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# Spur Data-Driven Innovation For Citizen-Centric Delivery System - Entulu

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PUTRAJAYA, Nov 14 (Bernama) -- Malaysia needs to put in more effort in spurring data-driven needs to put in more effort in spurring data-driven innovation in order to move towards a citizen-centric delivery system, says Minister in the Prime Minister's Department, Datuk Joseph Entulu Belaun.

Citing an application from Nigeria, BudgIT, which ensures all citizens have equal access to public finance regardless of their literacy skills, he said open data had been a mechanism for improving the quality of life of citizens all over the world.

"Though estimation varies, experts agree that opening up public sector information can add about

Domestic Product (GDP)," he said at the launching of the Malaysia Open Data User Group (MODUG) Programme, here, today.

The arrival of the Fourth Industrial Revolution, a globally accepted reality that affects every industry around the world, has brought huge opportunities through advancement in artificial intelligence (AI), Big Data analytics, Internet of Things, biotechnology and handlechnology.

That is why innovation is ever more important as certain professions will become obsolete in the near future," he noted.....

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