Don't repeat the "oil price" fiasco...until now the price of good remain high.

Regards,

<http://www.my-security-at-home.com>
By mytpe on December 20, 2008 4:45 AM

Dear Tun,

It is about money on one side and about doing good deed on the other side. It is about balancing social responsibility on one side and taking care the shareholder needs on the other side. Both the govt and Sime Darby can walk the tight rope well. Both are rich to take any losses if there should be. I am not sure if this is one of the remaining plans of things to do found in the 4th floor sacred diary, but are they close to every one hearts ?

By sal on December 20, 2008 4:46 AM

salam tun, what d stupid comment by AAB to privatised IJN? He think d sime darby is just to make charity???? I totally not agree with this, but, who are we to protest. We only can comment from outside. Hope Tun can do d best to resolve this matter.

By Liemm on December 20, 2008 4:50 AM

Salam Tun,

Moga sihat hendaknyer....ermmmm mcm tu la government yg ada skrg... nak lepas tangan...setiap apa yg dilakukan sejak kebelakangan ni semua mangkin menyusahkan rakyat...yang senang menteri2...kabinet2...da rakan2 meraka jer... Kalau da menteri kewangan tak mampu nak menguruskan IJN sekali pon, pikir lah alternatif yg lain,...mcm Tun kata, kalau da mereka Sime Darby boleh ikut semua syarat2 yg di tetapk kerajaan, buat ape nak kasi mereka??..apa alasan nya??..teruskn je mcm biasa..bagi pendapat sy

cuma ada 2 jawapan..pertama kerajaan tak nak menanggung rugi untuk menampung cost perubatan rakyat yg kurang mampu.. kedua..ada pihak tertentu mendapat habuan dari pemindahan ke sime darby??..tu je alasan yg kita nampak.....kena ingat Sime Darby nak amik ke kalau IJN tak boleh buat duit?? mungkin dalam tahun pertama, kedua or ketiga Sime Darby ikut syarat2 tu...lepas tu..depa kata tukar policy mereka kata tak boleh survive cost meningkat, so charges n fees kena naik....who knows??..

so sama2 lah kita undi Barisan Nasional yang membela menteri2,kabinet2 dan kawan2 mereka...pasal rakyat..lantak depa lah....

wasalam...

By lakshy on December 20, 2008 5:10 AM

Sime Darby already owns and runs the most expensive healthcare centre in the country.....the former Subang Jaya Medical Centre.

(an expensive place to go to die. They are quite courteous. They give you a running tab to see how long you can keep your relatives alive, and to let you see by when you wish to pull the plug)

Why does SD need to take IJN? Why does a profit based operating company such as SD-SJMC need to take over its "competitor". To have a monopoly I guess! This would not be allowed in many parts of the world. But in Malaysia.....boleh!

If SD wants a heart centre, why not use its money and build a new one? Why take over IJN? Wouldn't that be better for the country? Let supply exceed demand so that the charges go down.....but no....no business and profit minded organisation would want that would they? So the best way to increase profits would be by taking away the competition.

Barisan Najis govt will proceed with it regardless of the objections from the rakyat. Since thats the case, why are other parties not allowed to bid for IJN? Why is it being handed over on a silver platter to Sime Darby? Lets have a competetive bid, but first get some professionals to evaluate what it is worth.

At this rate, better watch out. Its only a matter of time before GH and UH also go in the same direction.

By rizalAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 5:39 AM

Saya setuju dan menyokong penuh pandangan Tun.....Hidup IJN

By rizalAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 5:49 AM

Saya sokong pendapat dan pandangan Tun.....Hidup IJN

By zari on December 20, 2008 5:56 AM

Dear tun,

despite of what ever your personal feelings toward IJN, I absolutely agree with you. There is no necessity for that IJN to be privatised. The organisation, their service, their track record has proven.

Yang saya tak faham tu kenapa organisasi yang sebesar itu (sime darby) nak sangat IJN tu.....ye lah mudah kan everything dah ada....everything govt. dah sediakan.

Saya fikir kalau sime darby nak sangat mereka boleh buat seperti yang sama atau yang lebeh baik....tapi mereka takut a nak buat pasal sapa nak pergi kat depa.....public at latge dah ada IJN.... yang kaya raya ada Tawakal, Glen Eagle, Subang Medic, Hospital Pantai, Pusat Perubatan University.....Ampang Socialist center...

Untuk kerjaan: Janganlah menggadai sedikit kemudahan yang PATUT disediakan pada kaum pendapatan rendah. Let the people enjoy the facility dan be proud at least and about the last in their life that there is a govt yang perihatin.

As tn reminded: Dalam masa kerajaan BN yang rapuh ni jangan lah nak uat isu isu yang menambahkan kebencian raayat pada kerajaan. Cukuplah kerana kebencian raayat kepada satu dua individu dalam BN dan especially UMNO....(Presiden skrg...anak menantuya). Nanti ditambah pulak kebencian raayatpada presien yang akan ditabalkan tak lama agi.....

By cooldragon1976 on December 20, 2008 6:01 AM

Salam, Tun. Terlebih dahulu saya ingin mengucapkan selamat hari lahir buat tuan. Secara kebetulan, hari lahir saya juga jatuh pada hari ini. Pada waktu saya bersekolah dahulu saya pernah menjadi sasaran rasa cemburu sesetengah orang disebabkan persamaan kita ini!

Memang benar IJN satu organisasi yang sgt berjaya dan bagi saya, patut dijadikan contoh oleh semua organisasi lain di negara ini tidak kira awam atau swasta. Pakcik saya sendiripun pernah menjalani pembedahan bypass disana. Semua kakitangan IJN yang saya pernah jumpa memiliki lebih service attitude berbanding dengan business attitude!Ini membolehkan mereka mencatat kejayaan demi kejayaan yang seolah-olah tidak disedari oleh sesiapa!

Sebarang perubahan yang positif adalah sangat dialu-alukan.

Sekian.

Hassan Baser, Sri Gombak

By ZAYDIN78 on December 20, 2008 6:09 AM

ASSALAMUALAIKUM...TUN YANG DIKASIHI.

KAMI SEKELUARGA MENGUCAPKAN SELAMAT MENYAMBUT HARI LAHIR YANG KE 83. SEMOGA ALLAH SWT MEMANJANGKAN USIA TUN DAN DIBERI KESIHATAN YANG BAIK SELALU HENDAKNYA. KAMI SEMUA AMAT MENYAYANGI DAN MENGAKUMI DAN BERSYUKUR KEATAS SEGALA BAKTI YANG TELAH TUN CURAHKAN UNTUK MALAYSIA TERCINTA. KAMI MASIH LAGI MENGHARAPKAN AGAR TUN DAPAT LAGI BERBAKTI BAGI MEMANTAPKAN PEMBANGUNAN DAN MENINGKATKAN MARTABAT MALAYSIA DI MATA DUNIA.

SALAM RINDU DAN KASIH KAMI UNTUK TUN BERDUA...SELAMAT HARI LAHIR...

...JAMALUDIN AWANG SEKLUARGA..78, ALOR STAR.

By tandahaxAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 6:20 AM

Dear Tun,

Selamat Ulang Tahun daripada kami sekeluarga, semoga bertambah kesihatan. Terima kasih atas semua jasa-jasa Tun terhadap Negara dan kami bangga menjadi anak Malaysia.

Semoga panjang umur,

Hidup Tun M

By docjitra55 on December 20, 2008 6:51 AM

Dear Tun,

The Corrupt UMNO government is jolting the hornet's nest, and this time it is going to cost them the Kuala Tereanggu seat. Beware! The rakyat is watching and the price that UMNO has to pay is very costly. They never learn and will never learn. The petrol issue hasnot been well addressed and this is going to make matter worse.

How can the poor and the pensioners which made up 80% of the patients at IJN to pay even a fee of few thousands? The greedy UMNOs and its associates must be punished and punish to the core of their bone-marrow. This is the time the government must use the PETRONAS money to show the caring government it is championing. The rakyat is only waiting for PRU13 to venge their anger. Most of the UMNOs topbrass has no blog like you Tun, so they dont understand and did not get the necessary feedback. The got their feedback from their 'spin doctors'. This government must be removed at any cost if this privatisation project takes off, for many other institutions will be privatised soon to feed the greedy

UMNO leaders.

By ibumimi on December 20, 2008 7:11 AM

I do not agree too....not to mention the poor, pensioner..even middle income people like me will hesitate to go n get the treatment.

SJMC bills is never been cheap...what more if it's heart surgery!

People r happy with the current IJN management...why not they maintained it.

By JimmyHillhead on December 20, 2008 7:11 AM

Sir,

Salam to you, Tun Hasmah, all your family members and all Muslim bloggers. To non-Muslim, Good Day, Mate.

When I first heard about this matter, my questions were:-

A. Why?

- I have lots of questions but I think they will remain unanswered. I agreed with your statement -

"9. There are far too many questions about this privatisation which need to be answered. Some I think cannot be answered."

B. Who is the group behind it?

- Sime Darby Bhd. Fine, that is on the paper. We knew that Tun Musa is the Chairman of Sime Darby, a closest ally of AAB. We knew that Sime Darby own Subang Jaya Medical Centre but why not KPJ Bhd. KPJ own chain of hospitals and it is own by a Johor State's corporation. They are the leading corporation in medical business.

Who will be the beneficial owner of the deal? What is the shareholding structure of the company? Who is the controlling stakeholder?

Again, I agreed with your statement -

"9. There are far too many questions about this privatisation which need to be answered. Some I think cannot be answered."

My only answer to this deal is that somebody has decided to take IJN as part of his pension plan.

Your comments, Tun.

Jimmy Hillhead.

Edinburgh, Scotland

(At the end of the season and looking forward to a quiet holiday with my family before the school open next year)(I need that break as my family has complained that I am starting to neglected them)

By annatilla on December 20, 2008 7:21 AM

Assalamulaikom...Tun Mahathir.As far as I know IJN is not as helpful as it is.It is still a "rich man club".My friend Abang Abdul Nasser Abang Suut got to pay RM300.00 just for consultation fee.He said the cost of the open-heart surgery maybe more then that.He got operated in Kuching which was just RM2,500.00.This was in year 2001.Now he is bubbly healthy.It really contradict of what you said that IJN is also helping the poor. For your record my friend is a restaurant worker and is own his own.Please correct me if I am wrong.Thank you.

By abbebakarAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 7:25 AM

Yang Berbahagia Tun,

1) Di bawah kepimpinan Abdullah Badawi Islam Hadhari, kumpulan swasta pun mula memikirkan kebajikan yang dulunya banyak ditanggung oleh kerajaan. Terima kasihlah Sime Darby. Terima kasihlah Pak Lah kerana berjaya para pemodal untuk membuat khairat, tapi barang-barang keperluan rakyat biasa terlalu membebankan.

2) Sebagaimana Tun, dibimbangi pengswastaan IJN mendatangkan kesan kepada golongan rakyat miskin. Tak pa kot, orang miskin jarang sakit jantung (Tun kata 80% mereka di IJN), yang kaya duit banyak di IJN atau di luar negara pun boleh. Sime Darby dapat buat lebih banyak pahala.

3) Atau sudah ada tukang kipas, kecemerlangan IJN sudah menjadi lubuk wang. Siapa yang bakal dialu-alukan memasuki gerbangnya?. Malaysia boleh!

By abduallahAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 7:36 AM

I agree with Tun. I'm a government pensioner and had a coronary bypass two years ago. It was a successful operation done by a very competent team of doctors, and looked after by very friendly and well trained nurses. One may get the same or even better treatment when it is privatised, but on a cost that lower income or even middle income patients will not be able to afford let alone the poor. IJN is one of the best specialised hospitals of its kind in the region and moving towards to be one of the best in the world. Let it be.

Former patient & a friend of IJN

By amir3333 on December 20, 2008 7:40 AM

Asalamualaikum,

Buat my dearest Tun,

Thanks again and again, saya tak tau la apa ada dalam otak Pak Lah dan Kabinet melalut ni, di masa kita tengah kuat bersedia untuk hadapi rakyat di P36 K T dia buat onar lagi. Untuk pengetahuan Tun ramai orang di K T pergi ke IJN termasuk sepupu saya pesara kerajaan bekas attendant hospital besar KT, jika ia di swastakan bagaimana kah kos untuk menampung perbelanjaannya ??? DS Najib sedang memulakan langkah sumbang ketika ingin menjadi presiden Umno. Apakah beliau ingin dikenali sebagai Bapa pengswastaan Institusi kesihatan Malaysia ??? Apakah kelak imej beliau pembela koporat dan bukan rakyat ?? Tidak kah beliau ingin menjadi seperti bapanya yang membela rakyat sehingga ketika kematiannya ribuan rakyat menangis termasuk saya dan bapa saya !!!

Jangan la hendaknya kita kepimpinan UMNO membuat tindakan DANGKAL yang menjauhan lagi rakyat dari kita. RASAI LA KESUSAHAN RAKYAT JANGAI DOK HANYA JAGA KRONI KITA DI BAHAGIAN !!!

JANGAN TANGGUH,, BATALKAN SAJA POLISI INI. BIARLA PERTANIAN ADALAH PERNIAGAAN JANGANLA DITAMBAH KESIHATAN, KESAKITAN DAN KESUSAHAN RAKYAT ADALAH PERNIAGAAN. KELAK ADA PEMIMPIN UMNO DI BALING DENGAN KASUT NANTI,,, SEDAR LA SEBELUM TERLAMBAT !!!!!

By mamak on December 20, 2008 7:49 AM

Salam Tun,

Kakak saya nurse kat IJN dia berpeluang merawat TUN dulu dan dia sangat berbangga dapat berhikmat untuk Tun,

Tolong nasihatkan si Najib ni sat,

IJN tu dah cukup bagus tak payah nak kacau IJN,

Kalau nak buat duit tu tak payah lah guna IJN, banyak lagi cara lain,

Saya cadangkan depa ni buat dulu sesuatu yg sama macam IJN tu kat tempat lain(Sabah,Serawak,Penang atau Johor) dan depa uruskan tempat tu macam mana pun yg depa suka dan jika terbukti cara depa lebih baik baru mai uruskan IJN.

Tak payah nak berebut, banyak lagi pesakit kat Malaysia p buat IJN yg baru, bagi rakyat tengok depa punya kerja(Najib dan Sime Darby)kalau boleh buat IJN baru yg lebih hebat lepas tu mai usik IJN ni ok la.

Rakyat kat kampung dah mula naik meluat kat Najib,

Harap dia tak ikut bos dia yg dok ada la ni.Buat malu Penang saja.

Tak habis-habis dok tidoq.

Harap semua pihak faham, semua keputusan yg akan dibuat akan memberi kesan kepada pesakit dan keluarga depa.lebih lebih lagi kat org-org miskin macam kami ni.

Jangan nak berpolitik kat tempat yg salah,

IJN bukan tempat berpolitik.

Tun,

Sebagai orang yg terhutang budi kat IJN, saya rasa Tun masih ada CARA untuk kekalkan dan selamatkan IJN dari depa ni.

Kami org kampung minta Tun selamatkan IJN,

Semua yg bergelar pemimpin belajar dengar suara rakyat kalau tak mau kena laknat dari tuhan.

tak lupa jasa staff IJN akan sentiasa dihargai

Terima Kasih.

Maaf kalau ada yg tersalah kata.

P/S Kak we are proud of you from Ana,Hazim,Iman and the geng.
By nazribz on December 20, 2008 7:53 AM

Assalamu Alaikum...

Another proposal which needed to be questioned is the necessity of a second railway company. As it is, it may be just another way for somebody connected to make money (by setting it all up at inflated costs) and then after "operating it for a year" dumping it on the government to take over (with the same old excuses). In the meantime, they have pocketed their money. A few projects come to mind following the same script.

How many times must we go through this?

By 6august1951Author Profile Page on December 20, 2008 7:59 AM

Tun & Rakan Bloggers,

Saya telah dibedah di IJN untuk pintasan jantung pada July 2007. Sepupu saya pula beberapa tahun yang lalu. Setelah menerima pembedahan ini, kemungkinan besar kami perlu mengambil ubat-ubatan

sepanjang hayat.

Bagi sepupu saya tu ok lah kerana beliau bekas kakitangan kerajaan tetapi tidak saya. Saya perlu membayar yang kos yang banyak untuk ubat-ubatan setiap bulan. Walau bagaimanapun, syukurallah yang saya dapat bantuan dari badan kebajikan IJN untuk ubat-ubatan dan saya perlu bayar sebahagian sahaja dari kos bulanan.

Soalnya, boleh kah pihak yang ingin mengambil alih IJN akan memberi bantuan seterusnya kepada orang-orang seperti saya ni yang saya percaya begitu ramai sekali. Bukan kah pihak yang ingin mengambil alih tu memang memandangkan keuntungan yang BESAR untuk pengambilan alih ? Kalau tidak, kenapa susah pilih IJN? Bukan kah banyak lagi badan-badan lain yang boleh dipilih ?

Seterusnya, IJN sememangnya banyak menerima derma dari pesakit-pesakit dan orang ramai yang sangat berpuas hati dengan perkhidmatan IJN. Kemana duit-duit tu akan pergi sekiranya ianya akan diambil alih oleh pihak yang ingin mengambil alih ini ?

Harap kerajaan fikir-fikirkan lah hal rakyat... Minta lah pihak yang hendak ambil alih tu buat peniagaan lain yang tentunya lebih menguntungkan dan biarkan kerajaan uruskan IJN ni.

Terima Kasih.

By WanAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 8:02 AM

Happy Birthday Tun.

May God bless you with many more birthdays to come.

By kyototan on December 20, 2008 8:15 AM

A very Happy Birthday to you Tun. Without IJN not many can rach 83.

By zaleebp on December 20, 2008 8:20 AM

IJN...the institution to help poor people to get treatment. It is was Tun idea. I will never forget it. The by election in Kuala Terengganu is on the way, BN just won the seat majority below 700 votes..if the BN government to continue to privatise the IJN, i could not see how BN going to retain the seat.Actually they are helping opposition to put one more seat in parliament.

Keep writting and give your brilliant idea Tun..myself and family will always pray for Tun and wife.

By sharm al sheikh on December 20, 2008 8:27 AM

Salam Tun ,

Betul , kenapa IJN sebuah institusi yang telah banyak berbakti kepada masyarakat perlu di Privatekan ?.

Sime Darby -patut melihat segmen lain yang lebih menguntungkan .

Biarkanlah IJN sepertimana matlamat asal penubuhannya tanpa ada unsur unsur mencari keuntungan.

Memo drp Doc Doc Pakar semalam menjelaskan mereka tidak tamak dan menuntut gaji lebih sepereti digembar gemburkan .

Kerajaan BN- tidak sepatutnya menyokong usaha ini.

Rgds

Sharm Al Sheikh.

By Metal Militia on December 20, 2008 8:28 AM

yeah! saya sokong anda..

nasib baik dato' najib suruh tangguh...
kalau tak..entah la..haih..
By pkAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 8:36 AM

Dear Dr M,

It's all about our poor RAKYAT the \$\$\$ burden is getting heavier over the years since you left Dr M.!
By rl on December 20, 2008 8:39 AM

Dear Tun,
It is heartening that Tun has voiced out about this issue.
One simple question, how would Sime Darby benefit from it if charges are controlled and what are the motives behind?
If this is a business deal Sime Darby will lose out based on ever increasing medical costs.
Some hidden issues behind that we do not know.
When Tun voiced out, everyone is worried because Tun is our former PM and a very intelligent one.
Today's paper, Deputy PM has announced that the deal is on hold.
Tun, please voice out on prices of basic goods that have not come down after drop of fuel prices.
Appreciate that Tun is our voice to check and balance the administration.
May Tun stay healthy always.
By ninja on December 20, 2008 8:44 AM

Dear Dr M,

I always have this opinion that if ones want to make money they should not be a doctor.
There is this coffee shop talk about a very prominent businessman from Malaysia where the advice that he got from his father the three businesses that he should not touch:
1. Entertainment also read Gambling
2. Hospital
3. I cannot remember exactly what it is.

Well he seems to be following the advice.

Regards
By Kassim Mohd Hussain on December 20, 2008 8:54 AM

Salam Tun,

May each day you'll continue to enjoy the good day. "Happy Birthday!"

May other service providers, be it private or government, are able to emulate the success story of IJN. I see no reasons why others can't do it, if their staffs continue to get professional training and imbued with the right attitude towards giving a superlative service to those needing their services. Everyone is important.
This has to be the order of the day.

Upon acquiring this right attitude and put it into practice, the big corporations and the government will certainly benefit it, and so will the employees; unless both the big corporations and the government adopt to be selfish and choose not to compensate/reward their employees fairly.

If Malaysians working in neighbouring countries can provide world class service, why not here in Malaysia!
By Khairi25 on December 20, 2008 9:01 AM

Assalamualaikum Tun,

Saya ingin mengucapkan selamat menyambut hari lahir yang ke -83. Semoga Allah panjangkan umur Tun, serta di berikan kesihatan yang berpanjangan. Saya ingin juga mengucapkan terima kasih kerana jasa Tun kepada negara memang tidak pernah saya atau sesiapa pun warga Malaysia untuk lupakan. Saya amat berbangga Tun berkhidmat dengan jayanya menaikkan nama Malaysia dimata dunia. Harapan saya semoga Tun terus memartabatkan lagi Malaysia dimata dunia walaupun Tun tidak lagi menjadi perdana menteri. Bagi saya Tun adakah idola saya. Idola sebagai bapa pembangunan Malaysia yang mencapai ke tahap dunia. Semoga Allah merahmati jasa Tun kepada agama, bangsa&negara.
By PasculliAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 9:05 AM

Dear Tun,

I was shocked that Sime Darby have the heart to but over IJN and make money out of sick people. And I totally agree with you. I think the government still need yr advice cause there are no quality on the current leadership. Pls help the rakyat especially the poor and blocked the idea of Sime Darby buying over.

By Dr Has on December 20, 2008 9:07 AM

Yg Bhg Tun;

Baru baru ini, adik saya telah dimasukkan ke IJN untuk pembedahan pintasan jantung. Adik saya bukanlah orang berada dan kami sedar kos rawatan untuk penyakit kritikal seperti ini amat tinggi. Walau bagaimanapun, setelah pembedahan berjaya, beliau tidak dikenakan sebarang charge memandangkan isteri beliau ialah seorang kerani di jabatan kerajaan. Saya amat bersyukur dengan kemudahan yang disediakan di IJN. Setelah membaca berita tentang hasrat penswastaan IJN ini saya merasa sangat marah. Kita semua sedia maklum, bahawa dalam perniagaan, keuntungan adalah penting. Jadi saya terfikir bagaimanakah Sime Darby ingin membuat keuntungan jika mereka menerima pesakit miskin seperti adik saya ini? Dan jika benarlah Sime Darby & kerajaan berjanji untuk memberikan pengecualian bayaran kepada orang miskin, kenapakah tidak dilakukan di Subang Jaya Medical Center (SJMC)? Saya ingin tahun, berapa ramai orang miskin seperti adik saya itu mampu mendapat rawatan di SJMC?

Saya fikir, jika kerajaan teruskan juga langkah ini, maka kerajaan ini sangat bodoh & tidak sensitif langsung kepada kehendak rakyat. Malahan lebih bodoh, hasrat ini diumumkan ketika BN akan menghadapi pilihanraya parlimen Kuala Terengganu (KT). Jangan terkejut nanti, isu ini akan dimainkan sepenuhnya oleh pembangkang di KT untuk menunjukkan betapa bongkak dan tidak sensitifnya pemimpin BN & BN akan kalah teruk di KT. Betullah kata Tun bahawa pemimpin BN ini tidak sedar diri...dah lah tak popular...buat pulak tindakan bodoh & tak popular...lagilah marah rakyat kepada mereka. Saya hairanlah, siapalah penasihat2 pemimpin BN ini..

Akhir sekali, ketika melawat adik saya di IJN tempohari, sebaik melangkah masuk ke IJN, terpampang plak perasmian yang ditandatangani oleh Tun. Pada ketika itu, saya hampir menitikkan air mata mengenangkan betapa jauhnya pandangan Tun ketika menubuhkan IJN. Kalau bukan idea Tun yg tubuhkan IJN dulu, dimanalah adik saya & orang miskin ingin mendapatkan rawatan jantung...jika kami diserang penyakit kronik, kami tak mampu hendak pergi mendapatkan rawatan ke SJMC atau ke luar negara seperti arwah isteri Pak Lah yang berbulan2 dirawat di hospital first class di Amerika!!!

Terima kasih banyak2 Tun kerana menubuhkan IJN. Kami sekeluarga terhutang budi & nyawa kepada Tun. Jika bukan kerana idea & usaha Tun menubuhkan IJN...saya tidak tahu apakah nasib yg akan menimpa adik saya dan orang miskin lain...

Selamat Menyambut Hari Ulangtahun Kelahiran..moga Tun dirahmati Allah sekeluarga...

Has

Melaka.

By Sam on December 20, 2008 9:15 AM

In the first place why would Sime Darby want to dump their money in IJN if not for profit? In any business

venture, progressive increase in annual profit is very vital and this is usually achieved by increasing prices/fees charged to the end user. Its a case of what goes up never comes down as far as price of goods and services are concerned. Sime Darby is not a welfare body and will never be. The govt of the day should reject this proposal outright.

By SYAMILLION on December 20, 2008 9:16 AM

i'm glad you had give your thought on this matter. we support you tun. tq.

By Tarmizy on December 20, 2008 9:17 AM

Dear Tun,

Thank you for you view. I am against privatisation of IJN. IJN is one of the best, if not the best institution the we have. If Sime Darby think they can improve IJN then the should build thier own IJN or take over any existing private hospital..but not IJN please.

By HBT on December 20, 2008 9:18 AM

Selamat pagi dan salam Tun,

Tun kata:

IJN = Institut Jantung Negara = Korporasi Kerajaan = Maruah Negara

Langkah BN:

Harga Rokok = RM6 (1 Jan 09) = Kenaikan Jumlah Pesakit2 Jantung = Kenaikan Bisnes IJN = Monopoly Atas Nama Negara = Idea SIL- KJ = Idea Tony Blair = Meningkatkan Living Standard Malaysia = Kekayaan Sesetengah Pihak Bukan Kerajaan Dan Rakyat?????

Pak Najib tidak membantah cadangan 'privatisation of IJN' dari Kumpulan Sime Darby dan Pak Liow mempertahankan bahawa caj IJN akan ditetapkan Menteri Kesihatan, boleh ke mereka dipercayai ?????

Inilah soalan I terbisik di hati kerana mereka ini dah nampak jelas teperangkap dengan pak man telo ponzi scheme dan juga scandal perumahan mewah dan pembinaan tapak swasta yang memang merugikan negara kita pada masa ini untuk mengeluarkan rakyat daripada skandal US mortgage dan subprime meltdown. Langkah ini bukan langkah fiscal dan government spending policies to stimulate our economy tetapi langkah ini merupakan langkah untuk menyelamatkan sesetengah pihak yang terperangkap menggunakan wang rakyat through pasaran saham, Tun?.

Tun, jika IJN diswastakan, ia akan menjadi sebuah korporasi swasta di mana tanggungjawab mereka adalah 'to protect the shareholders' profit. If the business IJN tidak membawa keuntungan, mereka sebagai ahli2 peniaga (mungkin some of our BN's top guns are the ahli2 peniaga inilah) akan memaksa Menteri Kesihatan, Pak Liow, yang ternampak tak berkaliber dan ada sikit perangai penakut dan pak turut, mesti ikut arahan tersebut untuk menjaga periuk nasinya dan juga agenda tersembunyi taiko2 nya Pak Najib dan Pak Ong Tee Kiat, akan menaikkan caj servisnya atas desakan ini.

Sekarang dah jelaslah kekeliruan I, pada masa Pak Liow buat kenyataan bahawa harga se pekot rokok (20 batang) akan diturunkan dari harga RM9 kepada harga RM6 pada 1 Januari, 2009, I keliru kerana rakyat dunia dinasihati supaya jangan merokok, tetapi Menteri Kesihatan kita pula mengalakkan merokok dengan menurunkan harganya. Bila harga rokok diturunkan, namun lebih ramai rakyat akan merokok, jadi jumlah pesakit2 jantung akan naik, jadi more business untuk IJN.

Hm..., sekarang I dah faham apakah muslihat di sebalik cadangan BN kita ini. Tun telah dengar khabar bahawa jika BN hilang kuasa pada PRU 13, mereka akan membuat sesuatu yang boleh menjamin kekayaan dan kuasa mereka pada masa yang akan datang, addakah itu projet2 "keswastaaan" kerajaan yang boleh mengundang keuntungan lebih dan mewah atas nama MONOPOLY KOPORASI KERAJAAN. Tapi mereka lupa rakyat dah bijak kerana che det.

Since Tun dah beri "hint" kepada PR (opposition party), kini I tunggu apakah mereka ini akan buat. I rasa mereka akan diam2 sahaja kerana mereka memang ada hasrat yang sama dengan BN, iaitu memperjuangkan untuk ahli keluarganya tanpa menghiraukan perlembagaan negara, alasan nya ialah demokrasi, oops nama salah, it should be greed (sikap tamak)....

Tun I dengar khabar bahawa Pak Lah kini berada di Iran, untuk bisnes keluarganya lagi ke???? Tak sabar2 tunggu che det memberitahu apakah yang PM ini buat kat Iran, another lawatan peribadi menggunakan pangkat PM Malaysia dan AB 319????

Keeps on writing Che Det.....

I sincerely hope that Tun will have a relax and sweet birthday gathering with family and friends this coming Saturday. HAPPY BIRTHDAY TUN and MAY GOD BE WITH YOU ALWAYS.
By motley crue on December 20, 2008 9:24 AM

Salam Tun and a very good morning to you.

Enough said. The IJN will not be privatized at all. I think we all should be very thankful for your views on the matter.

On another aspect, I would like to wish Tun a very happy birthday. May Allah bless you always. I pray for your health and semoga Tun dipanjangkan umur.

Take care dear sir. Cheers
By peladangAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 9:26 AM

Penswastan IJN merupakan jalan mudah untuk mengaut keuntungan dengan daripada kepayahan rakyat. Kerajaan hanya berdolak dalik untuk menghalalkan cara,

Apakah sebenarnya yang berlaku?
Kerajaan menyatakan kebajikan kakitangan IJN akan diperbaiki dan dapat mengurangkan pengaliran keluar kepakaran.
Sime Darby menyatakan perkhidmatan akan bertaraf profesional dan pelaburan 1 bilion akan disuntik untuk menaik taraf kemudahan IJN.

Apa yang KITA TAK TAHU ATAU BUAT TAK TAHU...
Sektor Kesihatan adalah perniagaan yang menguntungkan. KPJ, PANTAI, SUNWAY adalah hospital swasta yang berteras keuntungan. Pelaburan atau penyediaan satu kemudahan kesihatan yang bertaraf profesional adalah sangat tinggi. Pelaburan 5-10 Billion tidak mustahil untuk hospital matang setaraf IJN. Pelaburan berisiko ini tidak sesuai bagi menghadapi kegawatan 2009/2010

Sime Darby merancang dan berharap kerajaan akan memberi pengurusan 51% supaya mereka tidak perlu mengeluarkan perbelanjaan yang tinggi untuk menyediakan prasarana, HANYA DENGAN BERJANJI (TETAPI SELALU BOLEH CULAS) PELABURAN 1 BILLION, SIME DARBY akan memiliki IJN. Taktik ini penting bagi menghadapi kegawatan ekonomi yang dijangka pada 2009/2010. Jika gawat benar terjadi SIME DARBY dapat menanggungkan pelaburan 1 Billion atas alasan kegawatan tetapi IJN telah menjadi milik SIME DARBY

Adakah kerajaan sudah bangkrap kerana tidak dapat menyediakan 1 billion untuk menaik taraf kemudahan IJN sehingga terpaksa menswastakan IJN. JAWAPAN INI HANYA BOLEH DIJAWAP OLEH CUKONG-CUKONG SIME DARBY DAN AHLI POLITIK kerana mereka berharap mendapat sedikit tempas jika penswastan ini berjaya.

Rakyat biasa pasti akan tertindas kerana penswastan hanya menambah keuntungan syarikat dan pasti perkhidmatan di IJN akan memerlukan kos yang tinggi. RAKYAT memerlukan perlindungan kerajaan kerana RAKYAT yang memilih KERAJAAN, jangan RAKYAT hanya diperlukan semasa memilih WAKIL

RAKYAT sahaja.

From:IJNS(INAS JOHOL N.SEMBILAN)
By adray on December 20, 2008 9:28 AM

Dear Tun,

You're not being biased by saying that IJN is good & give better service. I myself experienced the same thing.

I'm shocked when Gov agreed with Sime Darby proposal. Actually I'm afraid if it happens coz my son is still waiting for his operation date. I maybe sounded selfish but we are self payer. Both my hubby and me are not working with the Government. Quite afraid if the charges will increase.

Hope the gov still thinking about the rakyat.. I rest my case here...

By jeffzainal on December 20, 2008 9:28 AM

My father did a bypass surgery in IJN on March this year. I am very grateful to all the staff in IJN for their great effort and hospitality. I could only see smiles on their faces during the 3 weeks I was there.

By roshah007Author Profile Page on December 20, 2008 9:31 AM

Assalamualaikum Ayahanda Tun Dr Mahathir , Bonda Tun Dr Ct Hasmah dan rakan-rakan di blog che det.com,

1. Selamat Hari Lahir Ke-83, semoga Allah memberi keberkatan dan kesejahteraan kepada Ayahanda, Bonda serta keluarga.
2. Terima kasih atas segala jasa baik ayahanda kepada rakyat Malaysia terutama telah membuka mata kami akan perkara-perkara yang benar tentang kerajaan kini.
3. Anakanda serta rakan-rakan di blog che det sentiasa menyokong Ayahanda dulu, kini dan selamanya.
4. Semoga Ayahanda terus menulis dan terus menulis...

Rose Hadi

By Tahir Jumat on December 20, 2008 9:55 AM

Assalamualaikum TUN Dr Mahathir,

A very Happy Birthday to you TUN

May Allah grant you long live in good health.

Malaysia needs you Sir, so does the Islamic world too.

You may not be perfect, no one is anyway, but you are certainly the Best person for These job.

How I wish you are still the PM of Malaysia till today.

Looks like only you can save Malaysia from what it is today.

Tahir Jumat.

Singapore

By celmosw on December 20, 2008 10:00 AM

Dear Tun,

My father was hospitalised in KK's QE hospital for two weeks before they diagnosed him as having a heart attack.No other procedures were forthcoming,but they put in a pacemaker & then arranged to send him to IJN.Fortunately,my dad is a retired government servant,so all cost were borne by the government.Upon arrival at IJN,he was given the best & most profesional medical care i have ever witnessed.Everything is so clockwork like and my dad underwent the angiogram,then a triple bypass surgery.All the employees of IJN knows what they are doing,from the surgeons & doctors & nurses down to the cleaners & security personal.I was there when Tun was discharged from IJN and it is one of the highlights of my life.You were right when you mentioned that there was not a single complaint about IJN.I

had the opportunity to mix & mingle with all the patients & their loved ones and not once have i heard a complaint about IJN.(There is some grumbling about the food at the cafeteria though).We are not rich people,but not once did we feel that we were segregated.In fact we mixed freely with some patients who are extremely rich.The IJN is indeed a unique foundation & the status quo must be preseved.I would like to add that the IJN is one of your top legacies that you have done for the rakyat.My dad has since recovered and is now fit & healthy and i know that i owe this to the IJN.
By docjitra55 on December 20, 2008 10:14 AM

Dear Tun,

Forgot to wish you "happy birthday" as I had written my comment earlier in your blog. May Allah give you good health and going strong blogging. We enjoy your interlectual discourse.
By lovemalaysia on December 20, 2008 10:32 AM

Good morning Tun, may Allah bless you with many more happy returns of your birthdays.

Well, someone wants to make money, so something of a public property have to be sold.Very good. Thats been happening for a long time before. DS Najis says tat Sime Darby promised to look after the poor, wow i salute Sime Darby for taking the burden off the government in doing charity. Najis is our next PM and look at how stupid he sounds.

PHYSICS SAY,
LIGHTS TRAVELS FASTER THAN SOUND,
THATS WHY PEOPLE LOOK BRIGHTER TILL THEY OPEN THEIR MOUTH...hehehehe

So now you all know looking clever is not clever after all...rite
These bastards will sell everything b4 the next GE cause they know they are screwed.

They just sell everything n stash away billions and ready to fly off this country leaving the next govt penniless...

They will even sell their mother if they get a got bribe and deal...
By 123Author Profile Page on December 20, 2008 10:35 AM

salam tun,

sekarang terbuhtilah ada tangan-tangan gaib di sime darby dengan bonekanya zubir yang tak pandai jadi ceo.siapakah tangan gaib yang mengarahkan ijn di jual ke sime darby?selepas maybank,pantai,westport,iskandar,jambatan ciq..tanga-tangan inilah yang menghancurkan umno yang buat rakyat marah.sekarang tangan gaib ni gunakan sime darby untuk buat lcct baru di tanah orang negri 2500 hektar tanah anak negeri 9 dikasi free untuk sime darby buat lcct.lcct sekarang akan jadi pembaziran,untuk wang rakyat sebab di desak oleh pemilik air asia datuk kali dari pro negeri jiran.betapa banyak wang rakyat dileburkan untuk kepentingan datuk kali pro lee kuan yew akan digadaikan,inikah yang di panggil shop till you drop.betapa pandainya tangan gaib ni menggunakan duit pnb untuk kepentingan poket sendiri selepas kes maybank dan juga kes ijn..adakah tangan gaib ni ingin membuat last buck sebelum pak mertua pencen.

memang sekarang pnb perlu menjawab kepada rakyat malaysia ,melayu khasnya mengapa tangan gaib berleluasa membuat investment atas duit pemegang saham dengan kerugian dari golden hope,guthrie,inp,dan maybank.seharusnya zubir dipecat,datuk kamapiah berhenti kerana membuat keputusan atas kepentingan tangan gaib tanpa melihat sentimen pemegang saham majoriti rakyat malaysia.berhentilah menggunakan duit pemegang saham pnb untuk kepentingan peribadi.datuk zubir dan hamid kamapiah harus meletak jawatan kerana bertindak mengikut perintah tangan gaib bukan kepentingan majoriti pemegang saham.marilah rakyat malaysia keluarkan semua wang anda dari pnb,sime darby,maybank,pantai,dan aset pnb untuk mengajar dan katakan TIDAK kepada TANGAN GAIB YANG INGIN MEROMPAK MODAL PEMEGANG SAHAM UNTUK KEPENTINGAN TANGAN GAIB

BERKEMPEN UNTUK PEMILIHAN PEMUDA MAC INI....

By FMZam on December 20, 2008 10:39 AM

Marilah kita semua, yang suka dan yang nyampah pada Pak Tun, yang terer dan yang tak terer menulis dalam blog ini, yang pro dan yang anti Pak Tun, kita lupakan sekejap perbincangan kita dan kita sama2 ambil kesempatan untuk ucapkan, pada hari ini, 20 Disember ini:

SELAMAT HARIJADI TUN DR MAHATHIR MOHAMAD YANG KE 83 SEMOGA PANJANG UMUR DAN SIHAT SELALU.

By shake_nik on December 20, 2008 10:42 AM

Salam Tun,

Well said, Tun. I could not agree more.

Note - Tun, yesterday (19.12.08) was my 40th birthday. Amid news of old friends making better life or struggling with fatal disease, one question pop up. What have I achieved? Did I make it as I have imagined it 20 years ago or failed miserably? Do I have another 20 years to make good of my promises to myself? Only time will tell. As for Tun, Happy 83rd Birthday.

By anak Malaysia on December 20, 2008 10:48 AM

Salam Tun yang dihormati,

Takde apa cuma nak bertanya kat PM kita tu

Dipeti dr BH.....

Kelmarin, Perdana Menteri, Datuk Seri Abdullah Ahmad Badawi, menegaskan sebarang pengambilalihan IJN Holdings oleh Sime Darby jika dilaksanakan, mesti memastikan golongan berpendapatan rendah terus menikmati kadar bayaran rendah di IJN seperti diamalkan sekarang.

saya nak minta DSAAB senaraikan apa faedah2 SELAIN golongan berpendapatan rendah TIDAK AKAN MENDAPAT APA2 MANFAAT. Tetapi jangan bimbang kos sama macam biasa...

Ada tak faedah (duit masuk ke apa ke..) yang tak nak dijelaskan?

Nak minta isi faedah2 dalam kedua2 kotak

Kotak A: Rakyat

Kotak B: Peniaga cum politicians

jangan lupa bawak cermin muka skali masa isi ruangan tu.

Sekian, terima kasih.

By JJJ on December 20, 2008 10:53 AM

salam Tun,

I am touched that so many have responded passionately to your article. Many of us have experienced having a family member or relative treated at IJN one time or another.

We must never forget that Tun literally put his life on the line, trusted our own local medical experts and opted to have his by-pass operation done there, instead of taking the easy way out and have it overseas.

IF EVER ANYONE IS QUALIFIED TO TALK ABOUT IJN, IT IS TUN HIMSELF!

Sime Darby is a business entity. Will it cater for the ordinary folks and poor patients? I don't think so.

Wassallam

Jeng3

By amir on December 20, 2008 10:59 AM

I had my angioplasty done at IJN recently although I could had had it done at any other private medical institution in Malaysia (SJMC included, which is owned by Sime Darby). Privatisation of IJN, by SJMC or any other private companies, will spell the death of one of the best government institution that we have in Malaysia. As you pointed out, the business model of Sime Darby is very much different from the government. Sime Darby is in the business to make money. How the hell can they follow the government business model when they privatise IJN beats me, as IJN provide services to majority of the rakyat, which cannot afford major procedure or surgery at any private hospitals, including the privatised IJN. KEEP IJN UNDER GOVERNMENT CONTROL. IT IS A VERY GOOD GOVERNMENT OWNED INSTITUTION. LEAVE IT AS IT IS.

By HBT on December 20, 2008 11:14 AM

SELAMAT HARI LAHIR TUN, SEMOGA USIA TUN DIPANJANGKAN "ALLAH".

Tun looks great with the new hair cut, look very smart, relax, nice, humble and friendly in video clip star online yesterday. Eventhough I was unable to meet Tun personally in Mid Valley because of work, in my heart Tun is always my best and most respected PM. Bila hati baik, maka mukanya bertambah baik, inilah Tun yang rakyat sayang dan hormat.

Muka serius Pak Lah kita is getting more and more bodoh and ego, very disgusting and irritating, inilah kita kata, kalau hati busuk, maka muka akan tampak semakin jahat, memang 'ngam' dengan stail Pak Lah.

Enjoy yourself today, and we need Tun to drive us out from our Pak Lah's mess but not today and tomorrow. Tun, I sincerely hope that Tun can enjoy every minutes with Tun's family, relatives and close friends. HAPPY BIRTHDAY TUN!

By FMZam on December 20, 2008 11:17 AM

Dalam Malaysia Today Pak Tun menulis PERLU ADIL DAN BIJAK MENULIS BLOG, dah cakap camtu pun pun tetap ada bloggers di Malaysia Today yang hentam balik Pak Tun dengan kata2 yang tak manis. Macam ni lah Pak Tun, bila Pak Tun atau sape2 buka blog, kena berani dan bersedialah untuk terima kenyataan bila kita buka blog kita sebenarnya mendedahkan diri kita sebagai target.

Sebenarnya Pak Tun tak payah bimbang apa orang nak kata sebab Pak Tun seorang yang cukup berani mendedahkan diri sebagai target dengan membuka blog dan blog Pak Tun rasanya paling banyak terima kunjungan sampai 10 juta, takde blog lain di Malaysia sehebat blog Pak Tun. Orang suka kunjung blog Pak Tun sebab blog Pak Tun ni macam shopping complex yang ramai pengunjung, dari blog Pak Tun lah penulis2 blog dapat exposure yang lebih meluas, depa tulis dan orang baca, macam peniaga shopping complex, buka kedai dan tunggu orang singgah, beli tak beli nasib, janji tempat tu ramai orang.

Pembaca pulak sama macam pembeli di shopping complex, kadang2 beli, kadang2 singgah dan kadang2 lalu depan kedai tu tengok pun tak. Pak Tun pun macam tuan punya complex tu, Pak Tun tahu camna nak buat complex tu menarik untuk dikunjungi, orang suka ke tak suka ke itu lumrah, you can't win them all, you win some, lose some.

Yang penting ialah konsep blog Pak Tun tu apa dan ada "niche" yang blog lain tak ada. Jangan patah hati hanya kerana orang hentam Pak Tun, you must go on blogging, life must go on, be bold!

When the going gets tough, the tough gets going.....

By Shanker on December 20, 2008 11:22 AM

Dear Tun,
Happy Birthday and may god bless you.Hope one of your birthday wishes is the IJN privitisation will never take place.
By azharIshak Selayang on December 20, 2008 11:23 AM

Dear Y.Bhg Tun,

My mom has been admitted to IJN on 18/12/08 recently due to heart rhytym abnormality. She undergo a half day treatment at day care ward at 1st floor. Coinsidently, when I'm waiting outside the lift, the security guard on duty has stopped me from entering one of the lift that has just opened. Surprisingly, I look up and recognised that was our Health Minister, YB. Datuk Liow Tiong Lai walking out the lift accompanied by Dato' Izzudin Ahmad, FAM Secretary General and the most hatred person Mr. Khairy Jamaluddin. What there are doing there especially Dato' Izzudin and KJ is questioned me. Is there any players or ex-players been admitted? At the same day in Parliment lobby, our beloved leader without substance, Pak Lah has made statement that government as no objection on the Sime Darby's proposal as long as the social responsibilities are taking care off. What a 'drama king' happened!
By Ide on December 20, 2008 11:25 AM

SELAMAT HARI JADI TUN...

duit..duit...di mana kau duit?
di jantungku!
By HouseWife™ on December 20, 2008 11:29 AM

Assalamualaikum Tun,

SELAMAT MENYAMBUT HARI KELAHIRAN

Semoga murah rezeki dan segala usaha Tun diberkati Allah.

Semoga Allah Melindungi Tun Dunia dan Akhirat. Amin.
By JobsBroadway.comAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 11:40 AM

Yes. IJN should remain as it is. Thank you future prime minister, DS Najib for keeping this matter on hold. Great action.

<http://www.JobsBroadway.com>
By rashidAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 11:43 AM

Tun - selamat Hari Jadi yang ke-83. Semoga Tun & Tun Siti Hasmah dipanjangkan umur dan murah rezeki. Ameen.
By hematoma on December 20, 2008 11:45 AM

Dear Tun Dr M,

Equation mudah...keanapa sime darby nak ambil alih IJN

IJN = Sime Darby = Subang Jaya Medical Centre = RM\$\$\$\$\$ = KJ + Musa hitam \$\$\$\$\$
By Benderbuzz on December 20, 2008 11:51 AM

Salam Tun.

Wahai pemimpin BN, cukuplah dengan kesilapan demi kesilapan yang dilakukan kerana ianya tidak sepatut berlaku berulang-ulang kali.

Kami sudah semakin muak dengan tingkah laku anda. Apakah anda tidak menggunakan akal yang Allah kurniakan?

Apakah ini sebahagian daripada Plan Peralihan Bulan 3? Cukuplah, jangan sampai orang membenci anda semua. Banyak-banyaklah berisytilar.

By Mas Merah on December 20, 2008 11:54 AM

SALAM TUN DAN PEMBACA BUDIMAN

PARA 12 DALAM TULISAN TUN X INI MENARIK PERHATIAN SAYA.

YA SEKARANG MACAM ADA SATU KONSPIRASI SUPAYA UNTUK MENJATUHKAN KERAJAAN BN. BANYAK ISU YANG DITIMBUL DAN DIBUAT SEOLAH MAHU SUPAYA RAKYAT MARAH DENGAN KERAJAAN. KINI ISU IJN, DULU- ISU MINYAK, TOL LEBUH RAYA, KENAIKAN TARIF ELEKTRIK, KENAIKAN HARGA BARANGAN- ITU ANTARA YG BESARNYA.

RAKYAT MENYUMPAH-NYUMPAH DENGAN BEBANAN YG DITANGGUNG SEPERTI DI ATAS. RAKYAT TIDAK SETUJU.

KINI IJN- KENAPA NAK DISWASTAKAN? KALAU SIME DARBY NAK MAJUKAN BIDANG BERKENAAN KENAPA TIDAK MEREKA BUAT YG BARU, SECANGGIH MUNGKIN, DENGAN KEPAKARAN SEBAIK MUNGKIN, DENGAN GAJI DOKTOR PAKAR SETINGGI MUNGKIN, DENGAN BAYARAN SEMAHAL MUNGKIN, DAN APA-APA MUNGKIN LAGI. RAKYAT PASTI TIDAK MARAH DAN SAYA SOKONG LANGKAH ITU 100% KERANA INI SATU INOVASI DAN MENGUNTUNGAN NEGARA PASTINYA KERANA BOLEH MENARIK ORANG ASING UNTUK DATANG BERUBAT DI SINI.

ADAKAH PEMBACA PESASAN SATU PERKARA- URUSAN PENSWASTAAN IJN NAMPAKNYA DIKETAHUI RAMAI, TELUS- BERBEZA DENGAN PENGAMBILALIHAN AVENUE CAPITAL OLEH KJ DAN GENG-GENGNYA DULU.(SAYA MINTA ULASAN PEMBACA DALAM HAL INI, JIKA SAYA SALAH.TQ)

By Hajar on December 20, 2008 12:02 PM

Dearest Tun,

Tun said:

"2. ...The IJN is really the institution that is physically closest to my heart."

I guess that's the reason DSAAB & gang need to do something about it..the least they can do is to DESTROY it.

Tun said:

"12. The Barisan Nasional Government is not too popular today. Why do something that may give the opposition another issue to belabour the Government."

This is what we call "bodoh tak boleh diajar". Alahai Pak Lah & gang – Please think before you act & please LEARN from MISTAKES!

Tun, "Selamat Hari Lahir", semoga Allah SWT panjangkan usia Tun dalam keadaan sihat sejahtera sentiasa.

May Allah SWT bless Tun and family.

By Syed Akbar Ali on December 20, 2008 12:03 PM

Dear Sir,

You said: "12. The Barisan Nasional Government is not too popular today. Why do something that may give the opposition another issue to belabour the Government."

That is also exactly the point Sir.

Not just the Opposition but the whole country is getting quite fed up with these mindless antics. First they make grand announcements to all and sundry about this or that.

Then when there is a hue and cry, only then it opens their eyes to the real issues. Then they make a hasty retreat and look really silly. This IJN thing is typical.

The handling of the Yoga Fatwa was even more silly. You allow these people to frighten the whole nation with a poorly thought public announcement. Then even the Malay Rulers had to come out and make statements to reassure the people.

The whole thing only made the Government (and also Muslims) all look so silly again. Its never ending.

With a By Election looming in Kuala Trengganu on Jan 17, the MB of Trengganu fires people, moves people around and reshuffles the State Civil Service - to the dismay and protest of many people.

But he became MB in April 2008 - 9 months ago. Why reshuffle now - less than four weeks before the By Election? This type of fickleness will win votes?

They just do not instill confidence anymore in anything. This is the Government we have today. Every other thing they do gets a negative reaction from a large majority of the people.

Syed Akbar Ali
By Bey on December 20, 2008 12:26 PM

My Dearest Tun,

I'm simply agreed with your opinion on this matter. I didn't see any rationale on the IJN privatisation, IJN have done extremely well service to the people and Malaysia of course. By privatised this institution it would possibly jeopardise the future this institution and more importantly well service its provide all this while to the people of Malaysia since it inception.

Clearly, it is not a wise decision by the government, moreover it would further tarnished government popularity which is currently not so popular.

But recently, I have read newspaper stating that the Deputy Prime Minister said the government at this moment has decided to abandon this proposal. Hopefully, this issue would not re occur in the future.

BUSTANUL BISTARI BEY

By Dr.Know on December 20, 2008 12:31 PM

Tun Che Det
The Lions are at the gate. Some are watching from a distance. They can see abundance food in there. If

you just shooo...them away they'll come back later.Hit the head pack hard enough and the rest will run helter skelter.

TQ.Rgds.Dr.Know

By emville on December 20, 2008 12:58 PM

Betul kata Tun. Sekarang ni dah le BN tak popular dikalangan rakyat. Yg Pak Lah setuju nak bagi Sime Darby beli control over IJN ni kenapa? Saja nak bagi nampak Najib tak bagus nanti kot? Klu dah nak turun tu turun je le. Tak payah nak campur lagi urusan kerajaan lagi. Dulu masa dpt jadi pemerintah tak buat apa sangat. Ni lepas dah nak turun baru la mcm2 nak buat.

By Mylotus on December 20, 2008 1:06 PM

Tun,

Best wishes and many happy returns!

I totally agree with your opinion on the IJN privatisation. The questions that linger are how is SD going to justify the acquisition to its shareholders?

When I first read about the IJN proposal, the first thing that came to my mind was that does not make business-sense for a large corporation like SD to even consider. Next, is it going to be another financial manoeuvres - some sort of money transfers, something cooking, perhaps? The cooking is going to burnt?

By anaco on December 20, 2008 1:07 PM

Asalmulikum TUN,

Semoga terus sihat dan panjang umur. Saya mengharapkan supaya TUN kembali memerintah sebagai PM semula (SESUATU YG HAMPIR MUSTAHIL). Sungguh menyedihkan pemimpin Malaysia tanpa mengira kerajaan BN atau pembangkang PR tidak lagi mempunyai sifat perihatin dan cintakan negara.

1. Jika pemimpin yg baik tidak terdapat dikalangan ahli ahli politik yg melacurkan jiwa dan negara utk WANG maka pihak tentera wajib menjalan tugas mereka bagi mempertahankan MALAYSIA daripada musuh musuh dalaman. TENTERA DAN RAJA RAJA JALANKAN TANGUNGJAWAB DAN TUGAS YANG TELAH DIAMANHKAN PADA ANDA , HAPUSKAN MUSUH MUSUH YG MENGANCAM SAMAADA LUAR ATAU DALAMAN.

By masfuad on December 20, 2008 1:17 PM

Dear Tun,

Happy Birthday, semoga Tun panjang umur, diberi kesihatan yang baik dan yang penting saya doakan agar Tun sentiasa di rahmati Allah.

By imran on December 20, 2008 1:21 PM

ORANG2 MELAYU SEKELIAN. SERTAILAH UMNO. PERHAMBAT PEMIMPIN2 UMNO YG TAKDE OTAK NI YG MASIH DOK BERGAYUT KAT TAMPUK KUASA TANPA PERASAAN MALU KEPADA ORG MELAYU. TAK CUKUP2 PEGANG KUASA. LAMA DAH... HISHAMUDDIN, PAK LAH, NAJIB, MAT TAIB, ZAHID HAMIDI DAN RAMAI LAGI DAH TERLALU LAMA PEGANG KUASA SEDANGKAN TAKDE APA PUN SUMBANGAN BESAR MEREKA KEPADA BANGSA MELAYU YG KITA NAMPAK. SETAKAT MASUK ANGIN KELUAR ASAP JEK. CIUM TANGAN, GOSOK BELAKANG, SENGIH2 JEK MODAL DEPA. MALULAH SIKIT OOIII...NEGARA LAIN JARANG2 ORG POLITIK PEGANG JAWATAN LEBIH 8 TAHUN. DEPA NI NAMPAK GAYA NAK PEGANG JAWATAN SAMPAI MATI. ORANG MELAYU LAIN CERDIK JUGAK BRADER..HANGPA INGAT HANGPA JE CERDIK KA.

By azlangoh on December 20, 2008 1:24 PM

Salam Tun,

You are right! Sometimes I wonder is our Government is mature or not?????

A small boy will know that this is a NOT workable although the government is talking about Company's

CSR. How's about Government' CSR then!!!! Sometimes the government just LOVE to create turmoil to the Rakyat. Of all sudden, IJN to Privatise, then the Rakyat will get ANNOYED. Are they naive or incompetent to understand basis needs and wants for the Rakyat!!!. No wonder, the BN lose their 2/3. I am strong supporter to GOOD Goverance BUT not this way of so-called GOOD Goverance. They are trying the water and eventually fall inside and drown.

Disappointing!!!!!!

By Sicdling on December 20, 2008 1:35 PM

Dear Tun,

I'm 17 years old and had completed my SPM examination and would like to take this opportunity to wish Tun Happy Birthday and may God give you more Birthdays in the future.

SELAMAT HARI JADI, semoga usia Tun dipanjangkan oleh ALLAH YANG MAHA ESA.

From,

Sicd Ling

By Ataturk on December 20, 2008 1:41 PM

Dear Tun,

The Barisan Nasional government now is run by CLOUDS.

A day before govt "agreed in principle", the next day postpone because need to study.

This means no study was done before the "agreement in principle" was given.

Another example is Shahrizat Abdul Jalil. She made three different decisions in three days.

A day before the Wanita Umno meeting, will contest, the next day won't contest, the following day contest. How to be a leader.

An the PM, the biggest CLOUD of all, only knows how to set up committees and commissions but never takes any action.

Set's up a JAC but appoints as Chief Justice someone who himself had stepped down as Umno disciplinary board member on the grounds he had compromised integrity.

If he is not fit to be on Umno's disciplinary board, is he fit to be Chief Justice?

Enough said, I don't think the Sleeping Beauty is ever going to wake up unless it concerns his family.

Best Regards

Ataturk

By Steven Gan on December 20, 2008 1:45 PM

happy birthday,tun

By Steven Gan on December 20, 2008 1:45 PM

Happy Birthday,TUN

By ilmyincAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 1:47 PM

lets privatize the whole country!
once the heart is on privatization then the whole body should follow!
By S..Tan on December 20, 2008 1:48 PM

Dear Tun, salam mesraa HARI JADI moga bahagia sentiasa.

.....IJN – JANTUNG HATI RAKYAT

IJN ialah jantung hati pujaan ramai. Jantung ini idaman banyak hati buaya kerana:-

- 1) Prestasi dan kejayaan
- 2) Peralatan tercanggih
- 3) Subsidi dari krjn
- 4) Monopoli hospital penyakit nombor satu di dunia.

Sejarah pengswastaan M'sia, jantung diberi orang penyakit dibawa balik. Privatise profit, nationalize losses. Kenapa tak boleh bina sendiri ! Kecuali ada udang sebalik batu !
By parchy on December 20, 2008 1:54 PM

Why dont we offer scholarship to the patient's child so this personal relation between the IJN and family can benefit sustainability of the IJN in future and we can increase more doctor in Msia. The scholarship tern may include subsidy for their parent treatments, but any bridge of contract will impose penalty to the student at least 75% payment -or- by the pointer. IJN can try get the loan first and the result may come later.

erm,better stop tale-tell the problem, be part of the solution
By towwwwge on December 20, 2008 2:07 PM

Salam buat Tun dan isteri,

Saya mengucapkan Selamat Ulang Tahun buat Tun. Semoga di panjangkan umur dan terus sihat.

Berjuang lah Tun kerana masih ramai rakyat seperti saya yang merasakan pentingnya kepimpinan Tun untuk kami.

Salam sayang dari saya dan keluarga...
By selAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 2:11 PM

ASWT YAB TUN,

WISHING U A VERY HAPPY BIRTHDAY TODAY.
SEMOGA TUN & TUN CT DIRAHMATI ALLAH SELALU.

WASSALLAM

SEL
20/12/08
By bai on December 20, 2008 2:13 PM

Y.A.B. Tun Dr. Mahathir Mohamad
Selamat hari jadi yang ke 83. Di doakan semoga Allah swt memberkati, merahmati, di murahkan rezeki, di berikan kesihatan yang wal' afiat dan di panjangkan usia...Amin.

Negara Malaysia di majukan, Bangsa Melayu di angkasawan dan agama Islam telah di pertahan dan di juang sehingga akhir era Tun dan semua itu di serah kepada pemimpin kini.

Semoga Tun sentiasa menjaga segala usaha yang di amanahkan kepada pemimpin kini, supaya ia nya di tadbir dan di uruskan dan di jaga dengan baik.

Daripada:

Aram Abdul Subahan

Pengerusi

Badan Amal Islam Sel. & W.Persekutuan.

By CG Lee on December 20, 2008 2:19 PM

YAB Tun,

I hate to differ with you on your assertion that the IJN provides a good and caring level of customer service. Certainly this is not the case with their front desk or counter service. I will like to relate my personal experience during a recent visit there. Feeling unwell, I sought to seek a preliminary assessment on my condition. This was my first time there and I found that the counter instructions somewhat confusing. I was forced to seek advice from a counter staff. Cognizant that I should wait my turn to ask, I waited until she had finished dealing with another customer in front of me; there was only two of us in the line at the time. When she finished after a good few minutes later, she simply ignored me. When I asked how I could register my turn for consultation, she promptly directed me to another person. That person subsequently redirected BACK me to her. Throughout the time, she made it plain to me that I simply being foolish and am disturbing her. Obviously, she has not been coached that a person with an ongoing heart discomfort could be disorientated and should be rendered every assistance notwithstanding that I probably being 'foolish' by asking the obvious. Being an OKU, am I also 'moving and talking funny' for her liking?

She asked firstly me for a consultation deposit - I honestly do not remember how much exactly - but it must a few hundred ringgit. When I expressed surprise over the sum being asked, she simply answered uncouthly and curtly that 'IJN is a Sdn. Bhd.', meaning that they are not in the business of rendering charity. The spontaneity of her reply is most disturbing as it underscores that she must be saying this scores of time everyday.

Tun, if the IJN is the organization that you ascribe it to be, then this particular staff has inflicted it a great injustice. My experience notwithstanding, I must agree with you that the IJN should not be privatised, In such incidents could happen under a government corporatised company, what would happen if it is to be operated by a profit driven company and a monopoly in its' field?

By mas2rah on December 20, 2008 2:24 PM

salam Tun yang ku sayang..diharapkan tun sihat..bila tun berhenti ibu saya menangis..ibu saya peminat setia tun..kenapa bangsa Melayu sekarang tidak dihormati. Parti pembangkang sekarang begitu berani memperkecilkan bangsa Melayu.Tidak seperti zaman tun menjadi PM. Di mana silangnya?

pekerja asing berjuta-juta, rakyat kita menganggur.bagaimana perkara ini boleh terjadi? saya masih terkilang kerana tak dapat melihat ceramah tun di UKM...bila nak datang UKM lagi?? buatlah sesuatu supaya anak melayu tidak terpinggir .

salam sayang kepada tun dan sekeluarga..:)

putri_ville@yahoo.com

By Ghafar on December 20, 2008 3:09 PM

Salam Tun,

Agaknye.. UMNO dah bersedia sangat untuk kalah teruk pada PRU13 nanti. Kenapa keputusan yang diambil pelik sangat. Ramai lah lagi orang sakit jantung (orang miskin la..). MP peduli haper.. Sokong tetap, duit projek banyak nak bayar bil IJN.. takder hal..

By anak2chedet on December 20, 2008 3:14 PM

Salam sejahtera buat ayahanda sekeluarga, semoga diberkati oleh ALLAH SWT.

"HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU"

Alangkah mulianya insan yang bernama "Mahathir Muhammad", seorang pemimpin Malaysia yang pertama, yang sanggup memperjudikan nyawanya untuk dibedah pulih jantungnya oleh pakar2 tempatan yang ketika itu rata2 rakyat tidak mengetahui akan kewibawaan mereka ini. "Mahathir Muhammad" lah yang membuktikannya bahawa 'Malaysia boleh'.

Amatlah sedih bila cadangan perswastaan IJN diawarkan oleh kerajaan yg dipilih, banyaklah sungguh plan2 yang dicadangkan tidak pun banyak menolong rakyat pertengahan mahupun yang miskin, kerana kadar kemiskinan masih ada. (Ni dia x nak betui2 focus)

Apa yang rakyat nampak sekarang ini, semacam kerajaan sekarang ini sedang menguruskan satu perniagaan yang mana keuntungan dicari daripada rakyatnya sendiri, bukannya, rakyat mendapat keuntungan dari kerajaan. Jadi siapa yang sebenarnya mendapat keuntungan ini? Kasihan....

Semoga ayahanda tidak merasa jemu untuk berjuang demi rakyat. Apa yang dapat anakanda dan rakan2 buat untuk membalas akan jasa2 ayahanda, hanya lah berdoa agar roh ayahanda nanti ditempatkan di kalangan para suhadah.. Amin

Yang ikhlas
FMahadzir

By dalila on December 20, 2008 3:16 PM

assalamualaikum, TUN

SELAMAT HARI JADI...SEMOGA SIHAT WALAFIAT HENDAKNYA

By Kay Rehman on December 20, 2008 3:28 PM

I agree with an earlier comment that the whole IJN privitisation sounds like an exercise in Corporate Finance.

As The Tun mentioned in a 'reasonable' man's thinking how in heaven will this exercise float in any direction you view it.

Hence, the obvious reason is this will benefit some investment banking scheme (which seem to be hard to come by currently).

Lets put an end to all this directionless exercises like the cancellation of the Causeway Bridge, the knee jerk spikes in petrol price, the corridors..... What an embarrassment and to play into the oppositions hand, when clearly it is the work of fellow party members to strengthen personal/family? position and weakening other 'potential' treats from within. Cukup Lah!

By laguna81 on December 20, 2008 3:34 PM

Assalamualaikum wbt Yang Berbahagia Tun!

Selamat Hari Jadi semoga dikurniakan Allah SWT kesihatan yang baik panjang umur dan murah rezeki!

Salamat sejahtera untuk Tun sekeluarga!

By Kay Rehman on December 20, 2008 3:45 PM

Billy Boy,

I don't know where you get your facts and figures from. Maybe from Mars.

That is the whole problem with the vocal minority in Malaysia. They get half truths and go by the axiom that if you SHOUT loud enough it becomes the whole truth.

And we the rest of Malaysian go goo-goo and ga-ga; believing by the Malay saying "kalau tiada angin, manakan pohon bergoyang".

By Dr faizal on December 20, 2008 3:49 PM

assalamualaikum Tun,

thank you so much for your concern about the IJN current issue. I had watched the press conf. May Allah bless you. Tun deserve All the credit.

By tunnusantara on December 20, 2008 3:50 PM

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Dearest Tun,

Again, I agree with your thoughts. Cheers!

A HAPPY "official" BIRTHDAY to you, Tun!!

From, Same Wavelength &, Fellow-JULY10, youngest-in-family "baby"!! :-)

Wassalam wR wB.

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By CAPTBOB on December 20, 2008 4:10 PM

YBhg Tun,

Saya bersetuju dgn Tun, buat masa ni tak perlulah Kerajaan meswastakan IJN. Kalau kerajaan laksanakan juga hasrat ini. PRU 13 pasti akan berpihak kpd pembangkang. Biarlah IJN mcm tu, belajar dari kesilapan yg lepas. Rakyat bukan benci BN, cuma sakit hati dengan beberapa Ahli Politik BN yg hanya tunggu hari pd Mac 09 ini.

Semuga Tun Sekeluarga diberi ALLAH sehat sejahtera dan panjang umur supaya dapat membetulkan kesilapan demi kesilapan yang dibuat oleh kerajaan sekarang dan seterusnya.

CAPTBOB

By pemuda_bangsa on December 20, 2008 4:18 PM

selamat hari jadi Tun..

semoga dipanjangkan umur dan hidup diberkati sentiasa oleh Allah SWT

By BlueGene on December 20, 2008 4:31 PM

Assalam alaikum

YABhg Tun. Dr Mahathir

By refer to the IJN privatization I have two remarks here i.e, for our self goods in the future, and for uncertainties that Malaysia will face particularly the Malaysian who are still in second and third class family or individual.

To become a developed country in this 11 years from now privatization means "Inc." Everything assets we have in Malaysia such as hospitals, school, higher learning institutions and so forth must be privatize apart. Once the late John F Kennedy said that, "dont ask ourself what country can do for us, but we must ask what we can do for the country." Privatization is the noble answer for. " what I/We should do for the

sake of our beloved mother land, Malaysia. Japanese nation already do privatization, and everything is worked and they now cultivated the benefits of.

Malaysia is still in take off stages at this moment. for some Malaysian they might think that privatization of IJN is something ridiculous and out of "insanity" mind. The implementation of IJN might be hurt the second and third class family/individual. The implementation just benefits the first class family/individual.

In the future I mean in year 2015 or 2020 or after 2020, Allah the Almighty willing, all Malaysians are wealth and fully educated, first class mindset, no more hard core poor or second/third class...schools, hospitals, IJN should be privatize for our own good, for our beloved motherland good, and might be for the world apart.

I also support the idea of privatization towards "Malaysia Incorporation." And its implemenation must be fully study by take account the pros and cons. If we want to be "Malaysia Incorporation" we should begin today though we have to sacrifice some thing.

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Tun, saya ingin mengambil kesempatan ini untuk mengucapkan "selamat Menyambut Hari Ulang Tahun Kelahiran yang ke 84." Semoga Tun dilanjutkan usia dan dimudahkan rezeki. Saya dan Malaysia memerlukan Tun, dan saya dan Malaysia akan sentiasa berdiri teguh bersama-sama Tun untuk manfaat bersama.

Samsudin Saharan
mrmrs.sam.the.great@gmail.com

Wassalam
By Anak Jati Pagoh on December 20, 2008 4:44 PM

Selamat Harijadi kepada ayahanda Tun!!

If gov give Sime Darby take over..i will not pangkah barisan but will pangkah other..maybe BN want to see parlimen Pagoh jatuh pada pembangkang!!!

Semoga Tun dirahmati Allah

wasalam
ANAK JATI PAGOH MUAR
By char koay teow on December 20, 2008 4:50 PM

BN hopeless,what more to say.

i think MOF were dried up..
By Ms. Cane on December 20, 2008 5:10 PM

Sime Darby, stay away from IJN. Go dig some golds at some other places.
By duuweyyy... on December 20, 2008 5:28 PM

Salam Tun ...

Just want to wish you a very Happy Birthday..
By anjungsua2002 on December 20, 2008 5:40 PM

Salam Tun, moga allah memberi rahmat buat tun+family...selamat hari lahir ke-83.
Minta idea Tun bagi menangani krisis ekonomi kali ini...saya seorang peniaga kecil disektor perkhimatan

kejuruteraan M%E dan bagaimana rakyat harus bertindak didalam situasi begini
By Gurchan Singh a/l Jewant Singh on December 20, 2008 6:09 PM

Dear Tun,

I agree with your comments 100%. I also owe my life to IJN b'cos since my bypass in 1995, the professional and dedicated doctors and staff of IJN has made this possible. Being a pensioner I would also like to thank the caring Government who made this possible. I would not have been able to pay the cost. I am not sure whether Sime Darby will honour the same after privatisation. We pensioners will not be able to afford the daily cost of medication prescribed by IJN which is a continuous process. Guess there will be no alternative for us but wait for God's decision.

IJN Patient.

By Melor on December 20, 2008 6:09 PM

Dear Tun

First of all I want to wish you a very happy 83rd birthday! Semoga Allah panjangkan umur Tun, dan di berkati dengan kesihatan yang baik.

I just cannot comprehend why IJN should be sold to Sime Darby. The rich can afford to go to Gleneagles, Ampang Putri or even overseas for medical help. Where is the poor going to go when IJN is being bought and managed by Sime Darby!! They are only interested in making money and not in the welfare of the patients.

God, what else is this govt going to sell off at the expense of the Rakyat's welfare? Scary!

Have great celebration of your birthday with your family, Tun.

By jauh on December 20, 2008 6:31 PM

i believe Pak Lah should be responsible for this...

By AbangTuah on December 20, 2008 6:37 PM

Dearest Tun,

You are a man of all embracing vision, one can say without a doubt Malaysia's former premier always spoke his mind.

Dear Malaysian of all races, today December 20th, our 'Bapa Pemodenan' turns 83. In celebrating his birthday, let us remember always and bring it close to our heart the premiership of the much loved and often controversial Dr M.

Happy Birthday Tun,

Semoga Allah sentiasa merahmati kehidupan Tun sekeluarga dan semoga sihat - sihat selalu. Amin...

By jauh on December 20, 2008 6:39 PM

PAK LAH's fault i would say...

By azlanAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 6:39 PM

To Billyboy:

Just one thing i want to say to you...talk is easy...everybody can talk...but if you do the job,i sure you will do the mistake too, human not perfect,if in US also we can read lots of mistake done by their doctor...dont say something u do not know..

By Nothing but wind on December 20, 2008 7:15 PM

Dear Tun Dr M,

Being government controlled corporation is the most ideal status for IJN. If it is privatization then the tendency for it to for profit maximization would be unavoidable(after all that is the paramount target of any private corporation. This could only be achieved by either increasing the charges to the patients or by cutting cost. Both the alternatives will adversely affect the patients.

So, as you have been insisting, it is better for it to be government control for the well being IJN patients. If Sime Darby wants, let them establish a similar medical centre on it's own.

By ijn on December 20, 2008 7:17 PM

please++++

do spotchek for their management exspecially their ceo and the gang.

so many people left because of them. expecially nursing is the majoriti left. after this new matron sit in their chair plus compromy with the ceo and gang. they only know and thing about their 'perut serta jenis nasi yang mereka makan' never ever thing other people.

everybody can c now so many foriegner nurse.... u cakap itik dia cakap ayam. bila tanya u not understand english dia geleng tapi sebenarnya geleng dia tu faham. lepas tu tersengih2.

and the also diskriminasi to prety or ugly nurse exspecially when u go for interview as a staff nurse or apply for student nurse. inilah dia orang yang tak tahu apa iti koprat mereka ini sebenarnya adalah kaki keparat yang suka makan duit orang dah perut tu besar sedar2lah diri esok awak dapat heart attack baru tahu mana kerusi mejanya.

betul seperti commenter yang hantar kalau dah keluar ijn nak masuk balik kena tengok sapa yang inchargednya perut gendut, yang bertudung berlagak alim serta rambut yang merebang ada lagi ke tidak.....

maaf lah saya bercerita apa yang saya dengar betul atau tidak tanyalah pada mereka yang keja di ijn.

kasihani lah staf yang di tekan serta rakyat yang berada di golongan pertengahan dan ke bawah.

wahai pak haji yang bergelar datuk tapi tak bertauliah hentikanlah permainan sandiwara yang tak akan menang in.

Allh itu maha kaya

tun hope u can do something for their organisasi.

thanks

By Ataturk on December 20, 2008 7:30 PM

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TUN.

MAY GOLD BLESS YOU, KAK HASMAH, YOUR CHILDREN AND AII OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS ALWAYS.

SPEAKING FOR ME, YOU ARE TRULY A GIFT FROM GOD TO MALAYSIANS.

Ataturk

By mayaAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 7:44 PM

Salam Tun,

Sime Darby patut buat hospital jantung swasta yang lain.... tak perlu ambil IJN...

By oceanic on December 20, 2008 8:47 PM

Betul kata Tun,dah lah Barisan Nasional dah tak popular sekarang dah nak buat pulak satu lagi magic bodoh hasil drpd pemikiran Pak Lah..ahli kabinet BN mungkin tak sedar,Pak Lah dah nak berambus March 09 ni so dia mana peduli pasal keadaan sekarang..Janji kenyang,betul tak Pak Lah..nanti dah kalah baru padan muka..Sayang UMNO dulu sebelum sayang Pak Lah yang tak patut disayang tu..

By s on December 20, 2008 9:56 PM

assalamualaikum ayahanda Tun, smoga sehat2 selalu.thanx 4 ur comments utk bela rakyat, agama, bangsa dan negara....u r d best leader yg sy kagumi smp skarang...Tun telah banyak berjasa kpd negara...so pandangan Tun perlu diambil kira oleh semua pihak terutama kerajaan pimpinan paklah...to paklah,jgn pentingkan political survival je,pikirlah rakyat n negara.org cmni la yg rosakkn umn...actlly umno x slh...tp org yg pegang umno tula kebanyakknnye buat salah..contohnya kes ijn ni la.....,sime darby x payahla nk tamak sgt2...kalo pn nak amik untung amikla benda lain tp jgnla amik ijn..buatla untung tempat lain...kepada Tun,,sy respect idea2 n komen2 yg org lain x prnh pkr..u r genius....wassalam

By ezahim on December 20, 2008 10:04 PM

Happy Birhtday Tun. I'm 9 years old today and i share the same birhtdate with you. I also want to be a doctor. After reading your biography on a book , I decided to work at Maha Clinic, Pekan Rabu, Alor Setar, Kedah.

Ezanin Mazlan

P.S : My father and i loves your personality
By SafiahKhan on December 20, 2008 10:29 PM

Assalamuaalaikum Ayahanda Tun Yang Dihormati Lagi Amat Di Kasihi,

SELAMAT HARI ULANG TAHUN KE 83. ALLAH RAHMATI DAN PANJANGKAN USIA TUN DEMI UNTUK MEMPERBAIKI KEAADAN NEGARA SEKARANG DEMI UNTUK BANGSA AGAMA DAN NEGARA YANG TERCINTA INI.

KECINTAAN KAMI KEPADA TUN BUKAN MEMBABI BUTA TETAPI ATAS SEGALA JASA YANG TUN PERSEMBAHKAN UNTUK MALAYSIA.

HARAP PEMIMPIN MELAYU AKAN DATANG JANGAN MENJAHANAMKAN NEGARA KU , BANGSAKU DAN AGAMA KU.

TIDAK SEMUA PEMIMPIN ITU PERFECT, TAPI KALAU KEJAYAAN TUN 80% THAT IS FLYING COLORS.

FATHIHAH UNTUK TUN DIHARIJADI TUN.

SALAM SAYANG ANAKANDA YANG CINTAKAN BANGSA , AGAMA DAN NEGARA KU MALAYSIA

By P'Nan on December 20, 2008 10:32 PM

ABDULLAH'S MARCH-Ini baru permulaan Tun,banyak lagi Pak Lah perlu selesaikan sebelum Mac 2009.Wassalam.

By Hr HARDY on December 20, 2008 10:38 PM

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Dear Tun,

1. Sepatutnya Kerajaan sekarang kaji dulu seperti yg Tun lakukan dan kemudian jika OK baru buat announcement. Ini belum dikaji implikasi telah dibuat pengumuman untuk buat privatisation IJN.
2. Selepas buat pengumuman oleh pembesar UMNO, dapat bantahan, pembesar UMNO baru rujuk ke Kabinet untuk buat keputusan. Jadi Kabinet digunakan untuk shield bad decision by pembesar UMNO. Macamana boleh jadi begini. Kenapa kabinet tidak dirujuk untuk mendapat pandangan terlebih dahulu

" growing out of \$\$\$\$ accidentally , enabling them come-back & compete artificially globally...! Is it possible by A Corporate entity to maintain /attract A World-class Medical-profession as usual as before without sacrificing the benefit of our patients ..?

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Not all privatisation will benefitting all Malaysians or even the government at all the time..Let alone to pick a well-managed & organised government-corporation..like IJN..! Instead, the government should take initiative to review & look into the much more financial burden, problem-created & ineffective government organisation thoroughly and privatise it..for the benefit of the people of all Malaysians....!Insyallah

By qas on December 20, 2008 11:27 PM

"Happy birthday - Semoga Tun akan lebih dirahmati Allah dan dapat terus menyumbang kepada negara"
Your writings in the blog has been so enriching and inspiring.

Yes, please do not let IJN goes into the hand of Sime Darby or any other business-oriented company. "the government will regulate the charges and fees" konon... tolongla Pak Lah and co...stop the destruction you are doing to the rakyat and country.

The poor and the middle-class family needs IJN, do not take them away from us. We have endured enough sufferings (in many forms) from series of blunders the current weak inefficient government have made over the last few years.

Jangan sampai majoriti rakyat kata "enough is enough!" in the next PRU (despite not believing in the opposition)..

I hope some of the ministers are reading your blog to hear what the rakyat have to say. Nak harapkan Pak Lah to read your blog... I think he is too sleepy to do just that.

Teruskan menulis Tun. Your wisdom is needed.

QAS

By trustno1 on December 20, 2008 11:35 PM

Salam Tun,

Yes, I agree with you Tun. Leave the IJN alone. Sime Darby don't you dare to take over IJN, my father in-law without fail has visited and still visiting IJN twice a year for more than 20 years and he loves the doctors and nurses over there who has treated him well.

What the hack is going on with Sime Darby, Pak Lah and Najib too trying to privatise IJN, I think it's good for you all to go and fly kites. At least when you sit under the coconut tree more brilliant ideas will strike you to improve BN and the country. Worse come to worse the lightning will strike you guys. Kaboom.

By anak-malaya.blogspot.comAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 11:49 PM

Assalamualaikum wbt Tun dan blogger semua..

Riuh betul bila timbul kenyataan nak swastakan IJN.. semua takut harga perkhidmatan naik.. rasa nya sbb orang melenting..

Perokok, pemakan yang tak pantang, orang yg tak tahu jaga kesihatan dan semua pesakit jantung akan bimbang dengan penswastakan itu.. baru terasakan bila nikmat nak hilang.. dulu tak menghargai..

alhamdulillah sekarang ditangguh.. harap2 terus tak jadi.. kira ada hikmah juga dengan hasrat itu.. sekurang-kurang nya apabila tersepit akan menjadikan rakyat menghargai sumbangan kerajaan itu selama ini.. baru lah insaf dan bersyukur.

By zana on December 20, 2008 11:54 PM

Assalamualaikum Tun Yang Dihormati,
SELAMAT HARI JADI,SEMOGA DIPANJANGKAN UMUR DAN SIHAT SELALU.
SEMOGA TUN DIRAHMATI ALLAH.
By anak-malaya.blogspot.comAuthor Profile Page on December 20, 2008 11:58 PM

Menswastakan agensi-agensi kerajaan ni ada baik dan buruk nya.

Kalau kena dengan cara nya akan mendatang kebaikan kepada rakyat dan jika tidak, semua pihak akan susah..

sebagai contoh, menswastakan air kpd syabas di selangor memberi kebaikan rakyat miskin apabila menggunakan air secara percuma. tetapi sebalik nya di kelantan, rakyat terseksa dgn penswastaan air kerana macam2 masalah yg timbul.
By blizzard on December 21, 2008 12:18 AM

Dr M,
Happy birthday! Sorry for the late wishes by a day.
By epi1374 on December 21, 2008 12:26 AM

last2... patient sakit jantung balik bila tengok bill nnti...
By teckloong on December 21, 2008 12:28 AM

TUN,i wish you happy birthday,merry christmas and happy new year.I fully agree with you malaysia will not achieve vision 2020 due to political instability like what you said,just forget about this vision,TUN.We as the rakyat of malaysia will never know what will happen on the next day right now,every hour,minute,second is looking like very dangerous,bad things happening more than good things,i can feel it and it is truth.I feel like very depressed and terrible all the time without you rulling our country.You took 22 years to build up this nation but it only took few months for this nation to destory,the theory is when making out a thing is difficult when destroy is very easy just few second will do.TUN,we as the rakyat are suffering like hell now u know or not?probably you cannot feel what we feel right now and you will never know about this feeling.I was wondering why did u pick pak lah as our leader as first?and called him to step down in the end and he is going to step down soon?TUN,sometimes one decision can change the whole life,if one mistake u made,you are finished.believe me.
By anak georgetown on December 21, 2008 12:47 AM

Ayahanda Tun sekeluarga, Assalamualaikum.....

Selamat harijadi Ayahanda Tun. Sama - sama kita berdoa semoga Ayahanda Tun sentiasa sihat, panjang umur dan dirahmati olehNya. Salam perjuangan

salam TUN,
Happy Birthday to U Sir,

- 1.May ALLAH Bless U;
- 2.May your life cherished;
- 3.May happpiness surrounds U;
- 4.May your health be at best all the time;
- 5.May ALLAH give me a chance to meet U personally.

THANK U....
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THANK U.....
THANK U.....AGAIN...AND AGAIN....
for being our leader.ASALLAMUALAIKUM.....
By fazli on December 21, 2008 1:41 AM

Dear Sir - Happy 83rd birthday. Take care of your health, we need you more than ever!!!

Dear DSN - I'll make it simple.....I refrained from voting PR in March 2008 even though I was not happy with the government. But you touch IJN and BN will lose 2 more votes (my wife & I) to the opposition in the next General Election.

SIMPLE ENOUGH????
By jentayu on December 21, 2008 1:53 AM

salam2u DR M,

Cadangan pengswastaan IJN adalah satu idea yang tak rasional dari pemimpin no 1 dan no 2 malaysia. Mereka ini tak tahu langsung menyelami akibat yang terpaksa ditanggung oleh rakyat jelata yang bukannya mampu untuk menerima kesan secara langsung bila kepentingan perniagaan mengatasi khidmat sosial. Takada orang yang nak berniaga rugi. lupakanlah sime darby akan hasrat murnimu itu. semuanya ada agenda tersembunyi. Walaumacamanapun DR M is the best leader. hidup DR M.
By george devan on December 21, 2008 2:43 AM

DEAR DR MAHA
I AM SO SORRY I FORGOT TO WISH YOU A VERY, VERY HAPPY BIRTHDAY.
As i have said before, You did a great job and are continuing to do a great service by having this blog. You are right about IJN not to go Private as your reasons are what the general Public WANTS... and nothing more.
WHY IS SIME DARBY SO GREEDY?????
Has it not made enough money from the other ventures????
FOR SO MANY PEOPLE TO HATE SIME DARBY NOW IS ENOUGH FOR IT TO DROP THE SUBJECT OF TAKING IJN PRIVATE.
With Warm Regards
George Devan
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By ahmad muhamad on December 21, 2008 2:52 AM

SALLAM TUN dan BONDA,

SELAMAT MENYAMBUT MUHARAM

TUN MINTA TOLONG,

TOLONG NASIHATKAN NAJIB , SUPAYA SIA SEDAR DARI "SEGALA-GALA" NYA.

MAKE HIM KNOW THAT HE WILL LEAD THIS COUNTRY SOON AND HE MUST ENSURE THAT HE IS NOT "STUPID" AND NOT TO LISTEN ADVISE FROM STUPID ADIVSER.

BE "HIM SELF". SUJUD BANYAK2 DATO NAJIB.

RIGHT NOW MALAYSIA KELAM KABUT , NAK BACA NEWS PAPER PUN MACAM KENA TIPU SAJA. RAMAI YANG DAH JADI KURANG AJAR. SUKA SUKA MEREKA SAJA.

CUKUP CUKUP LAH.

SORRY TUN , BECAUSE WE ALL HAVE BEEN TRAINED INDIRECTLY BY YOU TO BE SMART AND "MENGENANG BUDI".

SEMOGA TUN DAN BONDA SEHAT KERANA KAMI PERLUKAN TUN UNTUK "BALANCE" KAN APA YANG TERJADI DI MALAYSIA SEKARANG INI.

By andi70Author Profile Page on December 21, 2008 3:02 AM

Salam Tun,

it has been a while since my last comment. frankly speaking, as a government, they should provide the best service to their electorates because it is their duty to do so. not because they need to, and not also for "satu lagi projek oleh bn" tag, but a must for any sane government who looks after her citizens. life is too precious to put it into dollar and cents. israel traded one dead soldier with 250 plus live prisoners! how much they value their citizen.

2. With regard to the Institut Jantung Negara, I must say I have a personal attachment to it. I don't think I need to explain why. The IJN is really the institution that is physically closest to my heart.

this makes me grin for a while!

why must right what is right? just maintain it, and it won't costs even 0.1% of petronas money to have such facilities. or such an institute also is another money making machine for the 4th floor! as if the present government only expert in making money out of their own citizen? why don't they tell sime darby to go and buy some other institution oversea and expand into the global market, create names and exposure world wide? at least, the legacy of sime darby may reach everywhere in the world and become another house hold names.

kudos to Tok Det.

By SkyForce on December 21, 2008 3:09 AM

Dear Tun,

Lets go to the basic concept. What is privatisation means? If I said privatisation is to change the owners of a company from government to normal citizen (rich people). Is that correct? If so, then it is clear that the real intention of privatisation is to transfer government's money to the new owner(s) which I'm sure Tun knew who they are - AAB cronies lah.

Now I wonder what was the intention of privatisation during Tun era? I bet 90% of the intention was also same as mention above.

SkyForce

By natta.chai4 on December 21, 2008 3:16 AM

assalamualaikum tun

thanks for the quick save tun,they were already planning the to rob the Rakyat again. same old story,for the Rakyat...to benefit the people....we will take care of the old and poor..blah...blah...blah.if tun had been a little late..."hancur IJN,Rakyat pun masak".

DSNajib,shows the same flip flop mentality just like paklah,today we privatize tomorrow different story.do your homework first before blowing your horn next time,malu hang...malu kami...malu umno jugak.baru nak pick-up sikit dah buat perangai bangsat macam paklah.

DSNajip TOLONG JANGAN JUAL RAKYAT SEPERTI PAKLAH.JAGA NAMA DSN,NAMA KETURUNAN

DSN,NAMA UMNO,NAMA MALAYSIA DAN PALING MUSTAHAK NAMA AGAMA KITA...ISLAM

By peteryap on December 21, 2008 3:34 AM

Dearest Tun,
Happy Birthday to you! and to your family a very happy, healthy and prosperous 2009!
We all love you!

By FMZam on December 21, 2008 4:44 AM

To anaco,

Saya hargai semangat patriotik anda dengan mengesyorkan tentera ambillah pentadbiran negara ini tetapi tidak bersetuju kerana itu akan mengakibatkan negara kita akan berada dalam undang2 Marshal Law dan akan menambahberat lagi apa saja keadaan anarki yang diakibatkan oleh ahli2 politik sekiranya pemimpin tentera juga nanti akan dipergunakan atau dipengaruhi oleh ideologi politik.

Kita dah lihat Indonesia, Thailand, Myanmar, negara2 di Afrika dan mana2 negara yang dipimpin junta tentera, kita patut waspada dengan situasi itu sebelum membenarkan tentera memerintah negara ini.

Kalau anda seorang tentera, anda harus ingat adakah kita mempunyai seorang jeneral yang ada kaliber dan karisma untuk mendapat kepercayaan rakyat bagi mengambilalih tampuk pemerintahan Malaysia dan mentadbir negara ini bukan kerana dia memiliki kekuatan tentera di belakangnya tetapi kerana dia memang seorang pemimpin tulen yang tidak mempunyai ciri2 buruk pemimpin2 politik yang anda benci sekarang ini?

Kalau keadaan politik negara ini menjadi teruk sehingga "tak boleh tahan lagi" (untenable), kita bimbang opsyen tentera akan jadikan Malaysia "from bad to worse" kerana kita tahu kaliber jenis apa yang ada pada jeneral2 kita sekarang. Maaf saya kata begini tapi pada rakyat yang tahu dan memahami, kita semua tengok dengan mata masing2 mana ada jeneral kita yang boleh kita sandarkan harapan untuk menjadi pemimpin tentera dan pemimpin politik sekarang ini?

Kita biarkan negara kita ini ditadbir oleh sistem demokrasi, kita belum kekurangan pemimpin2 politik, kita cuma sedang menghadapi krisis kepimpinan. Kalau kita fikir kepimpinan sekarang akan menghancurkan negara kita, kita harus fikir apakah kepimpinan baru tidak akan menghancurkan Malaysia? Kita jangan hanya fikir yang dengan menggantikan kepimpinan yang ada sekarang akan menyelamatkan Malaysia.

"Better a known devil than unknown angel"?????

Lest we forget about the use of military, remember that war is the extension of political ideology.

By 6august1951Author Profile Page on December 21, 2008 5:31 AM

Tun & rakan blogger,

Di blog [Tukang_dok_peghati](#) ada terdapat:

"Tanda tanya semakin tersebar tentang kenapa TS Musa Hitam sebagai Pengerusi Sime Darby berdiam diri tentang hal ini..

Malah, ada beberapa Blog memaklumkan yang KJ bersama suami DS Shahrizat turut kelihatan semasa 'press conference' MOH semasa hal ini dibincangkan..

Nampaknya 'TANGAN-TANGAN GHAIB' gagal menyembunyikan diri mereka.."

Buatlah pendirian anda sendiri wahai mereka akan memilih ketua-keuta UMNO Mac 2009 ini. Setuju kah anda sama-sama dengan mereka bahawa Sime Darby diswastakan ??????????

Bacalah blog [Tukang_dok_peghati](#) di

<http://sensecredaccountability.blogspot.com/2008/12/sakit-jantung-kerana-ijn-siapa-yang.html>
By 6august1951 Author Profile Page on December 21, 2008 6:07 AM

Tun & Rakan Bloggers,

Mungkin ada yang tidak sampai ke blog ini... kunjunglah ke <http://simeidarbywatch.blogspot.com/>
By Pulut on December 21, 2008 7:31 AM

Salam Tun,

Saya bersetuju dgn pendapat Tun.

Kenapa harus IJN?? kenapa tidak KTMB?? lagi banyak untung!!! boleh juga meningkatkan mutu pengangkutan awam. KTMB pun makin teruk perkhidmatannya...sekadar cadangan untuk difikirkan...
By isadurus on December 21, 2008 7:47 AM

In Singapore, they have National Heart Centre, National Eye Centre, National Cancer Centre, National Dental Centre , National Neuroscience Centre etc etc.

All names start with national but corporatised and over 80 percent of patient subsidised.

All under one roof...Singapore Health Services.

No money to pay? no problem, can use Medisave ie cut from your CPF savings.

Govt built first class healthcare institutions and let people use their CPF savings to pay. CPF money keeps rolling around. Very smart.

Should Malaysian Govt follow Singapore style?.

By muskom on December 21, 2008 10:17 AM

Assalamualaikum yang Berbahagia Tun,

Kami sekeluarga mengucapkan SELAMAT ULANGTAHUN YANG KE-83 buat Tun yang amat kami sayangi dan sanjungi. Semoga Allah memberikan Tun umur yang panjang, kesihatan yang baik, anak2 yang soleh dan solehah, rezeki yang murah serta kehidupan yang bahagia dan sejahtera selalu. Semoga hidup Tun sekeluarga sentiasa diberkati dan dirahmati Allah. Amin ya Allah. Perkenankanlah doa kami buat insan yang banyak berjasa kepada kami ini.

By kamal ahmad on December 21, 2008 10:39 AM

Salam Ayahanda Tun.

2 reasons why BN would lose the by-election.

1. People know all too well who Wan Farid is and what he stood for. Wan Farid is one of the 4th floor boys and Khairy's side kick. People hate them all and people just hate Pak Lah in general.
2. People have been trying very hard in many medium to inform the government just that. But that seems failing, and now they have a new medium – the ballot box.

2 reasons why Najib should now make way or be paved away soon enough:

1. Najib has over devalued himself beyond mend in the trails of Abdullah and the 4th floor boys.
2. People now have the same disgust for Najib as much as they do Abdullah and Khairy.

2 reasons why the opposition should win.

1. To teach UMNO a good lesson.
2. To hasten the removal of both Abdullah and Najib. It's going to be "scorched earth policy". A fresh genesis for the people and perhaps UMNO. It's going to work out good for the people and country in the long run. Let the auto sensing cistern work.

Let's look at it in a positive way and identify what could be gain from this voluntary elimination exercise. Many blanks are starting to fill up now and we still see our D.S Najib having his head somewhere else or up something else. So I say lets not get over excited, let's just watch this episode unfold and let's all learn

from it. Perhaps this is their parting gift for all of us. Remember this, we the Malays don't need UMNO to survive, not at all, trust me on that one. But UMNO needs us to survive or none at all, and trust us all on that one!

Season's greetings to all and enjoy the holidays!

Happy holidays Tun and take care, stay warm. Warmest regards and love from all of us.
By MiedsAuthor Profile Page on December 21, 2008 11:04 AM

Tahniah Tun,

IJN memang tidak patut diswastakan, dengarlah cakap Tun -orang yang berpengalaman.
By OrangBaruLahir on December 21, 2008 11:11 AM

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Dengan izin Ybhg Tun

Finding the right balance for development in regional medical treatment market

Merger and acquisition, are part of the normal approaches to growing the size and business of any company, more so in the case for SIME DARBY which has been given the responsibility by the government to lead the development in the NCER Northern Corridor Economic Region.

As part of the 3 prong strategy laid down for the NCER, one of the strategy was to develop the Medical Holiday Strategy, where early success can already be seen in the numbers of holiday makers that had arrived in Penang, from far away places as Indonesia and other part of the ASEAN Region. With the liberalisation of trade between ASEAN, there is already a growing need to have good medical facilities within the region itself catering to the growing wealth seen in the region. Traditionally Australia and Singapore has dominated and appropriately addressed this growth area, annually seeing flocks of travellers seeking treatment for treatment not normally available within their own country.

SIME DARBY has already a growing medical business within its portfolio of business engine, and the strategy to acquire IJN, an almost hidden jewel of government lead initiative catering to open heart surgery would fully complement its growth strategy to provide high end medical treatment for the region. It would normally have taken SIME DARBY maybe 5 to 10 years to develop the a similar set of capabilities if it were to go on its own, trying quickly at the same time market itself, position its own brand and acquire the necessary market share. The story for SIME DARBY would purely be a capitalist approach to seized the growing opportunity.

IJN has presented itself, as a fully developed open heart business practice, ripe for a take over to benefit both SIME DARBY and the NCER development initiative lead by the present day government, and it would just be a matter of time if not SIME DARBY, other present day capitalist would also present similar proposal to acquire IJN from the MOF Incorporated.

The growth opportunity present a new development drive for Malaysia to provide a new growth area to partly drive the future for the country, and if not developed would see other countries within the region position themselves for the substantial growth in medical holidays. This strategy is well position for Malaysia, as it had taken improved strategies to provide better air transportation throughout ASEAN with MAS and Air Asia catering to a bigger market of air travellers, but it must also be complemented with nearby hotels, food outlets to those family members temporarily seeking treatment for the ill, and it can be seen for an open heart treatment, family members would be expected to stay longer to look after the ones that are seeking treatment.

The case for IJN to grow its practice beyond Malaysian borders can also be the next leap for SIME DARBY, operating almost similar facilities outside Malaysia, with the talented and experience already

flourishing within IJN.

Thus finding the right balance for Malaysia own indigineous need for open heart surgery is a question that must be properly answered by SIME DARBY, before the IJN acquisition could be given the blessing. Rightly or wrongly SIME DARBY must answer the original purpose for the setting up of the IJN by the government in the past, and how the domestic needs can be addressed without hurting benefits already derived by the Malaysian population, if not SIME DARBY would just be a nothe rmodern day plunderer of the poor to further enriched the already rich. The same thing could also be said about the various highway development concession, the correct mechanism must be in place to protect the not so richseeking open heart surgery from IJN.

This must also be a perpetual condition to future sales of the IJN stake by SIME DARBY if SIME DARBY will not be the final vehicle for the privatisation, and conditions must be set similar to the Telekom Malaysia Privatisation exercise that the government would have a golden share in finally deciding any merger, partial sale of the IJN stake.

Conditions to protect the local rates charge to Malaysian must also be imposed as perpetual condition of service with the necessary practical timelines for review. Conditions to the livelihood of the real engine of IJN must also be in place that the specialist, doctors, and all those currently employed must be guaranteed for the period of their current employment.

The IJN would at some time be privatised, but the right balance must be conditional to the exercise so that all the kera di hutan would not get the best treatment which was earlier meant for the Malaysian.

May ALLAH bless this country and may we achieve tolerance as citizens of the world.
By annie on December 21, 2008 11:22 AM

Happy Birthday Tun.

May God bless you with many more bithdays to come.

Yes, IJN should not be privatised.
By delima on December 21, 2008 11:42 AM

Assalamualaikum Tun, It doesn't connect on the motive of Sime Darby to take over IJN in order to help the poor . As you know, the objective of the company is to maximize shareholder wealth. Thus, i believe they want to turn IJN to profit-making institute like Pantai Hospital.
By iman on December 21, 2008 12:20 PM

dearest tun,

wishing u a belated happy birthday. May Allah grant u long life and good health. Keep up the good work.