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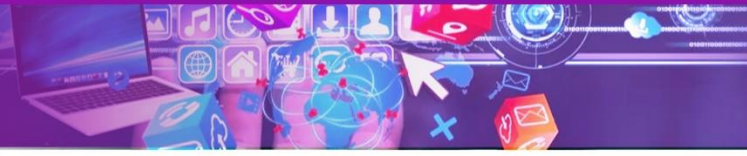


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TAJUK : CELEBRATING WOMEN AND THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS

HARI : KHAMIS

AKHBAR : NEW STRAITS TIMES

TARIKH : 14 MAC 2024

M/SURAT : 07

TONE : POSITIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

EMPOWERMENT AGENDA

Celebrating women and their achievements

PUTRAJAYA

INTERNATIONAL Women's Day, celebrated on March 8 every year, honours the success and achievements of women in various fields, in addition to recognising their roles and contributions.

"Count Her In: Invest in Women. Accelerate Progress", was the theme chosen by the United Nations this year, with the hashtag #InspireInclusion.

In Malaysia, "Uplifting Women for a Prosperous Nation" was chosen as the theme, underscoring the importance of fostering inclusivity and gender equality at all levels.

This year's theme also recognises the role and contribution of women, who form the main pillar in social development in society.

Malaysian women have contributed in various sectors, and they have made the country well-known globally. But, the journey to raise the women's agenda is far from over.

In 2022, almost 56.7 per cent of student recruitment in higher ed-

ucation institutions consisted of women — 681,642 female students compared with 520,560 male students.

However, this success achieved by women in higher education does not translate to employment.

Women are also not seen to be involved in the workforce, either as corporate, legal, academic, economic or political leaders, when compared to the number of female graduates.

In 2022, women's participation in the labour force stood at only 55.8 per cent, compared to 81.9 per cent of men.

"Madani Economy: Empowering the People" outlines one of seven benchmarks to be achieved, which is ensuring that women's participation in the labour force reaches 60 per cent.

Therefore, efforts to empower women through various community empowerment advocacy programmes, social support and income generation, as well as the creation of a working environment



Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim, Women, Family, and Community Development Minister Datuk Seri Nancy Shukri (third from left) and her deputy Datuk Seri Noraini Ahmad (fifth from left) with recipients of the Anugerah Kasih Wanita (from left) Emily Jeneble, Manjeet Kaur Sidhu, Lim Carmen and Noraini Yaacob at Sunway Pyramid Convention Centre. PIC BY EIZAIRI SHAMSUDIN

conducive to women, need to be given prime attention.

The unity government with the concept of Madani Malaysia has embarked on several initiatives to empower women in this country.

One such initiative is increasing the income tax exemption for childcare allowances received by employees or paid directly by employers to childcare centres from RM2,400 to RM3,000.

Tax incentives for women returning to work have been extended until Dec 31, 2027 and the government has also allocated RM720 million

for a Special Business Loan Facility for women and youth who venture into business.

It is hoped that the Madani government's various efforts will strengthen the spirit of Malaysian women to continue working together to develop the country.

The Women, Family and Community Development Ministry has also implemented legal literacy programmes, counselling services, campaigns to stop violence against women and anti-sexual harassment advocacy programmes to improve the well-being of women at

every level of society.

The agenda to empower women on all levels should not remain as mere words; more efforts need to be put in place through legislative and regulatory measures.

The whole-of-nation approach will ensure that women continue to be at the core of the national development agenda.

It is our responsibility to empower women and girls by perfecting their potential as individuals, future leaders and fundamental contributors to our country's all-round development.



TAJUK : MEANS TO ACHIEVE GENDER EQUITY IN THE WORKFORCE

HARI : KHAMIS

AKHBAR : THE STAR

TARIKH : 14 MAC 2024

M/SURAT : 15

TONE : POSITIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Means to achieve gender equality in the workforce

PRIME Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim recently announced that the government was mulling the adoption of flexible or shorter working hours for women in the civil service to enable them to better care for their families.

He said the proposed flexibility might involve working reduced hours with potentially lower pay, but it would enable women to balance familial obligations without completely sacrificing their careers.

This has ignited debate on whether adopting flexible working hours would genuinely empower women or merely reinforce the existing gender norms as the assumption is that women still bear the primary responsibility for childcare.

Although flexible working arrangements may provide temporary relief for women juggling work and caregiving, they fail to tackle the root causes of gender inequality in the workplace.

By perpetuating traditional gender roles and stereotypes, it risks further marginalising women and deepening economic disparities.

Malaysia ranked disappointingly low at 102nd among 146 surveyed countries in the World Economic Forum's Global Gender Gap Report 2023, trailing behind all but one of our Asean neighbours.

This underscores the urgent need for innovative solutions to



Comprehensive solutions needed: Instead of perpetuating traditional gender roles, policies should focus on redistributing childcare responsibilities more equitably between partners and providing affordable and accessible childcare services for all families.

promote gender equality in the workforce.

In Malaysia, as in many other countries, women bear a disproportionate burden of childcare responsibilities. The Khazanah Research Institute (KRI) pilot Time Use Study in 2018 found that Malaysian women spent an average of 3.6 hours (15.2%) on unpaid care work compared to men's 2.2 hours (9.3%).

Shorter working hours aside, there is a pressing need for comprehensive childcare policies that support working parents regardless of gender. Sustainable solutions should focus on redistribut-

ing childcare responsibilities more equitably between partners, encouraging greater paternal involvement in caregiving, and providing affordable and accessible childcare services for all families.

It is imperative to acknowledge that achieving gender equality in the Malaysian workforce demands systemic changes that surpass superficial adjustments.

While flexibility can benefit some individuals, it should not be seen as a cure-all. It is more about promoting shared responsibilities, that is families sharing the burden of unpaid work so

that both spouses can pursue their careers and fulfil their potential.

Currently, female public servants receive 90 days of fully paid maternity leave while male counterparts are granted a mere seven days of paid paternity leave. Additionally, female civil servants have the option of taking up to one year of unpaid childcare leave.

Transforming these benefits into shared resources for working parents could revolutionise the landscape, mitigating the impact of childcare on women's professional paths. This shift would undoubtedly represent a significant stride towards gender equality in the workplace.

Policymakers must reconsider their approach to supporting working women in the quest for gender equality. Instead of perpetuating traditional gender roles, comprehensive policies that recognise and address the diverse needs of women in the workforce should be formulated.

Investing in childcare infrastructure, promoting gender-balanced caregiving responsibilities, and dismantling systemic barriers to women's advancement would create a more inclusive and supportive environment where all individuals have the opportunity to thrive, both professionally and personally.

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1,400 athletes to gather in Sarawak for Para Sukma 2024

By NST Regional - March 13, 2024 @ 4:17pm



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KUCHING: A total of 1,400 athletes are set to camp in Kuching for the 2024 Malaysia Para Games (Para Sukma), the Sarawak Public Communications Unit reported.

Sarawak Women, Family and Community Development Minister Datuk Seri Fatimah Abdullah said all the states and territories have confirmed participation in this year's event, including Johor, Melaka, Pahang, Negri Sembilan, Selangor, Perak, Terengganu, Kelantan, Pulau Pinang, Kedah, Perlis, Sabah, Sarawak, the Federal Territories of Kuala Lumpur and Labuan.

The Para Sukma 2024 is scheduled to take place a month after the games, featuring 10 sports to be contested from Sept 20 to 29, exclusively in Kuching.

"The 10 sports at the Para Sukma 2024 will be hosted solely in the Kuching area, including athletics at Sarawak Stadium, swimming at the Pandelega Rinong Aquatic Centre, badminton at Sarawak Badminton Association Hall BDC, table tennis at SJK Chung Hua, and bowling at Megalanes E-Mart Batu Kawa.

"Additionally, boccia will be held at the Sarawak Basketball Association Hall, lawn bowls at the Petra Jaya Multipurpose Arena, powerlifting at the Youth and Sports Department Multipurpose Hall, archery at Petra Jaya Archery Range, and chess at Raia Hotel," she said in a statement on Tuesday.

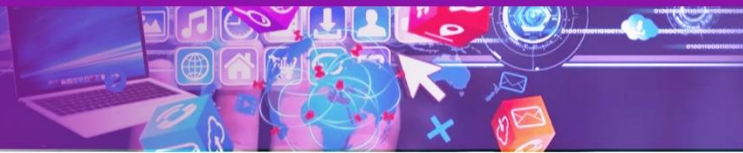
Also, the Sarawak contingent is expected to send approximately 240 athletes, who will undergo selection on July 31.

Fatimah also said that there will be three official ceremonies held for Para Sukma 2024.

"The first event is the Para Sukma 2024 Dinner Ceremony at Hikmah Exchange on Sept 2, to be officiated by Sarawak Premier Tan Sri Abang Johari Openg.

"The opening ceremony will take place at the Unity Stadium Petra Jaya on Sept 22, officiated by Governor of Sarawak Tun Dr Wan Junaidi Tuanku Jaafar," she said.

She added that the closing ceremony will be held at the same venue on Sept 28 and will be officiated by Deputy Prime Minister Datuk Seri Fadillah Yusof.



Bayi jatuh kondo: Polis rakam empat keterangan saksi

Oleh NURUL IZZATI ZAINI 13 Mac 2024, 8:39 pm



Lokasi bayi lelaki ditemui mati dipercayai dicampak dari tingkat atas sebuah kondominium, Sri Petaling, Brickfields, semalam.

KUALA LUMPUR – Polis sudah merakam keterangan empat saksi berhubung kes seorang bayi lelaki maut selepas dicampak dari tingkat atas sebuah kondominium di Sri Petaling, di sini, Sabtu lalu.

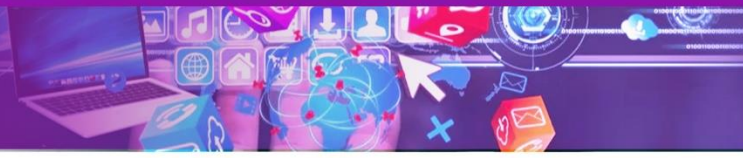
Ketua Polis Daerah Brickfields, Asisten Komisioner Ku Mashariman Ku Mahmood berkata, keterangan pengadu serta saksi dirakam di bawah Seksyen 112 Kanun Prosedur Jenayah.

Bagaimanapun, ujarinya setakat ini masih tiada tangkapan dibuat ke atas mana-mana individu.

“Pemeriksaan televisyen litar tertutup (CCTV) secara menyeluruh terutama di bahagian lif bangunan (12 lif) dan tempat parkir (lapan aras) kondominium masih giat dijalankan,” katanya dalam kenyataan, hari ini.

Terdahulu, Kosmo! melaporkan seorang bayi lelaki ditemui mati dalam keadaan menyayat hati apabila disyaki dicampak atau dibuang dari kedudukan yang tinggi sebelum ditemui di kawasan bawah bangunan.

Bayi yang ditemui maut itu baru dilahirkan memandangkan masih ada tali pusat dan mengalami kecederaan parah di kepala ekoran bahagian kepala pecah. – KOSMO! ONLINE



Wanita berpantang, bayi lima hari tumpang teduh di pondok terbiar

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Sebuah pondok terbiar yang dijadikan tempat berteduh keluarga berkenaan.

SHAH ALAM - Sebuah keluarga termasuk wanita berpantang serta bayinya berusia lima hari menjadikan pondok terbiar sebagai tempat mereka berteduh sejak dua bulan lalu.

Lembaga Zakat Selangor (LZS) menerusi satu hantaran memaklumkan, pondok terbiar itu tiada bekalan elektrik dan air selain ruang tidur sempit dan tempat memasak hanya berada di luar.

Menurut LZS, keluarga itu menggunakan air tadahan hujan sebagai sumber utama untuk keperluan minuman dan mandi.

"Lebih menyayat hati, keluarga ini baru sahaja memimang cahaya mata perempuan berusia lima hari.

"Dengan keadaan tempat sangat panas serta pengudaraan kurang baik menyebabkan bayi mereka kerap menangis kerana tidak selesa," kata kenyataan itu pada Rabu.

LZS memberitahu, pada asalnya, pondok itu merupakan gerai menjual pisang goreng dan makanan yang kemudiannya diubah menjadi tempat berteduh.

LZS memaklumkan, pihaknya menerima aduan daripada Amil Kariah Cheras Jaya mengenai kedaifan keluarga berkenaan.

LZS menjelaskan, hasil semakan mendapati, suami kepada wanita itu yang berasal dari Sabah telah diberhentikan kerja setelah kontrak kerja tamat sejak empat bulan lalu.

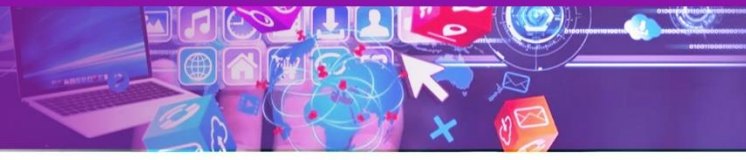
"Suami wanita itu juga tidak mempunyai MyKad dan hanya memegang sijil kelahiran dan sedang dalam proses JPN (Jabatan Pendaftaran Negara) menyebabkannya sukar mencari pekerjaan lain.

"Sebelum ini, keluarga ini menginap di sebuah rumah sewa dengan bayaran RM600 sebulan, tetapi dihalau kerana tidak mampu membayar sewa rumah disebabkan ketiadaan sumber kewangan dan nekad untuk berteduh di pondok sebaqai tempat berlindung," tambah LZS.

Sehubungan itu, hasil perbincangan Amil Kariah Cheras Jaya dan LZS membuat keputusan menempatkan keluarga itu di sebuah inap desa sementara proses mencari rumah sewa baharu.

Menurut LZS, pihaknya diwakili Ketua Operasi Agihan Daerah Hulu Langat telah turun menyantuni asnaf tersebut dan memberi sumbangan berbentuk wang tunai untuk perbelanjaan makan minum dan kelengkapan bayi.

"Pemohon juga telah didaftar dan layak dikategorikan sebagai asnaf fakir serta akan diproses bantuan kewangan bulanan, sewa rumah dan makanan bulanan dalam masa terdekat," ujar LZS.



TAJUK : IBU BERI BAYI SUSU BERCAMPUR DADAH TUKAR PENGAKUAN

HARI : KHAMIS

AKHBAR : BERITA HARIAN

TARIKH : 14 MAC 2024

M/SURAT : 22

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Ibu beri bayi susu bercampur dadah tukar pengakuan

Petaling Jaya: Seorang ibu yang sebelum ini mengaku menganiaya bayi lelaki berusia 16 bulan dengan memberi susu dibancuh dengan dadah, menukar pengakuan kepada tidak bersalah ketika kes disebut semula di Mahkamah Sesyen di sini, semalam.

Suri rumah berusia 34 tahun mengubah pengakuannya ketika prosiding sebutan semula untuk fakta kes dan hukuman di hadapan Hakim, Noor Ruzilawati Mohd Nor.

Suami wanita itu berusia 40 tahun kekal dengan pengakuan tidak bersalah sebaik pertuduhan dibacakan semula semalam.

Mengikut pertuduhan, pasangan itu secara bersama didakwa melakukan penganiayaan terhadap bayi mereka dengan memberi susu bercampur dengan air yang mengandungi dadah berbahaya jenis Methamphetamine (syabu) sehingga menyebabkan bayi itu mengalami *allegedsympathomimetic drug ingestion*.

Kesalahan itu didakwa dilakukan di sebuah unit pangsapuri di Taman Medan di sini jam 6 petang pada 19 Februari lalu.



Pasangan suami isteri yang terbabit dalam kes beri susu bayi campur dadah di mahkamah, semalam. (Foto BERNAMA)

Berikutan itu pertuduhan dikemukakan mengikut Seksyen 31(1) (a) Akta Kanak-Kanak 2001 dan dibaca bersama Seksyen 34 kanun yang sama.

Hukuman bagi seksyen itu memperuntukkan denda maksimum RM50,000 atau penjara tidak lebih 20 tahun atau kedua-duanya

jika sabit kesalahan.

Berikutan pengakuan tidak bersalah itu, Timbalan Pendakwa Raya, Ahmad Zuhaini Mahamad Amin kemudian memohon mahkamah menetapkan tarikh baharu bagi sebutan semula kes dan laporan perubatan penuh.

Ketika prosiding semalam, pe-

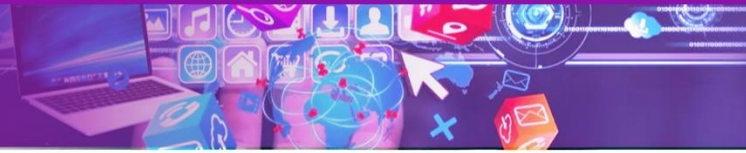
guam bela, Datuk Ahmad Zaharil Muhaiyar, mewakili tertuduh wanita, manakala peguam bela, Adi Zulkarnain Zulkafli mewakili tertuduh lelaki tidak membantah berhubung tarikh baharu bagi sebutan semula kes.

Mahkamah kemudian menetapkan 10 Mei ini bagi sebutan semula kes kedua-dua tertuduh selain status laporan perubatan pada tarikh yang sama.

Sebelum ini, mahkamah membenarkan setiap tertuduh diikat jamin sebanyak RM5,000 dengan seorang penjamin berserta syarat tambahan melaporkan diri di balai polis sekali setiap bulan dan tidak boleh mengganggu saksi-saksi sehingga kes selesai.

Sebelum ini, media melaporkan seorang bayi lelaki dikejarkan ke hospital selepas ibunya membancuh susu bayi menggunakan cecair syabu dalam kejadian di Taman Medan di sini.

Siasatan awal polis mendedahkan kejadian malang menimpa bayi terbabit disedari ketika dia dihantar untuk jagaan neneknya berusia 55 tahun yang tinggal di Seri Kembangan.



TAJUK : WOMAN CHANGED PLEA OVER METH IN SON'S MILK

HARI : KHAMIS

AKHBAR : NEW STRAITS TIMES

TARIKH : 14 MAC 2024

M/SURAT : 10

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

ALLEGED INFANT ABUSE

WOMAN CHANGES PLEA OVER METH IN SON'S MILK

Husband maintains plea of not guilty as charges read again

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A WOMAN who had admitted to abusing her 16-month-old baby by giving him formula milk mixed with methamphetamine decided to claim trial instead at the Sessions Court here yesterday.

The 34-year-old housewife changed her plea before judge Noor Ruzilawati Mohd Nor.

Her 40-year-old husband maintained his plea of not guilty as the charges were read out again.

The couple were jointly accused of subjecting their baby to abuse by giving him milk mixed with water containing syabu, resulting in the infant suffering from "alleged sympathomimetic drug ingestion".

The offence was alleged to have taken place in an apartment unit in Taman Medan here at 6pm on Feb 19.

The couple were charged under Section 31(1)(a) of the Child Act 2001, which was read together

with Section 34 of the same.

The offence is punishable with a maximum fine of RM50,000 or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both, upon conviction.

Following the plea of not guilty, deputy public prosecutor Ahmad Zuhaini Mahamad Amin asked the court to set a new date for mention of the case and to obtain a full medical report.

During proceedings, counsel Datuk Ahmad Zaharil Muhaiyar, who represented the woman, and Adi Zulkarnain Zulkafli, who represented the man, did not object to the request.

The court set May 10 for mention and the status of the medical report.

Previously, the court had granted each accused a RM5,000 bail with one surety, with additional conditions to report to the police station once a month and not to interfere with witnesses until the case was concluded.

Earlier, it was reported that a baby boy had been rushed to the hospital after his mother had allegedly mixed his baby formula with a liquid containing methamphetamine in an incident in Taman Medan here.

Initial police investigations revealed that the incident was discovered when the baby was sent for care to his relative residing in Seri Kembangan.



TAJUK : MOTHER CHARGED WITH LACING SON'S MILK WITH METH CHARGED PLEA TO NOT GUILTY

HARI : KHAMIS

AKHBAR : THE BORNEO POST

TARIKH : 14 MAC 2024

M/SURAT : 07

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM



The two accused exit the courtroom at the end of the proceeding. — Bernama photo

Mother charged with lacing son's milk with meth changes plea to not guilty

PETALING JAYA: A woman charged with abusing her 16-month-old son by giving him milk laced with liquid methamphetamine changed her plea to not guilty in the Sessions Court here yesterday.

The 34-year-old housewife, who had pleaded guilty to the charge on Feb 28, changed her plea during case mention before judge Noor Ruzilawati Mohd Nor. She was supposed to have

been sentenced yesterday.

Her 40-year-old husband maintained his plea of not guilty when the charge was read out again. The couple is jointly charged with abusing their son by giving him milk mixed with water containing methamphetamine in an apartment in Petaling Jaya at 6pm on Feb 19.

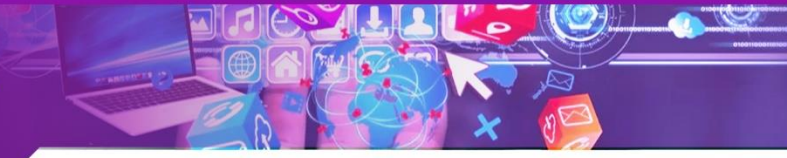
The charge under Section 31(1)(a) of the Child Act provides a maximum fine of RM50,000 or

imprisonment for up to 20 years or both, upon conviction.

The court set May 10 for next mention pending submission of the medical report.

Deputy public prosecutor Ahmad Zuhaini Mahamad Amin appeared for the prosecution.

Lawyers Datuk Ahmad Zaharil Muhaiyar represented the mother, while Adi Zulkarnain Zulkafli represented the husband. — Bernama



TAJUK : SURI RUMAH TUKAR PENGAKUAN TAK SALAH

HARI : KHAMIS

AKHBAR : HARIAN METRO

TARIKH : 14 MAC 2024

M/SURAT : 08

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM



TERTUDUH (kiri) di Mahkamah Sesyen Petaling Jaya.

BANCUH SUSU ANAK GUNA DADAH

Suri rumah tukar pengakuan tak salah

Petaling Jaya: Suri rumah yang sebelum ini mengaku menganiaya anak lelaki-nya berusia 16 bulan dengan memberi susu dibancuh dadah menukar pengakuan kepada tidak bersalah di Mahkamah Sesyen di sini semalam.

Tertuduh berusia 34 tahun itu mengubah pengakuan berkenaan ketika sebutan semula kes di hadapan Hakim Noor Ruzilawati Mohd Nor yang terdahulu menetapkan semalam adalah untuk fakta kes dan jatuh hukum bagi wanita itu.

Suami wanita itu berusia 40 tahun kekal dengan pengakuan tidak bersalah sebaik pertuduhan dibacakan semula semalam.

Mengikut pertuduhan kedua-duanya bersama-sama didapati melakukan penganiayaan terhadap anak lelaki mereka berusia setahun empat bulan dengan memberi susu bercampur dengan air yang mengandungi dadah berbahaya jenis Methamphetamine (syabu) sehingga menyebabkan bayi itu mengalami *allegedsympathomimetic drug ingestion*.

Kesalahan itu didakwa dilakukan di sebuah unit pangsupuri di Taman Medan di sini jam 6 petang pada 19 Februari lalu.

Berikutan itu pertuduhan dikemukakan mengikut Seksyen 31(1) (a) Akta Kanak-Kanak 2001 dan dibaca bersama Seksyen 34 kanun yang sama.

Hukuman bagi seksyen itu memperuntukkan denda maksimum RM50,000 atau penjara tidak lebih 20 tahun atau kedua-duanya jika sabit kesalahan.

Berikutan pengakuan tidak bersalah itu, Timbalan Pendakwa Raya, Ahmad Zuhaini Mahamad Amin kemudian memohon mahkamah menetapkan

satu tarikh baharu bagi sebutan semula kes dan laporan perubatan penuh.

Semasa prosiding, peguam Datuk Ahmad Zahari Muhaiyar yang mewakili tertuduh wanita dan peguam Adi Zulkarnain Zulkafli yang mewakili tertuduh lelaki tidak membantah berhubung tarikh baharu bagi sebutan semula kes.

Hakim Noor Ruzilawati kemudian menetapkan 10 Mei ini bagi sebutan semula kes kedua-dua tertuduh selain status laporan perubatan pada tarikh yang sama.

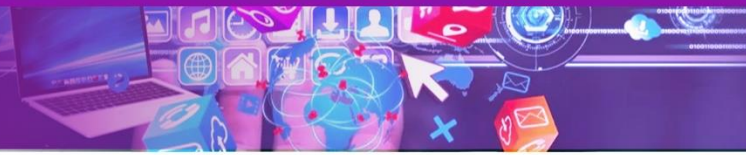
Sebelum ini, mahkamah membenarkan setiap tertuduh diikat jamin sebanyak RM5,000 dengan seorang penjamin berserta syarat tambahan melaporkan diri di balai polis sekali setiap bulan dan tidak boleh mengganggu saksi-saksi sehingga kes selesai.

Sebelum ini, Harian Metro melaporkan seorang bayi lelaki dikejarkan ke hospital selepas ibunya tersilap membancuh susu bayi menggunakan cecair syabu dalam kejadian di Taman Medan di sini.

Siasatan awal mendapati pada hari kejadian bayi yang berusia satu tahun empat bulan ketika itu berada di bawah jagaan neneknya yang berusia 55 tahun di Seri Kembangan.

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Mengikut pertuduhan kedua-duanya bersama-sama didapati melakukan penganiayaan terhadap anak lelaki mereka berusia setahun empat bulan dengan memberi susu bercampur dengan air yang mengandungi dadah berbahaya jenis Methamphetamine.



TAJUK :	BERI ANAK MINUM SUSU BERCAMPUR DADAH, IBU TUKAR PENGAKUAN KEPADA TIDAK BERSALAH		
HARI :	KHAMIS	AKHBAR :	UTUSAN BORNEO (SARAWAK)
TARIKH :	14 MAC 2024	M/SURAT :	13
TONE :	NEGATIF	SEKTOR :	KPWKM

Beri anak minum susu bercampur dadah, ibu tukar pengakuan kepada tidak bersalah

PETALING JAYA: Seorang ibu menukar pengakuan kepada tidak bersalah di Mahkamah Sesyen di sini semalam atas pertuduhan menganiaya anak lelakinya dengan memberi minum susu bercampur air yang mengandungi dadah jenis Methamphetamine, bulan lepas.

Suri rumah berumur 34 tahun itu menukar pengakuannya ketika kes disebut semula di hadapan Hakim Noor Ruzilawati Mohd Nor.

Sepatutnya semalam ditetapkan untuk fakta kes dan jatuh hukum selepas tertuduh mengaku bersalah atas pertuduhan itu pada 28 Februari lepas.

Sementara itu suaminya peniaga air balang yang berumur 40 tahun turut mengekalkan pengakuan tidak bersalah atas pertuduhan sama selepas pertuduhan terhadapnya dibacakan semula semalam.

Mengikut pertuduhan mereka didakwa bersama-sama melakukan penganiayaan terhadap kanakkanak lelaki berusia setahun empat bulan dengan memberi minum susu bercampur air mengandungi dadah berbahaya jenis Methamphetamine sehingga menyebabkan mangsa mengalami "alleged sympathomimetic drug in-



BICARA LANJUT: Seorang ibu menukar pengakuan kepada tidak bersalah di Mahkamah Sesyen di Kajang semalam atas pertuduhan menganiaya anak lelakinya dengan memberi minum susu bercampur air yang mengandungi dadah jenis Methamphetamine, bulan lepas. — Gambar Bernama

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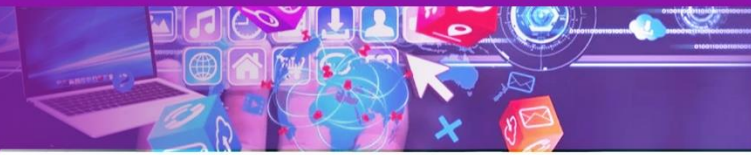
Kesalahan itu didakwa dilakukan di sebuah apartmen di Taman Medan, Petaling Jaya pada 6 petang, 19 Februari lepas.

Pertuduhan mengikut Seksyen 31(1)(a) Akta Kanakkanak 2001 dan dibaca bersama Seksyen 34 Kanun Keseksaan yang memperuntukkan hukuman denda maksimum RM50,000 atau penjara tidak melebihi 20 tahun atau kedua-duanya,

jika sabit kesalahan.

Mahkamah kemudian menetapkan 10 Mei ini untuk sebutan semula kes bagi serahan laporan perubatan.

Prosiding itu dikendalikan Timbalan Pendakwa Raya Ahmad Zuhaini Mahamad Amin manakala peguam Datuk Ahmad Zaharil Muhaiyar mewakili ibu berkenaan dan peguam Adi Zulkarnain Zulkafli mewakili tertuduh lelaki. — Bernama



TAJUK : MOTHER IN LACED MILK CASE CLAIMS TRIAL

HARI : KHAMIS

AKHBAR : THE SUN DAILY

TARIKH : 14 MAC 2024

M/SURAT : 05

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Mother in laced milk case claims trial

PETALING JAYA: A mother who earlier pleaded guilty to a charge of abusing her 16-month-old son by giving him milk laced with liquid methamphetamine has changed her plea to not guilty in a Sessions Court yesterday.

The housewife, 34, changed her plea before Judge Noor Ruzilawati Mohd Nor during a case mention that was scheduled for sentencing after she pleaded guilty on Feb 28. Her husband, 40, maintained his not-guilty plea.

The couple were jointly charged with abusing their son by causing the child to experience "sympathomimetic drug ingestion" in an apartment at Taman Medan in Petaling Jaya on Feb 19.

The charge, under Section 31(1)(a) of the Child Act, provides a maximum fine of RM50,000 or up to 20 years' jail, or both. May 10 was set for the next mention, pending submission of a medical report. – Bernama



Mother changes plea, now says she didn't mix baby formula with syabu

By Suraya Roslan - March 13, 2024 @ 1:32pm



The 34-year-old housewife changed her plea during the proceedings in front of Judge Noor Ruzilawati Mohd Nor. - NSTP/GENES GULITAH

PETALING JAYA: A mother who previously admitted to abusing her 16-month-old baby boy by giving him formula milk mixed with the dangerous drug methamphetamine, changed her plea to not guilty at the Sessions Court here today.

The 34-year-old housewife changed her plea during the proceedings in front of Judge Noor Ruzilawati Mohd Nor.

Her 40-year-old husband maintained his plea of not guilty as the charges were read out again today.

The couple were jointly accused of subjecting their baby to abuse by giving him milk mixed with water containing the dangerous drug methamphetamine (syabu), resulting in the infant suffering from "alleged sympathomimetic drug ingestion."

The offence is alleged to have taken place in an apartment unit in Taman Medan here at 6pm on Feb 19.

The couple was charged under Section 31(1)(a) of the Child Act 2001 which was read together with Section 34 of the same act.

The offence is punishable with a maximum fine of RM50,000 or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both upon conviction.

Following the plea of not guilty, Deputy Public Prosecutor Ahmad Zuhaini Mahamad Amin then requested for the court to set a new date for mention of the case and to obtain a full medical report.

During the proceedings, counsels Datuk Ahmad Zaharil Muhaiyar, who represented the woman, and Adi Zulkarnain Zulkafli, who represented the man, did not object to the setting of a new date.

The court then set May 10 for mention, along with the status of the medical report on the same date.

Previously, the court had granted each accused bail at RM5,000 with one surety, with additional conditions to report to the police station once every month and not to interfere with witnesses until the case is concluded.

Earlier, the media reported an incident where a baby boy was rushed to the hospital after his mother had allegedly mixed his baby formula with a liquid containing methamphetamine in an incident in Taman Medan here.

Initial police investigations revealed the incident came to light when the baby was sent to the care of his grandmother, who resides in Seri Kembangan.



TAJUK : KEPERLUAN WARGA EMAS PERLU DISEDIA IKUT REALITI ZAMAN

HARI : KHAMIS

AKHBAR : BERITA HARIAN

TARIKH : 14 MAC 2024

M/SURAT : 13

TONE : POSITIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Keperluan warga emas perlu disediakan ikut realiti zaman

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'Dunia kata pergi, kubur kata mari'. ungkapan ini sering kedengaran dalam kalangan masyarakat Melayu di negara ini, yang memberi dua maksud sama ada secara positif dan negatif.

Jika anda melihatnya dari sudut pandangan positif, ungkapan itu adalah sebagai peringatan kepada seseorang yang sudah lanjut usia dan menunggu masa untuk menamatkan perjalanan hidupnya. Selain itu ia juga boleh dilihat sebagai sindiran atau mengejek warga emas yang masih mengejar keduniaan.

Antara kedua-duanya, sudut negatif ini yang umumnya menjadi realiti sebahagian warga emas di Malaysia. Hal ini disebabkan warga emas sinonim dengan kembali kepada agama dan mengejar akhirat. Ia sudah menjadi kefahaman umum dan popular sehingga sesiapa yang tidak mengikut aris perdana ini wajar dicerca dan disisih.

Punca mengapa hal sebegini berlaku ini harus dilihat dari sudut pandangan sejarah sosial negara ini. Bagi warga Malaysia yang masih muda, filem Melayu yang dihasilkan sekitar tahun 1940-an hingga 1970-an adalah gambaran bagaimana warga emas kita menjalani kehidupan mereka pada waktu muda. Walaupun tidak semua, namun filem selalunya memainkan peranan menggambarkan kehidupan sesuatu zaman dengan tepat selain penceritaan dalam bentuk tulisan.

Jika kita telusuri filem pada zaman itu, gaya hidup yang ditonjolkan adalah amat kebaratan dan tipis sekali nilai Islam diselitkan. Gaya pemakaian

wanita ditonjolkan dengan fesyen rambut sarang tabuan atau bersanggul tinggi, blaus tidak berlembung dan skirt paras lutut. Ia digambarkan menjadi pilihan ideal bagi gadis pada zaman itu.

Bagi lelaki pula kebanyakannya bergaya segak berbaju kot, berkemeja dan berambut ala James Dean. Menurut penceritaan tidak formal daripada masyarakat, pada zaman itu guru agama di sekolah yang kita gelarkan 'ustazah', ada yang masih berpakaian blaus berlembung pendek, skirt di atas buku lali dan memakai skarf diikat belakang (seperti turban) tanpa menutup bahagian leher. Gaya pemakaian sebegini adalah normal dan diterima masyarakat pada realiti zaman itu, berbanding 'ustazah' pada zaman kini yang bertudung labuh liput, berstokin lengan dan berjubah.

Tambahan pula pada zaman kolonial British, berpakaian dan gaya hidup ala Barat lebih diagungkan. Aktiviti berpesta dan tarian di sekolah dihadiri semua guru dan pelajar adalah gambaran norma kehidupan semua warga Malaysia pada zaman itu.

Perbetulkan gaya kehidupan

Dapat disimpulkan, pengamalan Islam warga emas di Malaysia pada zaman muda mereka terlihat tidak menepati ajaran Islam yang dianjurkan. Justeru, apa yang berlaku adalah apabila meningkat usia, mereka ingin memperbetulkan gaya kehidupan lampau itu selain menambah amalan dan mendekatkan diri kepada Islam. Keinginan itu menyaksikan mereka bukan sahaja menghadiri ce-

ramah agama di masjid, surau dan balai raya seluruh negara bahkan ada yang setia mengikuti kelas membaca al-Quran, malah memilih tinggal di pondok bagi menuntut ilmu agama selain membabitkan diri dengan pelbagai aktiviti keagamaan.

Hal ini tentu sahaja berbeza dengan realiti masyarakat dewasa di Malaysia pada zaman ini. Kehidupan mereka majoritinya tidak seperti dalam gambaran filem tahun 1940-an hingga 70-an. Hari ini kebanyakan kita sudah dididik dengan Islam sejak kecil. Kita menghadiri pelbagai jenis kelas agama selain banyak siaran di televisyen yang membawakan nilai agama. Tidak cukup dengan itu saluran khusus juga untuk rancangan keagamaan.

Peranan sosial media yang menentanghkan pengaruh Islamik, contohnya program *Da'i Pendakwah Milenia* dan *Imam Muda* menjadikan warga muda kita tertarik dengan populariti ke-Islaman yang ditonjolkan.

Maka disimpulkan bahawa realiti warga muda di Malaysia pada masa akan datang sebagai warga emas, mungkin berbeza keperluan rohani dan sosialnya berbanding warga emas sekarang. Aktiviti berunsur kekeluargaan dan komunikasi dilihat lebih menjadi perkara yang hilang dalam diri warga muda sekarang dengan dilihat pada peningkatan kes sakit mental.

Oleh itu, inisiatif penyediaan fasiliti dan persembaan keperluan yang komprehensif untuk menjamin kelestarian kewangan dan sumber manusia negara perlu dibentuk dengan mengambil kira realiti sekarang dan masa akan datang.



TAJUK :	SARAWAK SHOULD PIONEER A UNIVERSAL CHILD BENEFIT		
HARI :	KHAMIS	AKHBAR :	THE BORNEO POST
TARIKH :	14 MAC 2024	M/SURAT :	06
TONE :	POSITIF	SEKTOR :	KPWKM

Sarawak should pioneer a universal child benefit

THE Sarawak government has recently announced a wave of strategic initiatives, such as plans to establish its own airline and a ground-breaking move to offer free tertiary education to all.

These policy introductions reflect the Sarawak administration's expressed desire to become the "strongest state in Malaysia for the next 50 years" – to borrow the words of Sarawak Premier Tan Sri Abang Johari Tun Openg.

As Sarawak charts its course, the wellbeing and development of its youngest citizens must not be forgotten. Yet, far too many children in Sarawak are growing up in poverty and facing barriers to health, education, and opportunity.

This is where the introduction of a universal child benefit can transform the status quo and move us a step closer towards a society where every Sarawakian child, from cradle to college, has the opportunity to flourish.

A universal child benefit programme would provide direct financial assistance to families

with children, regardless of their income level and without conditions. This means that every child in Sarawak would receive the support they need to thrive, irrespective of their family's socio-economic status.

For families struggling to make ends meet, this programme would provide a lifeline, ensuring that no child goes hungry or lacks basic necessities like clothing and shelter. By lifting families out of poverty, Sarawak can break the persisting cycle of deprivation and create a brighter future for generations to come.

Moreover, investing in our children's wellbeing is not just a moral imperative but also a strategic economic decision for the state. Research has shown that children who grow up in poverty are more likely to face health problems, perform poorly in school, and struggle to find employment as adults.

By providing financial support to families, we can ensure that every child has access to quality healthcare, education,

and opportunities for personal growth. This, in turn, will lead to a more skilled and productive workforce, driving economic growth and prosperity across the state.

Critics may argue about the financial implications of implementing a universal child benefit, citing concerns about budgetary constraints and sustainability. However, such concerns pale in comparison to the long-term benefits of investing in our children.

Studies from around the world have shown that every dollar spent on early childhood development yields a return on investment multiple times over, in terms of reduced healthcare costs, increased educational attainment, and higher earning potential in adulthood.

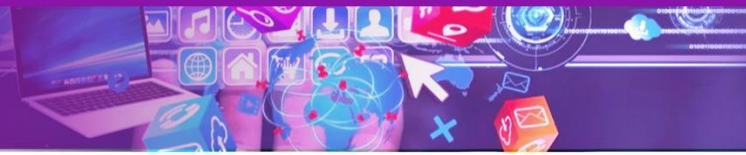
To fund this programme, the Sarawak state can draw from its new state sovereign wealth fund and oil and gas revenue, alongside consolidating existing programmes such as the Endowment Fund Sarawak (which provides RM1,000 in the

form of a trust fund to every Sarawak-born child).

Pioneering a universal child benefit will also position Sarawak as a trailblazer in national policymaking. Sarawak can inspire other states and also the federal government to follow suit, shifting the focus from a charity-based framework to a rights-based progressive model.

As the largest state in Malaysia, Sarawak wields significant influence, not only in terms of population but also in setting the tone for political public discourse. By championing a universal child benefit, Sarawak can take the mantle of national leadership and bring us much closer towards securing a better future for all children in Malaysia, not just Sarawakian children.

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TAJUK : KAKAK BELLA DITAHAN SIAR GAMBER KANAK-KANAK 4 TAHUN DI TIKTOK

HARI : KHAMIS

AKHBAR : BERITA HARIAN

TARIKH : 14 MAC 2024

M/SURAT : 14

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Kakak Bella ditahan siar gambar kanak-kanak 4 tahun di TikTok

Batu Pahat: Kakak kepada Bella atau Mila Sharmila Samsusah yang mati dibunuh teman lelakinya, ditahan polis awal pagi semalam sebelum direman bagi membantu siasatan berhubung laporan dibuat terhadapnya kerana didakwa melanggar Akta Kanak-Kanak 2001.

Wanita berusia 37 tahun itu ditahan ketika hadir ke Ibu Pejabat Polis Daerah (IPD) Batu Pahat untuk diambil keterangan berhubung satu laporan polis dibuat terhadapnya.

Difahamkan, laporan dibuat oleh keluarga tertuduh yang mendakwa kakak Bella menyiarkan gambar kanak-kanak yang dipercayai anak angkat tertuduh, ketika bersiaran langsung di Tik Tok, baru-baru ini.

Dia kemudian dibawa ke Mahkamah Majistret Batu Pahat pagi semalam sambil ditemani dua peguam, Nur Aminahtul Mardiah Md Nor dan Nurul Hafidzah Hassan, bagi mendapat perintah reman.

Direman sehari
Majistret Nurasidah A Rahman membenarkan wanita itu direman sehari bermula semalam bagi membantu siasatan.

Sejurus keluar dari mahkamah, wanita itu kelihatan tenang sambil memandang beberapa ahli keluarga termasuk suaminya. Dia tiba di Batu Pahat selepas berbuka puasa di rumah saudara arwah bapanya di Kuala Selangor pada jam 2.30 pagi.

Dalam perjalanan pulang, dia dihubungi polis untuk hadir ke IPD bagi diambil keterangan sebelum ditahan di lokap.

Peguam Nur Aminahtul Mardiah dan Nurul Hafidzah yang hadir pada prosiding reman berkata, anak guam mereka direman sehari selepas mahkamah menolak permohonan pegawai penyiariat untuk reman tiga hari.

Sementara itu, Ketua Polis Daerah Batu Pahat, Asisten Komisioner Ismail Dollah, mengesahkan penahanan wanita itu kerana didakwa menyiarkan gambar kanak-kanak berusia empat tahun secara langsung di Tik Tok.

“Dia ditahan jam 2.10 pagi tadi (semalam) susulan laporan seorang wanita memaklumkan gambar anaknya berusia empat tahun digunakan di Tik Tok.

“Kanak-kanak itu adalah saksi pendakwaan bersabit kes bunuh di daerah ini hujung tahun lalu yang disebar melalui aplikasi itu,” katanya.



TAJUK : KAKAK BELLA DIREMAN

HARI : KHAMIS

AKHBAR : HARIAN METRO

TARIKH : 14 MAC 2024

M/SURAT : 11

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

LANGGAR AKTA KANAK-KANAK KETIKA 'LIVE' DI TIKTOK

Kakak Bella direman

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Batu Pahat

Kakak kepada Bella atau Mila Sharmila Samsusah yang mati dibunuh, ditahan polis awal pagi semalam sebelum direman bagi membantu siasatan berhubung laporan dibuat terhadapnya kerana didakwa melanggar Akta Kanak-Kanak 2001.

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Difahamkan, laporan itu dibuat oleh keluarga tertuduh kononnya mendakwa kakak kepada Bella itu menyiarkan gambar kanak-kanak yang dipercayai anak angkat tertuduh, ketika bersiaran langsung di TikTok, baru-baru ini.

KAKAK kepada Bella dibawa keluar dari mahkamah, semalam.



Dia kemudian dibawa ke Mahkamah Majistret Batu Pahat pagi semalam, sambil ditemani dua peguamnya, Nur Aminah-tul Mardiah Md Nor dan Nurul Hafidzah Hassan bagi mendapat perintah

reman.

Majistret Nurasidah A Rahman membenarkan wanita itu direman sehari pada semalam bagi membantu siasatan polis.

Sejurus selepas keluar dari mahkamah, wanita

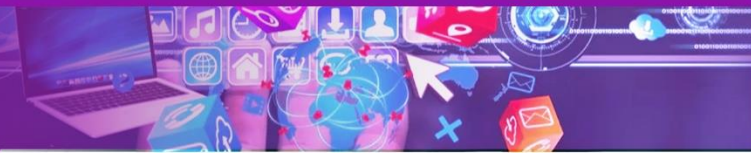
itu kelihatan tenang sambil memandang beberapa ahli keluarganya termasuk suaminya.

Pada awalnya, dia baru tiba di Batu Pahat selepas berbuka puasa di rumah saudara arwah bapanya di Kuala Selangor pada jam 2.30 pagi.

Bagaimanapun, ketika dalam perjalanan pulang, dia dihubungi polis untuk hadir ke IPD bagi merekodkan keterangan sebelum ditahan di lokap.

Dalam pada itu, peguamnya, Nur Aminah-tul Mardiah Md Nor dan Nurul Hafidzah Hassan yang hadir ketika prosing reman berkata, anak guamnya itu direman sehari selepas mahkamah menolak permohonan pegawai penyi-sat untuk reman tiga hari.

Katanya, anak guamnya disiasat mengikut Seksyen 15 (2) (a) Akta Kanak-Kanak 2001 kerana dakwaan mengatakan gambar digunakan anak guam terbabit dengan jenayah.



TAJUK : KAKAK BELLA DITAHAN SEBAR GAMBAR KANAK-KANAK

HARI : KHAMIS

AKHBAR : UTUSAN BORNEO (SARAWAK)

TARIKH : 14 MAC 2024

M/SURAT : 13

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Kakak Bella ditahan sebar gambar kanak-kanak

BATUPAHAT: Polis menahan seorang wanita berusia 36 tahun yang merupakan kakak kepada mangsa pembunuhan, Mila Sharmila Samsusah atau dikenali sebagai Bella, bagi membantu siasatan berhubung penyebaran gambar kanak-kanak berusia empat tahun di media sosial pada 2.10 pagi semalam.

Ketua Polis Daerah Batu Pahat ACP Ismail Dollah dalam kenyataan berkata,

suspek ditahan ketika tampil memberikan keterangan di Ibu Pejabat Polis Daerah (IPD) Batu Pahat berhubung satu laporan polis yang dibuat oleh seorang wanita yang mendakwa gambar anaknya telah tersebar melalui 'live' atau siaran langsung di aplikasi TikTok.

"Selain menahan suspek tersebut polis turut merampas sebuah telefon bimbit yang dipercayai digunakan

untuk 'live' berkenaan.

"Suspek kemudiannya dibawa ke Mahkamah Majistret Batu Pahat untuk permohonan reman dan Majistret Nurasidah A Rahman membenarkan suspek ditahan reman selama satu hari," katanya.

Ismail berkata, kertas siasatan dibuka di bawah Seksyen 15 Akta Kanak-Kanak 2001 yang memperuntukkan hukuman denda tidak melebihi

RM10,000 atau penjara tidak lebih lima tahun atau keduanya jika sabit kesalahan.

"Pihak polis menasihatkan orang ramai supaya tidak menimbulkan sebarang spekulasi yang boleh mengganggu siasatan," katanya.

Sementara itu, suspek yang hadir ke Mahkamah Majistret Batu Pahat ditemani dua peguamnya Nur Aminahtul Mardiah Md Nor dan Nurul Hafidzah Hassan. — Bernama



TAJUK :	SISTER OF MURDERED WOMAN BELLA DETAINED FOR ALLEGED CHILD ACT VIOLATION		
HARI :	KHAMIS	AKHBAR :	NEW STRAITS TIMES
TARIKH :	14 MAC 2024	M/SURAT :	10
TONE :	NEGATIF	SEKTOR :	KPWKM

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Sister of murdered woman Bella detained for alleged Child Act violation

BATU PAHAT: A sister of Mila Sharmila Samsusah, better known as Bella, who was allegedly murdered by her boyfriend, was detained by the police early yesterday.

The woman was apprehended when she appeared at the Batu Pahat police headquarters to have her statement taken regard-

ing a police report made against her for allegedly violating the Child Act 2001.

It is understood that the report was filed by a family member of a child, claiming that Bella's sister had posted pictures of the child during a livestream on TikTok recently.

Bella's sister was taken to the

Batu Pahat magistrate's court yesterday, accompanied by her lawyers, Nur Aminahatul Mardiah Md Nor and Nurul Hafidzah Hassan.

Magistrate Nurasidah A. Rahman granted police a one-day remand order to detain her to assist investigations.

It is learnt that Bella's sister had

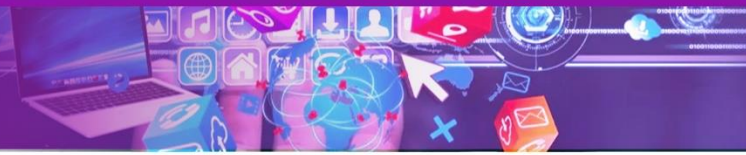
just arrived in Batu Pahat at 2.30am after breaking fast at her late father's relative's house in Kuala Selangor.

While on her way home, she was contacted by the police and asked to appear at the district police headquarters to provide her statement.

Nur Aminahatul and Hafidzah

said their client was remanded for one day after the court rejected the investigating officer's application for a three-day remand.

They said their client was being investigated under Section 15(2)(a) of the Child Act 2001 for sharing information that would lead to the identification of the child.



TAJUK : 400 EXPECTED AT ORANG ULU WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION DINNER

HARI : KHAMIS

AKHBAR : THE BORNEO POST

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SEKTOR : KPWKM



Kijan (seated fifth left) is seen with the organising committee for the dinner.

400 expected at Orang Ulu women's association dinner



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The dinner will be an opportunity for our members to come together and celebrate the achievements of women around the world.

Kijan Toynbee

MIRI: Some 400 attendees are expected at Persatuan Wanita Orang Ulu Miri's dinner at Eastwood Valley Golf and Country Club tomorrow.

Association chief Kijan Toynbee said the dinner starting 6.30pm is to mark International Women's Day, which fell on March 8.

"The dinner will be an opportunity for our members to come together and celebrate the achievements of women around

the world.

"As a women's organisation, this celebration is also a reminder that women are capable in so many things and we also play essential roles in bringing development to our nation," she told The Borneo Post.

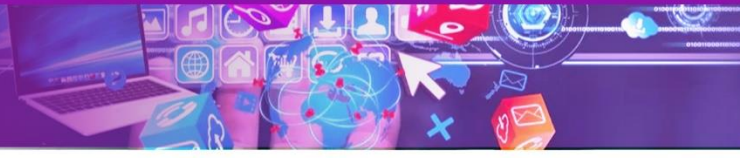
She said women play vital roles not only in politics, sports, or nation-building, but also in their roles as mothers or housewives, who are also vital in keeping

families together.

"It is only right that we celebrate this occasion to let all women know that their sacrifices are acknowledged and appreciated," said Kijan.

Minister of Transport Dato Sri Lee Kim Shin is expected to officiate at the dinner.

The programme for the night will include an Orang Ulu Beads Fashion Show and cultural performances.



TAJUK : KAPIT CHE QUAN KHOR HELPS EASE BURDEN OF LOW-ICOME FAMILIES WITH FOOD AID

HARI : KHAMIS

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Kong (back row, sixth left) and Che Quan Khor members pose with the recipient families.

Kapit Che Quan Khor helps ease burden of low-income families with food aid

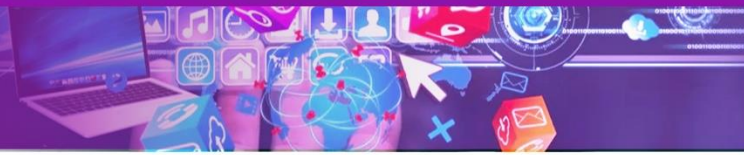
KAPIT: Ten low-income families here were recently presented with food aid by Kapit Che Quan Khor Moral Uplifting Society.

Its chairman Kapitan Kong Cheak He said the assistance was meant to help ease the burden of the recipients.

"The recipients this month are from the Iban community in town. Last month we presented similar assistance to 10 Chinese families, and next month it will be presented to 10 Muslim families," he told The Borneo Post.

Kong said the food was purchased via donations from Che Quan Khor members as well as the public.

"Through their continuous support, we can continue carrying out welfare activities as part of our effort to promote a caring society," he said.



TAJUK : PWOUN ADAKAN MAJLIS MAKAN MALAM JUMAAT INI

HARI : KHAMIS

AKHBAR : UTUSAN BORNEO (SARAWAK)

TARIKH : 14 MAC 2024

M/SURAT : 06

TONE : POSITIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM



SEDIA: Kijan (duduk, lima kiri) bersama jawatankuasa penganjur Majlis Makan Malam Hari Wanita Antarabangsa PWOUN.

PWOUN adakan majlis makan malam Jumaat ini

MIRI: Persatuan Wanita Orang Ulu Miri (PWOUN) akan mengadakan majlis makan malam di Eastwood Valley Golf and Country Club pada Jumaat ini (15 Mac) bagi meraikan pencapaian dan kejayaan wanita di seluruh dunia.

Menurut Pengerusi PWOUN Kijan Toynbee, majlis makan malam yang akan bermula jam 6.30 petang itu dianjurkan sempena Hari Wanita Antarabangsa yang

disambut setiap tahun pada 8 Mac.

"Majlis makan malam itu kelak akan menjadi peluang kepada ahli kami untuk berkumpul dan meraikan pencapaian wanita di seluruh dunia.

"Sebagai sebuah organisasi wanita, sambutan ini juga merupakan peringatan bahawa wanita berkebolehan dalam banyak perkara dan kami juga memainkan peranan penting dalam membawa

pembangunan kepada negara kita," katanya kepada Utusan Borneo di sini, semalam.

Beliau menambah, wanita masa kini memainkan peranan penting bukan sahaja dalam politik, sukan atau pembinaan negara, tetapi peranan mereka sebagai ibu atau suri rumah juga penting dalam mengekalkan keharmonian keluarga.

"Jadi adalah wajar kita meraikan majlis ini untuk memberitahu semua wanita

bahawa pengorbanan mereka diakui dan dihargai," kata Kijan.

Sementara itu, kira-kira 400 orang dijangka menghadiri majlis makan malam itu yang dijangka dirasmikan oleh Menteri Pengangkutan Sarawak Dato Sri Lee Kim Shin.

Program untuk malam itu akan merangkumi pertunjukan fesyen manik Orang Ulu dan persembahan kebudayaan.